

Feline Special Needs Care Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Veterinary and Animal Science	Duration	5 Days
Base Fee	\$1,500 USD	Delivery Mode	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

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Programme Curriculum

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Course Objectives

1. Master specialized feline nutrition strategies for chronic conditions.
2. Develop skills in mobility support and physical therapy for disabled cats.
3. Understand chronic illness management, including kidney, heart, and endocrine disorders.
4. Implement behavioral enrichment techniques for special needs felines.
5. Learn advanced medication administration and monitoring.
6. Apply pain management and palliative care approaches.
7. Gain expertise in emergency response and critical care for cats.
8. Design customized care plans for long-term health improvement.
9. Evaluate environmental modifications to enhance feline safety.
10. Understand communication strategies with owners and caregivers.
11. Utilize diagnostic tools and monitoring technologies effectively.
12. Explore rehabilitation protocols and adaptive equipment.
13. Integrate case study analysis and practical problem-solving for real-world scenarios.

Target Audience

1. Veterinarians seeking specialization in feline care
2. Veterinary technicians and nurses
3. Professional cat caregivers and pet sitters
4. Animal shelter staff and rescue volunteers
5. Cat behaviorists and trainers
6. Students in veterinary or animal science programs
7. Pet owners with special needs cats
8. Animal welfare advocates

Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to Feline Special Needs

- Overview of common feline disabilities and chronic conditions
- Trends in special needs feline care
- Assessing individual cat health profiles
- Understanding the psychological impact on cats
- Case Study: Adapting care for a diabetic cat

Module 2: Specialized Nutrition & Feeding

- Diet planning for chronic kidney disease and obesity
- Feeding techniques for cats with mobility or dental issues
- Nutritional supplements and fortified diets
- Hydration strategies and feeding schedules
- Case Study: Managing a senior cat with anorexia

Module 3: Mobility & Physical Therapy

- Exercises for cats with arthritis or paralysis
- Use of mobility aids and harnesses
- Rehabilitation techniques post-surgery
- Home modifications for safe movement
- Case Study: Recovering a cat after spinal injury

Module 4: Chronic Illness Management

- Managing diabetes, hyperthyroidism, and heart disease
- Monitoring vital signs and lab results
- Medication scheduling and administration
- Preventive care strategies
- Case Study: Multi-condition management in a senior cat

Module 5: Behavioral Enrichment

- Reducing stress in special needs cats
- Interactive play and mental stimulation
- Addressing anxiety and aggression
- Socialization techniques for differently-abled cats
- Case Study: Behavioral modification in a blind cat

Module 6: Pain Management & Palliative Care

- Identifying pain in non-verbal cats
- Pharmaceutical and natural pain relief options
- Hospice care principles for terminal conditions
- Owner guidance and support
- Case Study: Comfort care for a terminally ill cat

Module 7: Emergency Response & Critical Care

- Recognizing life-threatening conditions
- First aid protocols and triage
- Monitoring and intervention techniques
- Stabilization and referral procedures
- Case Study: Emergency response for a cat with severe injury

Module 8: Custom Care Plans & Case Studies

- Developing personalized care plans
- Integrating medical, nutritional, and behavioral needs
- Tracking progress and outcomes
- Communication with caregivers and vets

- Case Study: Comprehensive care for a multi-special needs cat

Training Methodology

This course employs a participatory and hands-on approach to ensure practical learning, including:

- Interactive lectures and presentations.
- Group discussions and brainstorming sessions.
- Hands-on exercises using real-world datasets.
- Role-playing and scenario-based simulations.
- Analysis of case studies to bridge theory and practice.
- Peer-to-peer learning and networking.
- Expert-led Q&A sessions.
- Continuous feedback and personalized guidance.

Register as a group from 3 participants for a Discount

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Certification

Upon successful completion of this training, participants will be issued with a globally- recognized certificate.

Tailor-Made Course

We also offer tailor-made courses based on your needs.

Key Notes

- a. The participant must be conversant with English.
- b. Upon completion of training the participant will be issued with an Authorized Training Certificate
- c. Course duration is flexible and the contents can be modified to fit any number of days.
- d. The course fee includes facilitation training materials, 2 coffee breaks, buffet lunch and A Certificate upon successful completion of Training.
- e. One-year post-training support Consultation and Coaching provided after the course.
- f. Payment should be done at least a week before commence of the training, to Fineskill Training Center account, as indicated in the invoice so as to enable us prepare better for you.

Upcoming Scheduled Sessions

Start Date	End Date	Location	Price
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Online	\$1,000
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$1,500

Start Date	End Date	Location	Price
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
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