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Veterinary & Welfare. Operator Protection. Animal Capture & Rescue. Traps, Carriers & Restrainers



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# recognising the huge value and commitment to animal welfare



"Dogs Trust has worked alongside MDC Exports for many years recognising the huge value and commitment to animal welfare that the organisation holds at the heart of its business. Working in some of the less animal welfare friendly countries, MDC proves itself time and time again. When frontline staff and volunteers suggest modifications to equipment to enhance the welfare of street animals, MDC are there to ensure this receives priority. We are delighted to be associated with them."

**Clarissa Baldwin. Former CEO Dogs Trust** 



# Veterinary & Welfare

# **★** Smart Oxygen (Patent Pending)



A simple and effective way to provide oxygen or nebulising therapy, this is a cleverly designed PVC canopy which encloses an MDC cat basket and attaches to an oxygen source.

- Instant oxygen or nebulising therapy
- **Full patient visibility**
- Includes plastic coated basket with base tray

We are proud to announce exciting new developments to this 'must have' product. The Smart Oxygen is now available in two sizes; standard and (due to customer demand) a new large version. The PVC cover is now licensed as eco-friendly and we've added inlet and outlet scavenging ports with removable caps too.

Ideal for respiratory emergencies, pre and post GA oxygenation and nebulisation there is no need for restraint or masking and complete patient visibility may be maintained throughout the treatment.

No assembly required. Smart Oxygen includes plastic coasted basket, base tray, bulkhead fittings and bag containing tubing, nebuliser, connector and 5 Venturi.



### YOUR OPTIONS

Smart Oxygen - 46 cm x 29cm x 29cm A236-360 **A236-360LG** Smart Oxygen Large - 54cm x 38cm x 38cm



Assisting MDC with the testing of the new model was prominent critical care specialist Dr Marc Raffe DVM MS DACVAA DACVECC who said:

"The Smart Oxygen system is a practical and easy to use enclosure. When combined with the 'at a glance' ow rate guide , it provides life saving oxygen to all small animal patients."

# **Smart Collar™**

A comfortable, well tolerated Elizabethan collar designed to protect cats and dogs from self-trauma during their recovery period.

- **Well tolerated**
- Simple to fit
- **Translucent**

An effective barrier to licking at sutures or self-trauma of wounds, the lightweight Smart Collar is made of flexible (but robust) translucent plastic with neoprene trim on the outer and inner edges. This protects furniture and owners' legs whilst allowing the free movement of the patients' head and neck so that they can walk, eat, drink and sleep in comfort aiding a quick recovery.

Available in 6 sizes, the Smart Collar is a practical solution to avoid self-trauma in cats and dogs of all breeds.



### YOUR OPTIONS

A148-000 Size 0 cat - Smart Collar Neck 14cm-22cm / Length 8cm

A148-001 Size 1 small - Smart Collar Neck 18cm-24cm / Length 9cm

A148-002 Size 2 medium - Smart Collar Neck 23cm - 30cm / Length 11cm

A148-003 Size 3 large - Smart Collar

Neck 29cm-38cm / Length 16cm

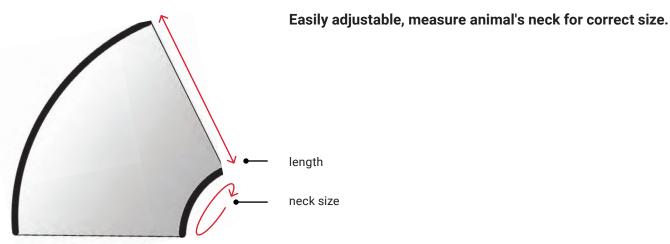
A148-004 Size 4 x-large - Smart Collar Neck 35cm-52cm / Length 20cm

A148-005 Size 5 xx-large - Smart Collar

Neck size 45cm - 64cm / Length 28cm



# How to get the right size - Smart Collar™ & SoftE Smart Collar™



Veterinary & Welfare



An Elizabethan collar designed for cats, dogs and small animals in soft but durable fabric. Unlike other collars, the SoftE absorbs noise making it very well tolerated.

