



Rovers Return Dog Rescue

Feed Fix Network

Puppy Socialization Before Full Vaccination

Puppies should receive their first vaccinations at six to eight weeks of age. You will have been told at your meet and greet if any vaccines are due and how to arrange them.

When you adopt from Rovers Return Dog Rescue, we vaccinate your puppy every three weeks until they have had four vaccines or until protection is expected to be achieved.

KEY ACTIONS

- No paws on the ground in public places until fully vaccinated.
- Avoid pet stores, dog parks, and areas where unvaccinated dogs may have been.
- Use low cost vaccine clinics or your veterinarian if travel back to Rovers Return is not practical.

VACCINE TIMING

Depending on your puppy's age, they may need three to four vaccinations for the Distemper and Parvo series until they are 16 to 20 weeks old.

Core vaccines should be given to all dogs and puppies. Non-core vaccines are given based on lifestyle and where you live or travel.

WHY WAITING MATTERS

It may seem like a long time to wait, but these diseases are easy to catch. A vaccine may cost between \$10 and \$20, while treatment can cost \$2000 to \$5000.

Remember: no paws on the ground and no public dog areas until fully vaccinated.

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