

FELINE HERPESVIRUS 1, FELINE CALICIVIRUS AND FELINE PANLEUKOPENIA VIRUS VACCINES

- CORE VACCINE

FELINE RABIES

- For the recombinant vaccines, boosters are recommended at yearly intervals.
- Suggested to use the recombinant rabies vaccine, because there is some evidence that it is associated with a decreased risk of sarcoma formation.

FELV VACCINATION

- Prevalence of FeLV in the cat population has declined over the last decade. Decreased because of vaccination and testing for FeLV antigen (and removal) of sick cats. But prevalence of FeLV is still relatively high, around 3% of all cats (feral and non-feral).
- In accordance with AAFP Feline Vaccination Advisory Panel, FeLV vaccination is highly recommended in kittens (because of the high degree of susceptibility among kittens vs. adults).

- A reasonable vaccination schedule would be:

Two initial doses (required): e.g., at 12 weeks and 16 weeks of age, then

One dose (booster): 1 year later.