- Effective barrier to self-trauma
- Washable
- ✓ Well tolerated

Made of padded fabric, our award winning SoftE Smart Collar provides an effective barrier to licking or pulling at sutures or self-trauma of wounds. The material is uncoated non-woven fabric, which is non-allergenic, non-toxic and water resistant. Ideal for use in practice, this collar doesn't bang or bash against kennels or cages. It absorbs noise and making it very well tolerated by ophthalmic, aural, nasal and other head sensitive patients aiding a quick recovery.

Also suitable for rabbits.

### YOUR OPTIONS

A148-020

A148-026

A146-U2U	Neck 24cm /Length 10cm
A148-022	Size 2 small - SoftE Collar Neck 31cm / Length 14cm
A148-023	Size 3 medium - SoftE Collar Neck 40cm / Length 16cm
A148-024	Size 4 large - SoftE Collar Neck 50cm / Length 20cm
A148-025	Size 5 x-large - SoftE Collar Neck 53 / Length 24cm

Size 1 v-small - SoftE Collar

# Winner of the Cat Friendly Award by Cat Care International!





Size 6 greyhound - SoftE Collar

# **Smart Dietary Alert Cat Collars**

Available as a single collar or in a packet of 10, these collars are printed with "Please do not feed me" and a medic alert symbol. Designed to help prevent the feeding of inappropriate foods to cats on prescription or special diets.

- **Prevents unwanted feeding**
- Safe quick release fastening
- **Comfortable soft fabric**

Adjustable, quick release cat collars in soft fabric in five colours (pink, blue, red, brown and black) in a pack of 10 or as a single. These collars are designed to improve the welfare of cats by helping to prevent obesity or the feeding of an inappropriate diet by someone other than the cat's owner. Perfect for CKD, DM and FLUTD cases or those cats that have food allergies, a collar can be dispensed with the diet and medication to help ensure that the patient is not fed potentially harmful meals by others.



### YOUR OPTIONS

A134-590 Pack of 10 Dietary Alert Cat Collar A134-590S Single Dietary Alert Cat Collar



### YOUR OPTIONS

A211-410 Pill Crusher Splitter

# Smart Pill Crusher Splitter™

A plastic container with features to store, cut and crush pills and tablets. Ideal for patients that will not swallow whole medications.

- Integral splitter, crusher and storage
- Hygienic and easy to clean
- Transparent central chamber

Our Pill Crusher Splitter comprises of a cup, pill crusher, storage lid and pill splitter blade. Under the pop out lid, pills can be stored if appropriate. As needed, pills are dropped into the clear plastic cup; the crusher is inserted and then screwed down firmly until the pills are crushed to a fine powder without loss or mess. In the base lid, a sharpe blade is housed. Place the pill in the channel and close the base lid to split the tablet as required.

# Smart Finger Toothbrushes™

This toothbrush tip fits over the index finger allowing gentle brushing and massage of animal's teeth and gums using precise pressure.

- Well accepted by puppies and dogs
- Reusable
- Allows gentle brushing and massage

A pack contains a pair of soft and pliable finger toothbrushes allowing the application of dental paste or gel to the animal's teeth and gums. Each toothbrush has two types of raised bristle giving options for cleaning, brushing or massage. Unlike other brushes, the dexterity and ability to modify pressure makes this product well accepted by puppies and dogs. A less intimidating way to promote good pet dental hygiene, the Finger Toothbrush is excellent for demonstration in dental clinics and puppy parties.

Reusable and easy to clean.



### YOUR OPTIONS

A172-004 Pair of Finger Toothbrushes



# Mini Finger Toothbrush Training Set

How do you get pups and kittens to accept toothbrushing? Start early with this new training set.

