

Record no. 13067 From 17-04-2026
Consultation



The Village Vet- Atlantis
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Patient Details	Client Details
Species: Dog	Name: Lindsay Garcia
Breed: Rottweiler	Email: garcialm001@gmail.com
Age: 13 Years (17-04-2013)	Phone: 082 223 8683
Sex: Male - Not neutered	Address: 8 Compass Cl, Blouberg Sands, Cape Town, 7449, South Africa

Clinical Examination

Examination Notes

owner working overseas, brought in by caretaker
Terror is 13 yrs old, neutered, friendly old boy
muscle atrophy lhs of head, dry left eye - spoke to owner over the phone, says been on some triple combo eyedrop?
but cannot tell me the name
vomits after drinking water as drinking a lot of water at one time
normal habitus & appetite, does not vomit up his food, normal stools & urine also according to caretaker
lipoma rhs of body
very weak in HQ, swaying gait, suspect old age OA

Assessment

Diagnosis

Osteoarthritis

Osteoarthritis, also known as degenerative joint disease, is a progressive and chronic condition affecting the joints in animals. It occurs when the cartilage that cushions the joints begins to break down, causing pain, inflammation, and reduced mobility. Osteoarthritis can be caused by various factors such as aging, genetics, obesity, injury, or joint abnormalities.

Services

Service	Category	Quantity	Price
CVC Consultation	General Checkup	1	R300.00
CVC Dog annual vac	Vaccinations	1	R290.00

Products

Product	Quantity	Price
Tacrolimus 0.02% 10ml	1 Bottle	R393.00
Subtotal : R854.78	VAT : R128.22	Total : R983.00

Reminder Protocols

Reminder Protocols	Due Date
VACCINATION ANNUAL CVC Dog annual vac	18-03-2027

Treatment

ann vac on owner's request – vanguard 5/L + rabisin
deworming & tick & flea up to date
disp tacrolimus for left eye, 1 drop tid
adv mobility/joint diet & joint supplement for both dogs
adv nsaid but prep bloods first!

Recommendations

Osteoarthritis

1. Weight management: Ensure your pet maintains a healthy weight to reduce stress on the joints. This may involve adjusting their diet and portion sizes.
2. Exercise: Provide regular, low-impact exercise to help maintain joint mobility and muscle strength. Swimming or walking on soft surfaces can be beneficial.
3. Joint supplements: Consider adding joint supplements like glucosamine and chondroitin to your pet's diet, which may help support joint health.
4. Anti-inflammatory medications: Your veterinarian may prescribe non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs (NSAIDs) to help manage pain and inflammation.
5. Pain management: Additional pain medications, such as opioids or gabapentin, may be prescribed by your veterinarian for more severe cases.
6. Physical therapy: Consult with a veterinary rehabilitation specialist for physical therapy options to improve joint function and mobility.

- 7. Environmental modifications: Make adjustments to your pet's living environment, such as providing orthopedic beds, non-slip flooring, and ramps to reduce strain on joints.
- 8. Regular check-ups: Schedule regular veterinary visits to monitor your pet's condition and adjust treatment plans as needed.

Tacrolimus 0.02% 10ml

Administrator Annelien Moss