



Natural Help for...



Pet Vomiting

What is Vomiting?

Vomiting is characterized by the contents of the stomach being ejected. This may happen to our pets from time to time – as a result of common factors or as a result of **more serious health problems**. Cats tend to vomit far more than dogs.

Symptoms of vomiting in cats and dogs include:

- Heaving
- Retching
- Partially digested food coming up, along with a yellow fluid (bile)
- Blood in the vomit (consult your vet as this can signal an ulcer or cancer)

When should I be worried about my pet vomiting?

You should consult your veterinarian if:

- You suspect your pet has been exposed to toxins, garbage, a bone, plants, antifreeze, or drugs.
- There is blood in the vomit (fresh blood or granules that look like coffee)
- Your pet experiences diarrhea with vomiting
- Your pet vomits each time they eat
- There is repeated vomiting and retching within a short time (3-4 times in a row).
- Your dog looks weak, depressed or lethargic.
- There is refusal to eat at the next meal after a vomiting episode
- You have a cat that is vomiting consecutively – as dehydration is a serious side effect
- Your pet has a fever, stomachache, jaundice, anemia, or masses in the stomach.

What Causes Vomiting?

The most **common cause of acute vomiting** is a dietary one – your pet may eat something that does not agree with them, they may run too fast after a meal or they may not be used to certain foods. Dogs may feel slightly nauseous from too hot weather, or they may have ingested hair.

Cats may also vomit as a result of hairballs in the stomach or throat. With older pets the **muscle of the esophagus loses tone** – this means food will not travel down the esophagus to the stomach as it should, resulting in regurgitation.

Some of the possible causes for chronic vomiting are:

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- Ulcers
- Cancer
- Pancreatitis
- Tumor of the pancreas
- Kidney failure
- Liver failure
- Uterine infection (more common as an animal reaches middle age)
- Ketoacidosis (a form of diabetes)
- Addison's disease
- Diseases of the inner ear
- Ingestion of foreign object
- Gastritis from ingestion of bad food or hair
- Bladder obstruction or rupture
- Infectious diseases (canine distemper, canine parvovirus, and feline panleukopenia virus)
- Elevated thyroid function (in cats)
- Heartworm disease (in cats)



Diagnosing the Cause of Vomiting

Determining a cause for your pet's [vomiting](#) or regurgitation may take some time. You will most likely need to cooperate with your veterinarian in trying to **pinpoint the cause**. Your veterinarian will need to determine whether the cause is gastric or non-gastric (based in the stomach, or not).

Pay close attention to the pattern of your pet's [vomiting](#) so you can give a thorough description of the symptoms. If coughing is the cause, your vet will look into your pet's mouth to see if **a foreign object has become caught in the esophageal opening**. An x-ray may also be used to determine if there is an object deeper in the esophagus, or in the stomach.

Help for Vomiting

Initially, with any [vomiting](#) or diarrhea, a 12-24 hours fast (yet still giving the pet fluids) is recommended to **allow the system to clean out**. This is usually followed by a bland diet of boiled chicken or meat and rice or potato in small amounts, slowly returning to its normal meals.

Once the cause of the [vomiting](#) is determined, your veterinarian will be able to come up with a course of treatment. Anti-emetics, Antibiotics and Corticosteroids may be prescribed. These drugs may **relieve your pet's symptoms**; they do come with side effects. Some of these drugs can cause your pet to have more problems with his or her digestion, while immunosuppressant drugs can lower his or her resistance to illness.

Natural Remedies

All cats and dogs will **naturally eat herbs and grasses** that make them vomit (helping to clean out their systems by getting rid of excess bile, mucus and other impurities). This is a natural process as natural herbal and homeopathic remedies can help to restore digestive comfort, prevent nausea and help [prevent vomiting](#).

Michele Carelse, Clinical Psychologist



All of our natural remedies are formulated by our expert team of herbalists, naturopaths and homeopaths, and headed by Michele Carelse.

Michele has had years of experience in the manufacturing and use of natural remedies for both people and pets. In addition, she is a trained Clinical Psychologist and has been incorporating natural remedies into her treatment of patients with depression, anxiety, ADD, ADHD and stress for many years with spectacular results.

Glycyrrhiza glabra (licorice) is an excellent tonic for the entire digestive tract, **helping to soothe the lining of the digestive tract.** Ulmus fulva (slippery elm), Althaea officinalis (marshmallow) and Mentha piperita (Mint) have been used for centuries as digestive aids. Kalium phosphate, Aconite, Coccus and Pulsatilla vulgaris are biochemic tissue salts well known for their ability to maintain comfort in the stomach during traveling.