Designed with the aid of vets and behaviourists, the bristles are super soft to get youngsters enjoying toothbrushing without any stress.

- ✓ Soft & gentle bristles
- Safety loop for extra security
- Designed in association with vets & behaviourists

Tooth brushing is considered the 'gold standard' in pet dental hygiene and can be taught to your puppy or kitten from 8 weeks of age to prepare them for successful, lifelong oral care. Specifically designed with the advice of vets and behaviourists as a training aid, the bristles are super soft to get your pet accustomed to the concept of tooth brushing in a pleasurable way - preparing them for 'proper' brushing when their adult teeth have developed.

Please follow instructions carefully to ensure a positive outcome!



### YOUR OPTIONS

A172-007 Pair of Mini Finger Toothbrushes

# Smart Tick and Flea Comb™

A combined tick remover and flea comb in a compact design. Designed for use on multi species to identify parasite infestation and remove ticks.

- Idea for examination for fleas
- Safe means to remove ticks
- Easy to use

This patented product is the only combined tick and flea comb available for the effective removal of parasites from dogs, cats, rabbits and other animals. It has optimum fine tooth spacing to remove fleas, dirt and eggs while still allowing free movement through the coat. A specifically designed slot may be used to remove ticks in their entirety without leaving its mouthpiece imbedded.

Also available in a dispensing box (20 combs), this product is idea for waiting room sales encouraging your clients to regularly check their pets for parasites.



### YOUR OPTIONS

A172-003 Single Tick & Flea Comb A172-005 Display box 20 Single Tick & Flea Combs



### YOUR OPTIONS

A172-002 Single Flea Comb

# Flea Comb

A flea comb in a compact design. Suitable for use on multispecies to identify parasite infestation and remove fleas, mites, lice and eggs.

- Idea for examination for parasites
- Stainless steel teeth
- Easy to use

Designed for the effective removal of parasites from dogs, cats, rabbits, guinea pigs and other animals, this comb is comfortable to hold, gentle on the animal and ideal for demonstrating parasite infestations in the consulting room. It has optimum fine stainless steel tooth spacing to remove fleas, mites, lice, dirt and eggs while still allowing free movement through the animal's coat.

For animals that cannot tolerate fipronil or permethrin, this flea comb is often the best method of treatment especially in small animals such as rabbits.

# Smart Dog Parking Facility™

A lead restraining hook and mounting plate, which may be securely attached to any suitable surface. A simple way to tether a dog.

- Secure means to tether a dog
- Simple to fit and use
- Maintenance free

Ideal for surgeries, kennels or groomers, our Dog Parking can be easily fitted in waiting rooms, wards and exercise runs. In the reception a Dog Park allows owners to tether dogs safely while dealing with payments or enquiries. Each unit is supplied with screws, wall plugs and fitting instructions. The Dog Parking Facility should not be used unattended in public areas. Apart from the risk of theft, there is the possibility that someone might frighten or untie the dog resulting in an accident.

Dimensions: width 11cm x height 13cm.



### YOUR OPTIONS

A172-398 Dog Parking Facility



### YOUR OPTIONS

A102-124 size 1 - Baskerville Ultra Muzzle: Border Terrier, Jack Russell Terrier

A102-125 size 2 - Baskerville Ultra Muzzle: Cocker Spaniel, Beagle

A102-126 size 3 - Baskerville Ultra Muzzle: Collie, Staffordshire Bull Terrier

A102-127 size 4 - Baskerville Ultra Muzzle: Pointer, Pit Bull

A102-128 size 5 - Baskerville Ultra Muzzle: Labrador, German Shepherd

A102-129 size 6 - Baskerville Ultra Muzzle: Great Dane, Rottweiler

# Baskerville Ultra Muzzle™

Designed by MDC's Melvyn Driver and Dr Roger Mugford (one of Britain's top animal behaviourists), this muzzle helps to protect against bites whilst at the same time remains comfortable for the dog.

