

K. Commonly Used Codes

Administrative

EFT	= Electronic Funds Transfer
LMOR	= Left message on recorder
NSF	= Nonsufficient funds
PDRS	= Past due reminder sent
RCM	= Reminder card made

Diagnosis

BAR	= Bright and alert and responsive
DOA	= Dead on arrival
HBC	= Hit by car
NSF	= No significant findings
V/D	= Vomiting, diarrhea
WNL	= Within normal limits

General

ATO	= According to owner
Bd (Bdg)	= Boarding
DX	= Diagnosis
EAG	= Express anal glands
Fe	= Feline (cat)
K9	= Canine (dog)
ō	= Owner
NT	= Nail trim
p	= Patient
Rx	= Prescription dispensed
SR	= Suture removal
Sx	= Surgery
Tx	= Treatment

Lab Tests

Fecal✓	= Fecal check
FeLV✓	= Feline leukemia test
FeLV/FIV✓	= Feline leuk/feline AIDS test
glu✓	= Glucose check (glucometer)
HW✓	= Heartworm test
SS	= Skin scrape
UA/SG	= Urinalysis, specific gravity

Medications (Meds)

SID	= Once daily
BID	= Twice daily
TID	= Three times daily
EOD	= Every other day
PRN	= As needed
HWP	= Heartworm prevention
i/m	= Intramuscularly
i/v	= Intravenously
S/Q	= Subcutaneously

NPO	= Nothing by mouth
PO	= By mouth
FP	= Flea prevention
HG+	= Heartgard Plus

Procedures

DHLPP/CV	= Canine distemper (no CV if over 5 yrs)
F/FS	= Female/female spayed
FVRCP/FeLV	= Feline distemper (FELV optional)
FeLV	= Feline leukemia virus
FIV	= Feline Immunodeficiency Virus (AIDS)
RV	= Rabies vaccination
M/MN	= Male/male neutered
OHE	= Spay (females)
RADS	= X-rays

Which Eye/Ear

AD	= Right ear
AS	= Left ear
AU	= Both ears
OD	= Right eye
OS	= Left eye
OU	= Both eyes

Hills Prescription Pet Food

(Purina has corresponding letters for many of these diets)

a/d	= Anorexic diet
b/d	= Behavioral diet/brain diet
c/d	= Cystitis diet
d/d	= Dermatological diet
i/d	= Intestinal diet
j/d	= Joint diet
k/d	= Kidney diet
m/d	= Metabolic diet
r/d	= Reduction (weight) diet
t/d	= Tooth diet
u/d	= Urate stone diet
w/d	= Weight control diet
z/d-la	= Low allergen diet (K9 & Fe--silver bag)
z/d ultra	= K-9 food allergy diet--ultra allergen (gold bag)