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## Small Animal Department



### BLOOD DONORING

*There are times, as with human medicine, that a patient requires a blood transfusion, caused by anything from acute blood loss following an accident or major surgery to diseases which cause the loss or destruction of red blood cells. In all cases receiving blood from a donor animal is critical in order to try and save the recipient animals' life.*

*If you have an animal which fits the following criteria and you would like them to help another animal by being on our donor list, please ask to speak to one of our nurses:*

- *Fit, healthy and fully vaccinated*
- *Dogs over 25kg and cats over 5kg*
- *Calm and patient (it can take up to 15 minutes to collect blood)*
- *Between one and six years old*
- *Not obese*
- *Have not been abroad*
- *Have not had a litter of puppies or kittens*
- *Good with needles!*
- *Happy to be called any time of the day or night*