

VirtuaVet Pet First Aid Checklist

Check	Item	Where Best Obtained	Cost
	Hydrogen peroxide 3% USP	Pharmacy or medical supply	
	Turkey baster or needle-less 12 cc syringe	Supermarket or vet's	
	Saline Eye Wash	Pharmacy or medical supply	
	Artificial tear ointment	Pharmacy, med supply, vet's	
	Mild grease-cutting detergent (Dawn)	Supermarket	
	Forceps (tweezers)	Pharmacy, med or beauty supply	
	Muzzle	Pet Store	
	Bandages/guaze/Medical tape	Medical supply	
	Triple antibiotic ointment (Neosporin)	Pharmacy or med supply	

VirtuaVet Tip: Medical supply stores carry fascinating, useful inventory like packages of bandages, non-stick medical tape, guaze pads, cotton balls, those cool long cotton swabs the vet uses, inexpensive absorbent pads for potty training(without the hormone to make them go on the pad), *all at bulk-rate prices*. These are still retail to the public, but far, far less costly than a packet of 4 sterile guaze sponges from a major chain pharmacy.

Look for stores selling wheelchairs, oxygen, and other home health supplies. These stores sell the good stuff at good prices. They usually name themselves "Blah Blah Town Medical Supply." Just look it up; you will be thrilled you did!