5 SIGNS YOU NEED TO TAKE YOUR CAT TO THE VET

1. WEIGHT CHANGES
   If you notice your cat has gained or lost weight, or is eating more or less, call your veterinarian. Just a few pounds can cause health issues and risks for your cat. Almost 60% of indoor cats are overweight or obese.

2. LITTER BOX CHANGES
   If you notice any changes in your cat’s behavior or in their elimination, be sure to call your veterinarian. Vocalizing, missing the litter box, jumping in/out quickly, and not digging at the litter could be signs of a medical issue.

3. BAD BREATH
   Periodontal disease is considered the most prevalent disease in cats 3 years of age and older. If your cat has painful teeth or gums, tartar, gingivitis, or if you’ve noticed a foul odor coming from her mouth, call your veterinarian.

4. SLEEP CHANGES
   Changes in your cat’s sleep schedule could indicate a medical issue. Behavior such as pacing and “talking” overnight, or sleeping more during the day, means you may need to call your veterinarian.

5. GOOGLING OFTEN
   Google can be helpful, but you shouldn’t rely on it for answers regarding your cat’s health. Whenever you notice a change with your cat, don’t assume there is a behavior problem. There may be a medical reason your cat is acting differently.

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