

## **EYE VET FIRST APPOINTMENT GUIDE**

Eye Vet welcomes you and your pet to Newport, Co Tipperary V94 X6W9. You have been referred to us by your general veterinary practitioner for your pet's ocular issue. We understand that you may be travelling some distance to see us. When possible, we try to do any surgical procedures that may be required on the same day. With scheduling this isn't always possible, but it is recommended that most patients will come fasting for this reason. A guide is to feed a normal meal the evening before, but not to offer any meal in the morning. They are always allowed access to water. Exceptions include patients with diabetes, young puppies or kittens, or small mammals such as rabbits. A small amount of soft food to give medication is acceptable, and it is recommended to give any prescribed medication on the morning of the appointment as usual. If you are unsure, please call our reception before the appointment and we can advise you.

The appointment time will take between 20-40 minutes depending on what testing is required. If your pet is undergoing a BVA eye test (for breeding purposes), then please arrive 20 minutes early for the placement of dilating eye drops. For eye testing appointments, you need to bring the original Kennel Club Registration document with you or the results will be withheld on the day and furnished when the original is sent to us along with a stamped self-addressed envelope.

It is helpful to bring any medication that your pet is receiving with you. Your vet should have sent us the clinical history. If you have arranged this appointment yourself, please ensure that they send us the history before the appointment.

Dogs must be brought with a suitable lead or harness, and cats must be brought in a secure cat carrier. If you think your dog will require a muzzle and you have one, please bring it with you. If your dog is on the <u>Restricted Breeds</u> list, we will require you to supply and fit a muzzle while on the clinic grounds and inside the clinic.

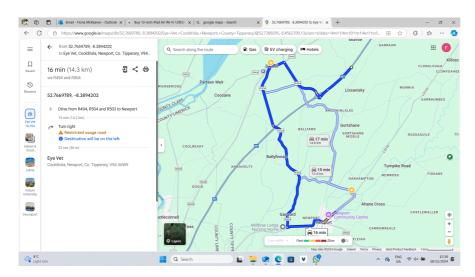
Eye Vet is located within a large premises owned by Mulcair Veterinary Clinic. There is a large car park with ample space to walk a dog prior to the appointment.





## From Dublin or Nenagh to Newport Directions:

When approaching Limerick (westbound) on the M7, the best exit to take is exit 27 for Birdhill. Most Sat-Nav will direct off at exit 26, but this is a narrow country road. Follow the road to Birdhill, turning left at the third roundabout, then turn left in the village for Newport opposite Matt the Threshers. Follow this road until the end, then turn left at a T-junction into the town of Newport. There is a crossroads in the centre of town, turn left and Mulcair Veterinary Clinic is 500m on the right.



## From Galway/Cork Directions:

When traveling down the M7 (eastbound) from the Galway or Cork direction, the best exit to take is Junction 28 for Newport. Take the third exit at the roundabout, and then follow this road to Newport (about 10km). There is a crossroads in the centre of the town, turn left and Mulcair Veterinary Clinic is 500m on the right.

