

## **FSVC Compounded Preparations Policy**

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Compounding is the creation of a pharmaceutical preparation—a drug—by a licensed pharmacist to meet the unique needs of an individual patient when a commercially available drug does not meet those needs. A compounded preparation is not approved by FDA and consequently, may be associated with greater risk. This preparation has not undergone rigorous testing for efficacy and stability that an approved veterinary drug product has gone through. The reasons for utilizing a compounded preparation outweigh the potential risks and other alternative treatment(s) and the probable consequences that may occur if the proposed medication is not administered. As such we may prescribe and dispense this compounded medication with the best intentions for your pet. Please contact us if have any concerns with regards to using a compounded preparation.