



# SEADOWN VETERINARY SERVICES

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## Terms and Conditions of Lifetime Care Club and VetsDeliver Subscriptions

When taking out a membership to the Lifetime Care Club or VetsDeliver subscription, you are accepting these terms and conditions. It is important to read them carefully, and please ask a member of staff if you have any queries.

If you would like a copy of these terms and conditions in larger print – please ask at reception.

1. The Lifetime Care Club is a rolling annual preventative healthcare membership programme. VetsDeliver is a home delivery subscription service designed to make it easier to protect your pet from parasites. Neither VetsDeliver nor the Lifetime Care Club are insurance policies.
2. Your subscription constitutes an agreement between you and Seadown Veterinary Services Ltd. the membership and benefits are not transferable to another practice or animal.
3. The Lifetime Care Club members will receive discounted products and services during the course of their membership including, but not limited to, vaccines and flea / worming / tick treatments and a full health check with one of our vets. Full details of what is included are available from the practice.
4. The Lifetime Care Club package and price at present is based solely on the use of the effective combination of Advocate, Droncit and Seresto.
5. Seadown Veterinary Services reserves the right to alter the products included in the Lifetime Care Club if ever a more effective product becomes available – any such change will be communicated to all members with a minimum of 30 days' notice.
6. If your full yearly entitlement of products are not redeemed / collected they will not be carried over to the following year.
7. When you take out your subscription, Seadown will collect your first month's payment by cash or card. Subsequent payments will be collected via monthly Direct Debit.
8. Where your subscription includes delivery of parasiticides to your home via VetsDeliver, you will collect your first VetsDeliver pack from the practice when you join. Subsequent VetsDeliver packages will be sent by post.
9. We use Easy Direct Debits Limited to collect Direct Debits on our behalf, and your bank statements will show a payment to Easy Direct Debits. For the avoidance of doubt, your agreement is with Seadown Veterinary Services Ltd. Easy Direct Debits Limited merely provide support to the practice, which includes transferring your payments.
10. Unless you tell us you would prefer not to, you may receive text message reminders during the course of your subscription.
11. The monthly subscription fee for your pet will be determined by its species and weight.

12. Of course, your pet can still receive treatment outside the scope of your membership and this will be charged in accordance with the practice's normal fees, terms and conditions.
13. These terms and conditions should be read in conjunction with any additional information including, but not limited to, literature provided by the practice detailing what is included in your membership. That literature forms part of these terms and conditions.
- 14. Your responsibilities** – you are responsible for following our vets' and nurses' guidance, and for ensuring you apply / administer your pet's treatment to ensure they remain free of parasites.

We will need to see your pet at regular intervals so that we can check their health and renew their prescription. We will send you a reminder nearer the time. Please book your pet's health check as soon as you can, to ensure there are no unnecessary gaps in their protection against parasites. The annual health check will take place at the annual booster vaccination.

15. If the applicable Lifetime Care Club animal passes away, the membership will automatically be cancelled, your account will be reviewed and, where applicable, you will be charged retrospectively the full price of any products and services received during the course of your membership, minus any membership fees received to date. No cancellation fee will apply.
16. Membership for each pet will renew automatically on the anniversary of the date that your pet's subscription began, unless your vet advises that there should be a change in your pet's treatment.
17. We will tell you in advance, in writing, if there is to be a change in membership fees on your renewal date. We will always give you at least 30 days' notice of any change in fees as a result of our annual review.
18. In between our annual fees review, your pet's monthly fees may also change as your pet's weight changes. A change in fees due to a change in weight will take effect as soon as is reasonably practical. This applies to both increases and decreases in weight.
19. Failed Direct Debit payments, e.g. because of a lack of available funds, cause a significant increase in administration costs for the practice. We reserve the right to charge an administration fee of £8.00 incl. VAT for each failed payment. This administration charge will be added to your account.
20. After a failed Direct Debit payment, we will re-present our payment request to your bank after 3-5 working days.
21. If the second payment request also fails, a second administration charge of £8.00 incl. VAT will be added to your account. We will make a third and final payment request to your bank after a further 3-5 working days. If this payment request is unsuccessful your subscription will be cancelled automatically and your pet will no longer receive the associated benefits or any discounts which have been applied. In addition, the membership cancellation fee will be charged at £12.00 incl. VAT.
22. If your subscription is cancelled automatically because of failed direct debits, your account will be reviewed and you will be charged the full price of any products or services received during the course of your subscription, minus any subscription payments received to date.

**23. Ending our agreement / cancelling your membership:**

- You may cancel your membership on your anniversary date (which is the anniversary of the date you joined) by giving us not less than 30 days' notice.
- If you cancel your membership before your anniversary date, we will review your account and, where applicable, charge you retrospectively the full price of any products and services received during the course of your membership, minus any membership fees received to date.

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- We may end our agreement by giving you written notice as outlined below.
24. Unpaid bills relating to your subscription fees or medicines dispensed will be handled in accordance with our standard terms and conditions (available on request) and may be referred to a third-party debt collection agency.
- 25. Notice:**
- With regard to this agreement, either party wishing to give notice to the other should do so in writing.
  - 'In writing' includes emails, letters sent by post, or delivered by hand.
  - When we write to you by post, we will use the address most recently provided.
26. If you wish to write to us, please use the email address [enquiries@seadownvets.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@seadownvets.co.uk) or send letters to Seadown Veterinary Services Ltd., Frost Lane, Hythe, Southampton, SO45 3NG. Should you ever have cause to complain about the service you receive, please follow the practice's normal complaints procedure (available on request).

#### **How we use your information**

27. Easy Direct Debits Limited and Seadown Veterinary Services Ltd. will hold and use your personal data (as defined by UK data protection laws) for the purpose of administering your subscription.
28. Both Seadown Veterinary Services Ltd. and Easy Direct Debits Ltd may record and monitor inbound and outbound telephone calls for training purposes. These calls may also be referred to in relation to any future queries.
29. We will take all reasonable precautions to ensure the security of your data. Your data will not be shared with anyone else unless there is a legal requirement for us to do so.
30. You have the right to see your personal data. If you have any queries about the data we hold, or how we use it, please write to either Seadown Veterinary Services Ltd., Frost Lane, Hythe, Southampton, SO45 3NG or Easy Direct Debits Limited, 99 Holdenhurst Road, Bournemouth BH8 8DY.

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