



PATIENT SUITABILITY CHECKLIST FOR CLINICAL CANINE MASSAGE

Conditions clinical canine massage can help with in 1-3 sessions

Soft tissue or muscular injury rehabilitation

Arthritis pain management

Intermittent lameness

Inconclusive X-rays or MRI scans

Hyperalgesia

Behavioural change due to pain - anxiety/depression/reactivity

Gait or postural issues

NSAID contraindication or intolerance

Improvements in range of motion

Luxating patella, particularly grades I & II

Subclinical signs of pain

Mobility support for neurological patients

Chronic pain patients

Sporting dog with subclinical performance issue

Fasciculations or exaggerated panniculus reflex

Dogs on crate rest or conservative management programs

Unwillingness to be petted/groomed/examined

Subclinical changes in activities of daily living

Post operative support e.g. TPLO

Difficulty going up/down stairs, or in/out of car, or on/off sofa

Contracture of limb after surgery/accident

Weight management due to inability to exercise

Emotional trauma/abuse cases

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