



VETERINARY REPORT

To whom it may concern

On Saturday, 27 July 2024, SPCA Inspector Lee Prins was presented with a dog from 3 Garrick Rd, Rondebosch.

ANIMAL DETAILS

Species: Canine
Breed: Yorkie X Maltese
Sex: Female, intact
Age: 4 years
Name: Luna Koen
Description: Light tan

EXAMINATION FINDINGS

- **Description:** Chronic otitis – Both ears inflamed with thickened skin. Fleas and flea dirt present. Bilateral alopecia (hair loss) of the face at the cheek areas, under the chin and at the tail base. Ear smear showed bilateral rods + cocci. Mass on right caudal teat area.
- **Duration:** Chronic
- **Cause:** This type of condition is usually typical of skin allergy, most likely flea bite allergy in this case.
- **Prognosis:** Fair
- **Recommendation:** The dog should receive regular tick and flea treatment, i.e. Nexgard monthly or Bravecto every 3 months. The dog should be placed on a hypoallergenic diet (and receive no other sources of food, no other snacks). The dog should be spayed and the growth should be removed.

Yours sincerely

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Veterinarian

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