

Public invited to meet new vet at The Cat Practice in Birmingham Jul. 11, 2014



Christina Larsen is a new veterinarian at The Cat Practice.

Feline veterinarian Christina Larsen, DVM, has joined The Cat Practice in Birmingham, Michigan's first cats-only veterinary hospital.

Larsen provides all aspects of feline care with a special interest in feline behavior and emotional well-being, gastrointestinal diseases and aging/geriatrics. She takes an individualized approach to feline care that includes recognizing breed-specific health issues, identifying cats at high risk for health concerns and helping cat families spot health issues early.

"A cat's family is more likely to spot changes in their cat if they know what to look for," Larsen says. "An important part of veterinary medicine is helping families recognize signs of pain, changes in eating habits and other behaviors."

The Cat Practice will host a meet and greet with Larsen from 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, July 19. All cat lovers are welcome.

Prior to joining The Cat Practice, Larsen externed at Memorial Cat Hospital in Houston and Alamo Feline Health Center in San Antonio.

She holds a doctor of veterinary medicine and master of science in veterinary science from Tuskegee University in Alabama and bachelor of science in agriculture and animal science from McNeese State University in Louisiana. Larsen is also certified in small animal CPR and is a member of the American Association of Feline Practitioners and American Veterinary Dental Society.

Larsen shares her home with three cats: Midnight, a Bombay; Charlie, an orange tabby; and Pickles, a Siamese, plus a Congo African grey parrot named Amy. When she is not caring for felines, Larsen enjoys designing and making unique kitty apparel.

The Cat Practice is located at 875 S. Worth Street. For information, go to <u>www.thecatpracticepc.com</u> or call 248-540-3390.

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