- Extremely secure
- ✓ Maximum protection
- ✓ Comfortable design

Ergonomically designed, safety strapping ensures this muzzle will always remain in place and features two additional points of secure attachment.

A metal buckle with pre-holed webbing makes this muzzle easily adjustable and quick to fit. The addition of neoprene padding to the inside of the webbing straps means the muzzle is snug and comfortable for the dog to wear.

As welfare is always paramount with our product design, a dog can pant, drink and be given treats to reward a more placid attitude to life.

# Smart Professional Safety Muzzles

Especially designed for use in veterinary practices, these muzzles are perfect for use when administering injections or nasal kennel cough vaccines.

- Can be autoclaved or disinfected
- Soft durable moulded plastic
- Ideal for prep or consults

Available in three handy sizes, the professional safety muzzle includes an adjustable head strap and will fit most sizes and breeds of dog (including short nosed breeds). The ideal set to keep in the consulting, prep room or wards and used if you are unsure of a dog's reaction to injection, temperature taking or other procedure.

Holes at the mouthpiece allow access for kennel cough vaccination or syringe administration of oral medicines.

This product can be disinfected or autoclaved and remains safe and sturdy.



### YOUR OPTIONS

A102-120 small professional safety muzzle

A102-121 large professional safety muzzle

A102-122 short nose dog professional safety muzzle

**A102-123** set of all 3 professional safety muzzles (small, short nose & large)

# Smart Eco Bag Dispenser™

The Green Way to Clean™, this sturdy plastic dispenser can be wall mounted so that your biodegradable Eco Bags are always to hand.

- Holds 50 bio-degradable Eco Bags
- **Weather resistant**
- Perfect for use in car parks and waiting rooms

Designed for use in the veterinary practice, groomers, training clubs or kennels, simply fix the Eco Bag Dispenser unit to a suitable wall in a convenient location - indoors or outside. This can be done by screw fix or by using the adhesive pad supplied. A roll of 50 biodegradable Eco Bags is included within the unit.

Each Eco Bag Dispenser unit is supplied complete with screws, washers, wall plugs and fixing template for external use or super strength adhesive stickers for interior application.



### YOUR OPTIONS

A141-601 Eco Bag Dispenser



### **YOUR OPTIONS**

A141-602 Roll of 50 Eco Bags A141-603 Pack of 4 Rolls (200 Eco Bags)

# Smart Eco Bags™

Rolls of 50 biodegradable bags for a hygienic means of picking up animal waste ready for disposal.

- **Environmentally friendly**
- Fits perfectly into the Eco Bag Dispenser
- Ideal for use in car parks and waiting rooms

Generous in size (40cm x 21.5cm), these poo bags will cater for all breeds of dogs and extra long handles allow easy tying and hygienic carrying to a disposal point. Replacement bags are available in refill packs of 50.

Replenishing the Eco Bag Dispenser (A141-601) with replacement bags is simple. Slide open the fastenings, lift the lid and insert the roll of bags. Designed for use in the veterinary practice, groomers, training clubs or kennels, our bags meet ISO international standards for biodegradability.

# Smart Arms Length™ Pooper Scooper

Ideal for cleaning up after dogs, this pooper scooper is designed so that there is no need to bend down to pick up animal waste.

- **Lightweight but sturdy**
- **Telescopic poles**
- Easy clean and storage

Ideal for use in veterinary practices, kennels, boarding or grooming parlours. This poop scoop is made up of two hand-held pieces suitable for all sorts of surfaces. The moulded plastic is hard wearing and won't rust or rot. Unique to the Arms Length, integrated telescopic pole handles mean that this pooper scooper can be set to your height. Packaged in a presentation display card, this product is also great for waiting room sales.

Dimensions: length 122cm x width 60cm. Weight 3kg.



