RABBIT RESOURCES

VETERINARY CARE

*We highly recommend that you have your rabbit examined by a veterinarian knowledgeable in rabbit medicine at least once a year.* Please refer to the Exotic Animal Veterinary Hospital List included with your homecare information or the Exotic Animal Vet Resources on our website. Not only will an annual exam help to prevent a number of medical problems, but you will have a medical staff familiar with your rabbit in case of an emergency.

OTHER RESOURCES:

In addition to any information your veterinarian might supply, please take a look at these resources for more information on the care of your bunny!

**www.veterinarypartner.com** – is an excellent website written by veterinarians and other knowledgeable individuals covering a variety of topics and species. There is an entire section devoted to the *health and care of small mammals*. Two important articles to read on diet are: Rabbit Care and Vegetables and Fruits for a Rabbit Diet. In addition to these are many other articles on various topics related to rabbits.

**www.rabbit.org** another excellent website of the National House Rabbit Society that contains many informative articles on a wide range of topics. Please refer to Suggested Vegetables and Fruits for a Rabbit Diet for detailed information on safe fruits and vegetables to feed your rabbit.

**https://bunniesunited.org** – our local House Rabbit Society Chapter which offers events such as spa days, Binkie Hours (where rabbits can socialize with each other under supervision) and other educational opportunities, such as the Rabbit Appropriate Fresh Foods.

Additional resources include:

**https://hoptoitrabbitrescue.org** – a non-profit dedicated to rescuing and rehabilitating abandoned rabbits. They also educate future adopters on the importance of proper care and needs for domesticated rabbits.

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http://www.reddoorshelter.org – a no-kill animal shelter for rabbits, cats and dogs. They have created the premiere rabbit rescue program for the Chicago area and are one of the few multi-species shelters that takes in rabbits.

https://www.hrscchicago.org – the website for our own Chicago House Rabbit Society! Many interesting articles and information on bunnies needing homes!

www.bunnytraining.com - great website by Barbara Heidenreich on how to train rabbits, including her instructional video via DVD or rental

www.howcast.com – a source of EXCELLENT Instructional videos on rabbit topics such as grooming, giving medications, handling, etc. Search RABBIT MARY COTTER and you will have 50 short professional videos on all rabbit topics at your fingertips!

www.clickerbunny.com – Excellent website with information on positive reinforcement training and handling of rabbits.

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