

Information Regarding Internet Searching

There's a lot of information about pet care available online, and we want to share with you reputable, trustworthy sites for the most accurate and up-to-date information.

In addition to our website – please go to our “links” page. The American Veterinary Medical Association (AVMA), The American Animal Hospital Association (AAHA), and the California Veterinary Medical Association (CVMA) all contain information you can trust.

And here are some additional tips for searching online for pet healthcare topics:

- You've heard the warning: “Don't believe everything you read.” This is especially true for pet-related information you find online. The Internet can be a great resource when you want to learn about a specific disease or health condition, but unfortunately some websites offer misinformation to unsuspecting pet owners.
- To avoid unreliable pet care advice and information when you're surfing the Internet, ask yourself three questions: Where did this information come from, how current is this information, and who's responsible for the content of the website?
- Health-related websites published by the U.S. government (.gov), nonprofit organizations (.org) or college and universities (.edu) are often the most reliable sources of information because for-profit groups such as drug or insurance companies usually don't support them.