A141-600 Arms Length Pooper Scooper



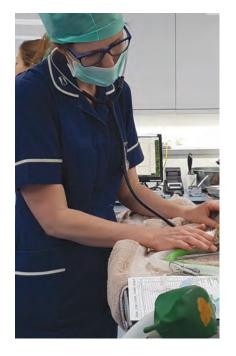
# **IV Catheter Guard**

A new and unique product, the Smart IV Catheter Guard is a tough but lightweight flexible plastic shield designed to cover the site of intravenous catheters in dogs.

- Helps keep IV catheter sites safe
- Reduces the need for bandaging
- Simple to use

The MDC Smart IV Catheter Guard is a non-adhesive secondary securement device that holds an IV catheter and tubing in place for medium, large and extra large breed dogs. The flexible PVC shield holds intravenous tubing in place on the patient's leg - reducing the volume of bandaging required. Because the Smart IV Catheter Guard is non-adhesive, it will not stick to the skin.

Perforations in the PVC allow ventilation and secure loops may be used to reduce the chance of catheter dislodgement and painful IV restarts. Exclusive to the MDC Smart IV Catheter Guard, a neoprene trim is stitched to the exterior edging improving comfort to the patient and is extremely well tolerated. Simply loosen the velcro straps and place the guard centrally over the catheter site. Wrap straps around the limb and fasten.



# **66** They're working a treat!

We are using them for our i/v access during GA's at the moment, which we do for bitch spays in case emergency access is required. They are very handy and we use only tape before applying the guard so definitely reducing the bandage material".

### **Gillian Rich RVN**

Head Nurse - Mayhew Animal Home

### YOUR OPTIONS

**A211-211** medium IV Catheter Guard **A211-212** large IV Catheter Guard **A211-213** x-large IV Catheter Guard

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# **Animal ID Bands**

A comfortable, temporary, soft band collar designed for writing patient identity or clinical details during an animal's hospital, boarding or rescue centre stay.

- Won't stretch or tear
- **Self-adhesive fastening**
- Perfect for use on litters or hospital admittances

An essential item for establishments that provide care for animals, these ID collars (in a pack of 500) are a simple and effective way to ensure that each animal is clearly identifiable. Perfect for use on neonates to ensure accurate monitoring of weight, temperatures, treatments etc. An excellent safeguard in case of patient escape, the Animal ID Band acts as a temporary tag and should be fitted immediately onto animals during the admittance process.

Do not flush ID bands down drains; they will block!



### YOUR OPTIONS

A271-601 Pack of 500 Animal ID Bands



### **YOUR OPTIONS**

A211-109 Pack of 5 Niplock Quick Release **Tourniquets** 

# Smart Niplok Quick Release Tourniquet™

A neat plastic and strong elastic cord tourniquet perfect for raising veins in dogs, cats and small animals. The quick release mechanism allows single handed use.

- **Durable construction**
- Can be used single-handed
- **Water resistant**

Designed specifically so that veterinary professionals may raise a vein on their own in an emergency or as a lone worker during a home visit. Placement of the Niplok will increase the size of a vein making it easier to find and reduce the occurrence of repeat attempts. Replacing rubber bands and haemostats, the small, handy Niplock fits in scrub pockets, uniform or crash cart.

Available in packs of 5, the Niplok tourniquet makes a great gift for newly graduated vets or nurses!

# Canine Cruiser™

Designed for veterinary and wildlife professionals, the Canine Cruiser is an animal stretcher to aid the transportation of injured, sedated or deceased patients.

- Strong (but light) stainless steel frame
- Wheels for trolley mobility
- **Easy clean PVC fabric**

Our Cruiser can be used single handed by using the handles at the top and multi-terrain wheels located at the base. Easy to clean, the PVC fabric is durable, stain and bacteria resistant and virtually indestructible. Velcro fastenings are positioned along the length of the stretcher so that animals of all shapes and sizes can be securely transported. Its lightweight frame makes this the perfect gurney for use in the ambulance, for RTAs or for home visits / PTS.

Dimensions: length 122cm x width 60cm Weight 5kg.



