

General

What is pet insurance?

Pet health insurance is an insurance policy that covers the cost of veterinary care if your pet experiences an accident or illness.

What is a wellness plan?

A wellness plan provides reimbursement on expected, routine veterinary visits such as wellness exams, vaccinations, and flea and tick prevention. Veterinary costs are reimbursed based on a schedule of benefits.

My pet is already sick or injured. Can pet insurance help?

Pet insurance, as with all insurance, is for unexpected accidents and illnesses. Unfortunately pet insurance does not cover pre-existing conditions. However, getting coverage for your pet will cover most future accidents and illnesses should something happen.

Enrollment

When can I enroll my pet in Wishbone?

You may enroll your dog or cat starting at just 7 weeks old. Like children, young dogs and cats have the highest risk of accidents. And because their immune systems aren't mature, they're more susceptible to infectious diseases. Wishbone plans have no upper age limits, so senior dogs and cats get the same great coverage as kittens and puppies.

How do I enroll in Wishbone?

Visit www.wishboneinsurance.com to get a quote and enroll.

Which plan should I enroll in?

Wishbone offers you the option to enroll in accident and illness coverage, wellness coverage, or both. Select the coverage that works best for your pet(s).

Accident and illness coverage helps with unexpected veterinary costs. Pet families who want to be prepared for large vet bills in the event of an accident or illness typically select this coverage. Pre-existing conditions are not covered in accident and illness plans.

Wishbone's wellness plans are designed to save you money on expected and preventative care for your pet. Pet families who want to be reimbursed for providing their pet with complete preventative care choose this coverage.

Can I use my own veterinarian?

Yes. When your pet is insured with Wishbone, you can use any licensed veterinarian in the US, Canada, or any region under US government control, such as territories or military bases in foreign countries. Wishbone has no network, no schedule of benefits and no pre-authorization procedures. Wishbone wants your pet to receive the best care possible, which is why they also cover visits to specialists and emergency after-hours clinics.

Coverage

Is my pet covered if we're traveling?

Yes, all Wishbone policies include coverage at licensed veterinarians when traveling in the US, Canada, or any region under US government control, such as territories or military bases in foreign countries.

How long are my waiting periods?

A waiting period refers to the amount of time after your start date before coverage begins. Waiting periods vary by type of coverage, payment method, and state insurance regulations. For specific information on your waiting periods, get a quote, give us a call at (800) 887-5708, or refer to the Declarations Page of your policy. For all policyholders, routine care coverage has no waiting periods.

Do you use a benefit schedule?

A benefit schedule is a list that puts a limit on what each type of treatment can cost.

Wishbone's accident and illness plan does not use a benefit schedule. Instead, Wishbone reimburses you on your actual vet bill after the deductible, up to your plan's maximum benefit.

Wishbone's wellness plan does use a benefit schedule. Routine care costs will be reimbursed up to the plan's limit.

Will Wishbone cover my pet's dental needs?

Good dental care is vitally important to the overall health of your pet. Wishbone's accident and illness plan includes coverage for periodontal disease and other dental issues if proper preventative care as outlined in the policy document has been performed.

You can elect to enroll in a wellness plan that includes dental coverage to save on routine dental cleaning.

Claims

How do I file a claim?

The easiest and fastest way to file a claim is through your Wishbone member account. Once you login you can submit and view your claims, and sign up for direct deposit. Be sure to submit a completed claim form and supporting paid invoices within 180 days of the treatment date.

Additional benefits

AskVet



What is AskVet?

AskVet is 24/7 pet telehealth service included in your Wishbone policy that gives you direct access to a veterinarian via live chat.

How do I access AskVet?

Log in to your Wishbone account. In your account, you can chat with an AskVet Veterinarian.

Who are the veterinarians at AskVet?

AskVet veterinary telehealth specialists are US-based veterinarians trained to help you make the best decisions for your pet.

What can an AskVet veterinarian help me with?

AskVet offers 24/7 decision support on all of your pet care questions and concerns. While AskVet cannot provide a diagnosis or prescribe medication, they can help you decide the best course of action or learn more about managing your pet's existing condition.

ThePetTag



What is ThePetTag?

ThePetTag is a lost pet recovery service included in your Wishbone policy that provides your pets with a durable ID tag that's directly linked to your contact information

How does ThePetTag work?

Once your Wishbone policy is created, your pets are automatically enrolled in ThePetTag. It will take approximately two weeks for your pet's tag to arrive at your mailing address. Attach the tag to your pet's collar and if your pet ever goes missing, the finder can scan your pet's ID tag from their smart phone to access the contact information that you provided. You can add additional emergency pet contact

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