

# The First Aid Kit



## Your Kit should contain:

1. Absorbent gauze pads
2. Adhesive tape
3. Fresh 3% hydrogen peroxide to induce vomiting (do this only when directed by a veterinarian or a poison-control expert)
4. Disposable gloves
5. Scissors with blunt end
6. Tweezers
7. OTC antibiotic ointment
8. Oral syringe
9. Alcohol wipes
10. Styptic powder
11. An extra leash and collar
12. Non-latex disposable gloves
13. KY Jelly (to lubricate the thermometer)
14. Rectal thermometer (your pet's temperature should not be above 103°F or fall below 100°F)

**Paperwork:** *In an emergency situation, you'll want pertinent information in one place: hard copy of medical records, and vaccination records.*

**Phone numbers:** *The emergency-veterinary clinic, your veterinarian and a poison-control center or hotline (such as the ASPCA poison-control center, which can be reached at 1-800-426-4435).*

*As a pet owner, you need to make sure to have basic first aid supplies for your pets in your household.*



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