

Shelter Logo Template (disease) Protocol for Foster Parents

Standard Operating Procedure
Created Date

Shelter policy

Background on the disease (brief). Is this disease treatable in the shelter? What are the restrictions and requirements for this shelter?

Recognition and diagnosis

Clinical signs, how to diagnosis, and testing information for foster parents.

Notification

Who is to be notified when there is a case? What is the process of notification after-hours, etc?

Treatment in foster care

What treatments are available for foster parents? When should they consult shelter medical staff?

Documentation

What should foster parents be documenting? Who is responsible for being sure information is all incorporated into the animal 's medical record?

Housing and decontamination

How should animals be housed? How should these areas be cleaned?

Outcome decisions

Who is responsible for outcome decisions regarding an animal's progress and prognosis?

Adoption Counseling

How does this disease impact adoption? Are there additional items that need to be communicated to adopters?