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Mar-Main Pharmacy Compounding Medicine for Veterinary Patients

Mar-Main Pharmacy, a part of Memorial Health System, provides world-class pharmaceutical care to more than just human patients. For more than 20 years, Mar-Main pharmacists have worked with local veterinarians and their patients to provide customized medications to animals big and small.

Compounding broadens the prescribing options of local veterinarians, allowing them to offer customized dosage forms to meet each animal's specific needs. The goal is to enhance each veterinarian's ability to treat patients more efficiently and effectively.

These highly specialized medicines can help lessen an owner's risk for being scratched or bitten by their pet. The amount of medication can also be formulated to the specifications of each veterinarian, helping eliminate the need for the animal's owner to cut tablets or divide the contents of commercially prepared capsules.

"Mar-Main can offer solutions to many common veterinary medication issues," says Ann Ziegert, Manager of Mar-Main Pharmacy. "We can provide medications that are unavailable by manufacturers, or that aren't made in a dosage form or strength suitable for the animal. We can also provide specially flavored medications for improved acceptability, and medications in a dosage form that's easier to administer; or even a combination of several medications in one dose."

These customized compound medications can meet the unique needs of domestic and exotic pets, even zoo animals. Delivery and mailing options are also available to help ease the burden on busy veterinarians.

About Mar-Main Pharmacy

For more than 80 years, Mar-Main Pharmacy has provided one-of-a-kind pharmaceutical services to the medical community, local educators, and the community at large, particularly in the area of medicinal compounding. Mar-Main Pharmacy is located at 426 N. Michigan Street in downtown South Bend. For more information, please call a Mar-Main compounding pharmacist at 574-234-3184.