
CATS ILLUSTRATED

The COVID-19 virus has mutated, and is deadly for cats!



Over the past few days, there have been sick cats reported coming into hospitals with strange symptoms. Sudden urges to throw up, short and severe spells of breath shortage, and even uncontrollable diarrhea for older cats. After 10 cats came in with at least 1 or 2 of these symptoms, scientists took blood samples from all of the cats and they found that the COVID-19 virus had mutated so that it was more deadly for cats.

Image above - a sick cat resting in the hospital.

“I keep getting calls about cats wanting me to come in and check the behavior of the sick cats,” says North, a multi species behaviorist, “but I’ve also got to help get Harvey ready to surgically take out his stomach tumor and then wait until he is out of a coma until I feel comfortable going

somewhere else. Still, I'm worried about all of the sick cats, especially Rudy. She was one of the first to get infected, so she would be one of the first to need special care. Luckily, Judy is with her at all times, and for once, they aren't bickering."

A lot of cats are having a dilemma about whether to go and keep North company with Harvey, or to go and comfort Judy in the sick cats' ward. Juliet, Reposado, Coffee, Makenna, and Mavis went to Harvey's room. Stripy, Lunch, and Naya went to comfort Judy.

When the scientists knew for sure about what exactly the virus was, they tested out the regular COVID-19 vaccine on all of the 15 sick cats. 5 cats recovered, but the other 10, including Rudy, showed no change. With this average, the vaccine only at a 33% success rate. That wasn't enough. The scientists would run out of vaccines before all of the cats were vaccinated. And, they were already running low on vaccines as it was. So, Mavis went on another vaccine run and came back with 200 more doses for cats. 10 of the doses were going to be a test batch to see what kind of formula worked to cure the cats sick with the mutated COVID-19. Just this morning at 3:00, the scientists came up with a prototype vaccine. They administered the shot for one of the cats, and then took a short nap before checking the progress of the cat. And in the morning, the sick cat was fit to go home.

"I hope that Rudy gets the vaccine, before it's too late for any medicine!"

- JUDY, WHO'S CONCERNED ABOUT RUDY

After trying out the vaccine on all of the sick cats, the scientists found out that the new vaccine had a 90% success rate. However, Rudy got unlucky and still showed no change. She would have to wait to get another dose when more of the special vaccine were made.

However, she would be well cared for in her sick state.

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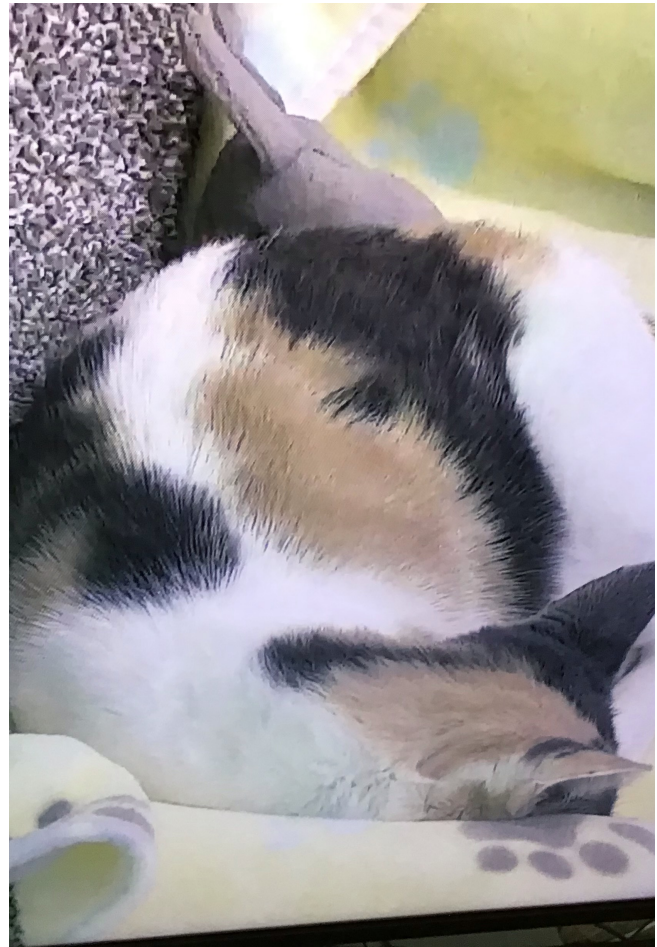


Image above - Rudy, sleeping in her hospital bed with some of her favorite toys and blankets.