



# American Animal Hospital

*Caring for your pets as if they were our own.*



## *Paws-a-tive Moments*

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best friend.  
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### Welcome!!

The team at American Animal Hospital would like you to *Paws a Moment* to reflect on the joy and happiness your furry friends bring into your life. We enjoy assisting you in keeping your pets healthy and helping them to live a strong life. To learn more about the staff at AAH, please check out our website at [www.ameranimal.com](http://www.ameranimal.com)



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### Anxiety in Pets

Does your pet hide during fireworks? Disappear when thunderstorms are rolling in? Do you only see a tail sticking out from under the bed when the garbage truck rolls by?

Many pets can become nervous and anxious during bad weather, loud noises or just being left alone. If you find your pet pacing frequently, hiding or just not himself for no apparent reason, it is possible that your pet may be suffering from anxiety.

We can help. There are medications that can be prescribed to settle your pet during high stress times if we determine there are no medical issues for their behavior. We also stock the new Thundershirt. This shirt hugs your pet and makes them feel more secure. Behavior modification & homeopathic remedies are additional options that are available by referral.

Please let us know if we can help.

### Pedicures

#### How Important Are They?

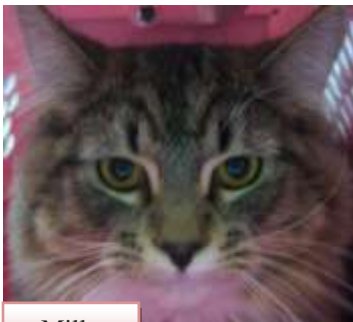
Very! Why do you trim your own nails? They get too long and catch on everything. They can tear. They can bleed and they can hurt. This is the same reason why we trim our pet's nails. We recommend a nail trim every 4 – 6 weeks. This keeps the nails at a good length and prevents further accidents.

When a nail on your pet is torn, split or broken, it needs to be trimmed back to healthy tissue to prevent further problems. To do this, we provide comfort control and then sedation. After the procedure, a bandage is applied to protect the foot. Your pet is then sent home with a special boot to keep the area clean and dry when they go outside. Sometimes your pet has to wear a special collar to prevent them from licking at their foot.

All this could be easily prevented by getting them on a routine nail trim every 4-6 weeks. Give us a call and we can help you prevent an accident waiting to happen.



Fluffy



Milly

"Scratch a dog and you'll find a permanent job." ~Franklin P. Jones

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Tubbington

*American Animal  
Hospital would like to  
welcome our newest  
patients 6 months or  
younger*



Rylee



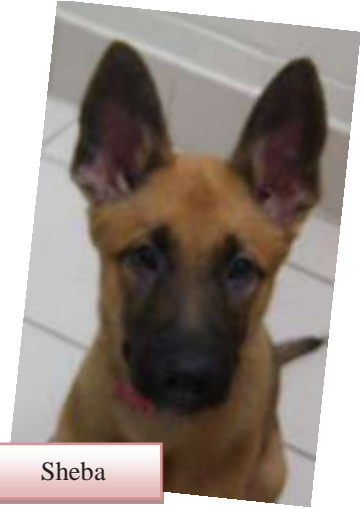
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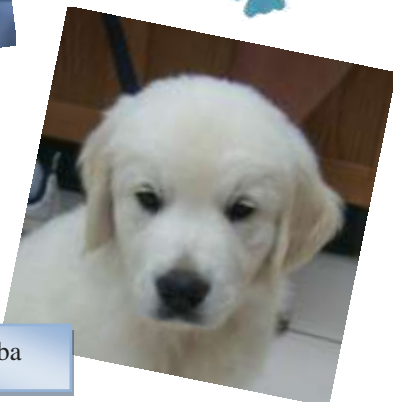
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Millie

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