### YOUR OPTIONS

A211-497 Canine Cruiser





### YOUR OPTIONS

A211-499 Pet Porter

# Smart Pet Porter™

A dual-purpose stretcher and cadaver bag for dogs. Ideal for home visits to aid the transportation of immobile or deceased patients with dignity.

- **Washable**
- Fluid resistant
- Strong padded quilting

Constructed from soft but sturdy (150 denier oxford) padded fabric - this is the same lightweight material used to make tents and was specifically chosen for its tough, fluid and tear resistant properties.

With the appearance of a soft guilted blanket and no loud colouring or logos, the Pet Porter helps to maintain dignity and professionalism in what can otherwise be a very difficult situation. Giving the impression of a fabric stretcher, the Pet Porter incorporates a large U-shaped zipper allowing access to 180 litres of carrying capacity enabling the safe transportation of dogs weighing up to 80 kg.

Corner handles make the Pet Porter easy to lift and carry, it's dual functionality makes it the ideal piece of equipment to take on home visits for the transportation of either frail, immobile or deceased dogs. It can be repeatedly machine washed and folds flat for storage.

# 8 out of 10

vet professionals said the worst thing about home visit euthanasia is the

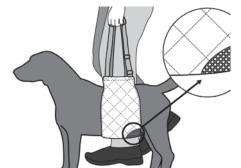
# bagging up

Maintain dignity and professionalism with the Smart Pet Porter: 2-in-1 stretcher & cadavar bag.

# Smart Mobility Sling™

A simple way to lift and support the hindquarters of an infirm or immobile dog to aid mobility. Soft padding (and mesh gusset) help to keep the patient comfortable.

- Very well tolerated
- Unique mesh gusset
- **Washable**



A soft, padded sling designed to fit around the dog's abdomen allowing support to aid mobility. Incorporating a unique mesh 'gusset' our sling allows you to gently lift the dog's hind limbs without applying undue pressure to their genitalia. Especially beneficial to dogs that may suffer from urinary issues, incontinence or are recovering from abdominal surgery.

A combination of exceptional strength and comfort, the soft padded lining provides the necessary support whilst the nylon webbing straps add security. These straps can be adjusted to accommodate breeds of varying heights weighing up to 60kg in weight. One size fits most! Neoprene handles are kind on the hands and slide to the perfect position for individual users.

Made with 150 denier padded fabric that is soft, yet tough and durable the Smart Mobility Sling can be repeatedly machine washed and folds flat for storage. Very affordable, this is a great product to use in practice and to retail to clients.



### YOUR OPTIONS

A211-496 Mobility Sling



# **Operator Protection**

MDC animal protection gloves are designed to be as protective as possible but, as with all gloves, will have certain limitations. MDC gloves must be used intelligently, cautiously, and with the assumption that injuries caused by animals may occur while using them.

Each MDC animal protection glove is made for specific purposes with known trade-offs such as greater dexterity for decreased protection or reduced dexterity for increased protection. In general, thinner gloves provide decreased penetration protection as well as decreasing crushing protection. The materials used also influence the amount of protection provided. Be sure you understand the limitations of your gloves before purchasing them.

Our commitment is to provide our customers with the best equipment we can to assist you in doing the safest job possible in your work with animals, but we cannot guarantee 100% protection in the wide variety of situations you encounter.

# Bitemaster™ Workaday Gloves

Designed for maximum dexterity and feel, this pair of comfortable leather gloves provide protection from penetration by teeth, talons and claws.

- High protection
- Spectra lining
- Maximum dexterity

Our Workaday Gloves are a police field glove strengthened for animal handling. Designed for day-in, day-out wear, this model offers high protection against penetration from most bites and scratches thanks to their top grain leather construction with full Spectra lining. We've not found a more comfortable glove that offers this level of safety.

A popular glove for those who deal with animals in public, smart in appearance, this glove provides excellent general purpose safety and is available in five sizes.



