Prevention and control of the spread of diseases.

Disease Control

We take all reasonable precautions to prevent and control the spread of infectious diseases, pathogens and parasites among dogs in our care and people.

Action	Procedure
Safeguard against infection whilst at Plenty Paws by ensuring all attending dogs have appropriate immunisation.	We require sight of up-to-date vaccination or titre test records for all dogs in our care. Vaccinations must be licensed for UK use, and Titre tests must be done yearly; it may be requested to get tested early in some instances. A primary vaccination must have been carried out for the titre test to be accepted.
	Primary vaccination courses must be completed at least two weeks before attending.
	Immunisations are required against: - canine parvovirus - canine distemper - canine adenovirus - infectious canine hepatitis - leptospirosis
	Kennel cough (Bordetella bronchiseptica/ canine parainfluenza) is recommended but not required.
Safeguard against parasites by ensuring all dogs have been treated before attending.	We may ask for evidence that the dogs have been treated for internal and external parasites before attending Plenty Paws.
	If any parasites – fleas, ticks, lice - become evident, a second treatment may be required before the dog can attend.

Reduce infection risk by hygienically removing and storing all soiled bedding and excreta. Waste is collected and disposed of	treatment is successful. All soiled bedding, blankets, towels and toys, etcetera, will be removed and sanitised.
Naste is collected and disposed of	
correctly.	All waste is immediately removed and disposed of in designated labelled bins.