Tips related to vomiting

- Take away your pet's food and water for three or four hours. This helps his or her stomach to settle down and recover.
- Reintroduce a small amount of water when your pet stops vomiting, if they keep it down after 20 minutes give him or her more water.
- Try a mixture of boiled rice or potatoes mixed with lean hamburger, skinless chicken or cottage cheese.
- Don't change your pet's diet suddenly, because this can lead to more digestive upsets.
- Gradually reduce the commercial foods and replace them with fresh, raw, unprocessed foods.
- Regular exercise is vital – it will give your pet a better appetite, and his/her body will function better.
- Try to get your pet outdoors – all cats and dogs will naturally eat herbs and grasses that make them vomit.

The Natural Approach

While Western medicine has become the norm in many cultures, it is not the only treatment option. Conventional western medicine, often called allopathic medicine, is the system of medicine taught at most medical schools and most pharmaceutical and synthetic medicines are manufactured and marketed according to the principles of allopathic medicine. Allopathic medicine is also sometimes called orthodox medicine.

Because most of us in the Western world have grown up in a society in which allopathic medicine is the prevailing norm, we forget that, only a few decades ago, homeopathic, herbal and other natural medicines were commonly available – and freely used even by conventional doctors and veterinarians. While there are often heated debates about which system of medicine is 'better' than the other, many responsible doctors and vets (whether they are allopathic or not) recognize that both have a role to play in the treatment program.

Just like humans, domesticated animals like dogs and cats are affected by the health hazards of modern living. Pollution, poor nutrition, stress and unhealthy lifestyles can lead to a variety of illnesses and conditions that are very similar to those experienced by humans. In fact, many, if not most pet health concerns can be addressed by helping your pets to live a healthier lifestyle. While it has its place, conventional medicine for animals and 'modern technology' have failed our pets in many ways.

According to pet expert and author CJ Puotinen, most holistic veterinarians and animal health care professions list annual vaccinations and commercial pet foods as the major contributory cause in the rising rates of chronic illness in pets today. Similarly, Juliette de Bairacli Levy, respected author and renowned animal breeder, points out that contrary to the belief that mass vaccination and antibiotic

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use will contribute to a decrease in disease, the opposite has in fact proved true. Like their human counterparts, today's pets are becoming more and more vulnerable to chronic disease and ill health. This has led many veterinarians to search for alternatives and to espouse more holistic methods of keeping our pets healthy.

"In the wild, animals instinctively seek out healing herbs to help them when they are ill or undernourished. In fact, Asclepius, the ancient Greek god of medicine, respected dogs very highly for their ability to seek out and eat medicinal herbs in the wild. This ability is shared by other animals, including cats. We are coming to realize that nature often has the answers - but animals have always known this! Natural medicine can help your pet just as it can help you. While there is always a place for conventional veterinary medicine, natural medicine can compliment conventional veterinary care and in many cases do just as well. I have applied the same care and research that have gone into our Native Remedies range for adults and children to the development of pet-friendly, safe and effective natural remedies for animals. As always, all remedies are formulated to the highest therapeutic standards and manufactured under strict pharmaceutical conditions for your peace of mind and the well being of your pets. " Michele Carelse, Clinical Psychologist.

"When a veterinary surgeon practices the use of homeopathic medicine and is asked why he does so, he may give one of several answers. The simple answer would be that the results are good, an emphatic answer would be that homeopathic treatment has no unpleasant or dangerous side effects, while still achieving successful results.

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Dr. Glenn Ferguson
M-Tech Homeopathy, Doctor of Chinese Medicine

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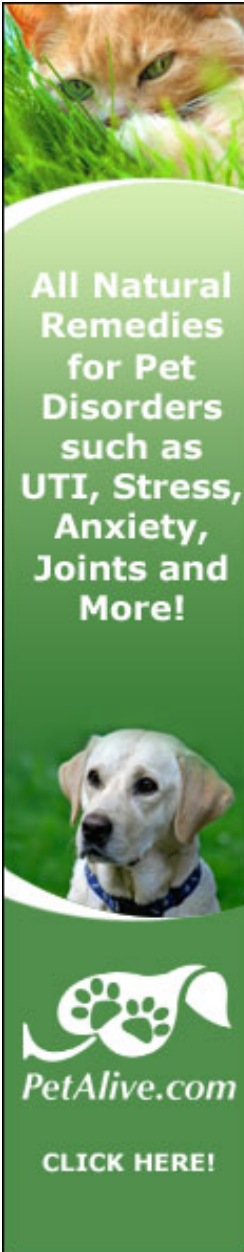
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