### YOUR OPTIONS

A112-353 small - Women's Workaday Gloves A112-354 medium - Women's Workaday Gloves A112-355 large - Men's Workaday Gloves A112-356 x-large - Men's Workaday Gloves



### YOUR OPTIONS

**A112-362** Women's Safety Sleeves **A112-363** Men's Safety Sleeves

# Bitemaster™ Safety Sleeves

Designed for use on its own or in conjunction with the MDC Workaday Gloves, this pair of protection sleeves provides a barrier to the wrist and lower arm.

- ✓ Cowhide lined with Kevlar and Spectra
- High resistance to cutting and penetration
- Wrist and arm protection

Using the sleeves on their own allows total freedom for hands to handle the animal without any restriction whilst the wrist and lower arm is protected from kicking and scratching during the restraining of rabbits, cats, wildlife and exotics (such as large lizards).

Our sleeves may also be used in conjunction with the MDC Workaday Glove as the sleeve slides over the glove and is fastened in place with the Velcro strips thereby giving protection from the fingers up to the elbow.

# Bitemaster™ Everyday Gloves

Perfect for day-in, day-out wear, this pair of gloves offers unusually high protection against penetration from bites and scratches.

- **Maximum dexterity**
- **Lined with Kevlar felt**
- **High protection against penetration**

A slightly heavier gauge to our Workaday model, this glove is made with the finest quality cowhide lined with Kevlar felt. Kevlar is a synthetic 'super' fibre of high tensile strength well known for its cut resistant qualities. Covering and protecting the hands from the wrist to the fingers, the Everday gloves allow good grip whilst still providing protection. Features high abrasion and cut resistance and meets the requirements of EN388 Level.

A firm favourite with dog wardens, rescue workers and the veterinary sector, this glove is often included as standard as staff Personal Protective Equipment.



### YOUR OPTIONS

A112-364XS extra small - Women's Everyday Gloves A112-364 small - Women's Everyday Gloves A112-365 medium - Women's Everyday Gloves A112-366 large - Men's Everyday Gloves A112-367 x-large - Men's Everyday Gloves A112-368 xx-large - Men's Everyday Gloves



### YOUR OPTIONS

A112-357 medium - Women's Ultra Gloves A112-358 large - Men's Ultra Gloves A112-359 x-large - Men's Ultra Gloves

# Bitemaster™ Ultra Gloves

Protection of hand and lower arm this pair of gauntlets includes a padded layer extending over the back of the hand for further safetv.

- Bite shield over hand
- **Maximum dexterity**
- Trauma plate gauntlet for crushing protection

An ideal combination providing dexterity, penetration resistance and crushing protection. These gloves include a Spectra lined hand area for maximum penetration protection whilst maintaining the dexterity of a driving glove. The gauntlet is extremely well padded and features hidden trauma plates to spread the strongest bite forces over a wide area. A padded shield extending over the back of the hand protects the fingers from crushing and bites but does not interfere with dexterity or gripping.

Perfect for those working with dogs, cats, wildlife and exotics.

# **MX Crushing Protection Gloves**

Heavily padded, these elk skin gloves provide excellent protection against bites, scratches and penetration.

- Soft and supple elk hide
- Long lasting
- **Protects against crushing bites**

Ideal for handling large dogs, raptors and wildlife, these gloves are made of soft and supple elk hide. Elk leather is renowned for its strength, which is much stronger than cowhide and wears more slowly. With the ability to stand up to cold weather, water, and plenty of wear, these gloves include a removable top grain padded outer layer, reinforced layer on the thumb and heavily padded inner layer and sleeve. This layering provides excellent protection against crushing bites, yet still allows good dexterity.



### YOUR OPTIONS

A112-342 Women's MX Crushing Protection Gloves A112-343 Men's MX Crushing Protection Gloves

"Thank you so much for the muzzles and rabies aloves received!!! The photo shows Javid & Suleiman and one of the Municipality dog catching team working in a tyre yard in Kabul (Afghanistan). The dogs were all hiding inside the towers of tyres – very hard to get to! Your Rabies Gloves have come in very handy. There are rabies deaths presently in Kabul so thank you for helping the team to be safe!

