

# ORIVET GENETIC PET CARE

## CAT DNA

# HEALTH SCREEN & LIFE PLAN

*Congratulations on making the journey to understanding your cat's ancestry and health risks!*

The Orivet Cat DNA Health Screen & Life Plan helps you discover specific health related risks and traits buried in your cat's DNA. Understanding your cat's health risks and ancestry can assist you and your Veterinarian in creating an effective and personalised training, wellness, nutrition and medical program for your cat. The greater your knowledge is about your cat's health risks and genetic makeup, the smarter you can be about their future. Cats - like people - inherit genetic variations associated with disease as well as physical and personality and physical traits from the parents and breeds in their family tree. They also pass along breed-specific genetic disorders from generation to generation. The Orivet Cat DNA Health Screen & Life Plan allows you to:

- ✓ Screen your pet's DNA for dozens of genetic diseases and traits
- ✓ Learn about potential health risks based on hyper pets breed, age, gender, and weight
- ✓ Potential health risks are further classified based on likelihood & impact
- ✓ Determine your cat's blood group
- ✓ Develop a personalised health and wellness plan
- ✓ To obtain and schedule alerts and schedule appointments
- ✓ Improve communication with your veterinarian and other pet care providers



### TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

The Orivet Cat DNA Health Screen & Life Plan provides a genetic insights into the health risks that have been identified in your pet's DNA.

The test is designed to be used solely to identify the genetic variations associated with specific diseases and traits in your pet and no other purpose is intended, authorised, or permitted, including diagnosing diseases or predicting behaviour. Every pet is unique and their health, diseases, temperament and physical traits are the result of many factors, including genetics, environment and training.

Upon receipt of your sample, your cat's DNA is analysed to determine the presence of genetic variations associated with certain diseases and traits with a reasonable degree of certainty. Our procedures are designed to provide reliable and accurate results. Orivet Genetic Pet Care is not responsible for any errors in obtaining the swab sample or for any injuries or loss that may occur as a result.

The purpose of the Cat Health Screen is to identify specific variations in your pet's DNA associated with an increased risk for the corresponding disease and traits. The test is not designed to diagnose disease and test results should not be relied upon as official diagnosis as this can only be made in conjunction with a physical examination and verification as indicated by a registered veterinarian.

The Orivet Genetic Pet Care test is based upon the evidence-based database of documented diseases in scientific publications.

In the unlikely event that it is not possible to determine your pet's genetic position for any of the variations tested or that an error in the analysis occurs, liability by Orivet Genetic Pet Care or related companies and individuals is disclaimed and damages in any event are limited to the payment actually received by Orivet Genetic Pet Care for the specified analysis at issue

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Get to truly know yo♥r best friend



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Date: (Sample Posted)

Pet Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Place Barcode Here

Keep this for your Reference

# IT'S EASY AS 1, 2, 3.

## 1 COLLECT YOUR PET'S DNA

Swab Collection Instructions – view our DNA collection video at [www.orivet.com](http://www.orivet.com)

Please wait at least 30 minutes after a meal or treat (drinking water is fine) to begin your DNA collection. Before collecting the sample, inspect your animal's mouth between cheek and gums for any food material.

**A. COLLECT DNA (EPITHELIAL CELLS)** – Open swab packet carefully and avoid touching the bristle head with your hands at all times. Place the bristle (nylon) head against the inside of the cheek. Pinch the cheek around the bristle head and firmly roll the swab around the pinched area. Pinch and swirl for about 15 seconds. Repeat this step with the remaining swabs.

**B. DRY THE SWABS** – Allow the swabs to air dry for 3-5 minutes. This can be done by standing the swabs up in the allocated holes found in your DNA kit box.

**C. REINSERT DRY SWABS** – After the swabs have dried, place them back into the swab packet. Use the barcode sticker to close the packet, but do not seal it completely. Place a second barcode sticker on the front of the swab packet and keep the remaining barcode for your records (front of this brochure).

## 2 ACTIVATE YOUR KIT ONLINE

Visit [www.orivet.com/activate/kit](http://www.orivet.com/activate/kit) and follow the prompts.

## 3 MAIL YOUR SAMPLE

Please post samples back to us using the self-addressed postage-paid envelope provided. Samples are stable at room temperature

**YOU WILL RECEIVE AN EMAIL TO NOTIFY YOU WHEN YOUR SAMPLE ARRIVES**