Caroline Yates. CEO Mayhew/Mayhew International





### YOUR OPTIONS

A112-344 Men's Rabies Gloves A112-345 Women's Rabies Gloves

# **Rabies Gloves**

Designed for maximum dexterity and feel, this comfortable pair of gloves provide protection to the hand and fingers from penetration by teeth, talons and claws.

customer favourite!

- Elk hide lined with Kevlar felt
- Cut resistant and fireproof
- ✓ High protection against penetration

Our Rabies Glove design has been upgraded and improved over time to meet the needs of the professionals who use this glove. It is now manufactured using Kevlar felt by DuPont giving much greater protection to the operator without sacrificing dexterity. The Rabies Glove has a sturdy 12" cuff which has a strong lining to prevent any crushing of the arm. MDC gloves must be used intelligently, cautiously and with the assumption that injuries caused by animals may occur.

# Bitemaster™ Animal Handling Gauntlets

A pair of gauntlets offering high penetration resistance without compromise on comfort or dexterity. An essential item for all small animal, exotic and wildlife workers.

- ✓ Elk hide lined with Kevlar felt by DuPont
- Cut resistant and fireproof
- High protection against penetration

This glove hand is made from supple elk hide protecting the fingers and hand whilst the 35cm arms length cuff is constructed of durable cowhide fully lined with Kevlar felt and covers the forearm. Kevlar is a synthetic 'super' fibre of high tensile strength well known for its cut resistant qualities.

Suitable for handling cats, exotics, birds, wildlife and other scratching animals, these gloves are designed to be as protective as possible but (as with all gloves), will have certain limitations.



### YOUR OPTIONS

**A112-346** Women's Bitemaster Gauntlets **A112-348** Men's Bitemaster Gauntlets

# **Operator Protection Helmet**

A helmet with internationally proven standards of performance for impact and penetration protection for head, eye, face, mouth and neck.

- Range of shell sizes
- **Optimal comfort**
- **High impact resistant**

The Argus Operator Protection Helmet is used internationally by dog control officers, wardens and police and others who may require this level of defence against dangerous animals. Offering optimum protection with excellent comfort, the shell is made of high impact resistant ABS thermoplastic and includes an energy absorbing expanded polystyrene liner, removable cheek pads, adjustable chin strap and replaceable neck guard. The retractable visor is 2mm polycarbonate, high impact resistant and includes an anti-scratch coating.

Available in 7 sizes, please phone for guidance on measurements.



### YOUR OPTIONS

A201-514 Operator Protection Helmet



### YOUR OPTIONS

A201-510 Operator Protection Shield

# **Operator Protection Shield**

Incorporating the latest high performance materials and technology, this shield enables the fending off of dangerous animals whilst providing body protection.

- **Body protection**
- **Lightweight but robust**
- Unbreakable polycarbonate

This 4mm transparent polycarbonate shield is manoeuvrable, lightweight and ergonomically designed to allow maximum protection for operators. The polycarbonate is unbreakable and will give years of service. This product has been thoroughly tested by two experienced dog wardens to its maximum and we're advised it is best used when there are two operators; one to hold the dog at bay with the shield and the other to use the MDC dog grasper to gain control.

Dimensions: 90cm height x 60cm Width.





A thank you from WVS Mission Rabies

We would like to say a huge thank you to MDC Exports for their kind donation of Rabies Gloves, Quick Release Grasper and Snappy Snare to our Goa project. We strive to use the minimum level of restraint possible when handling the dogs we treat and care for, however there are times when these valuable tools are needed to ensure the safety and welfare of the animal and staff. Thank you MDC Exports for supporting our mission to make Goa rabies-free and improve the lives of dogs and people!



# **Warrior Attack Protection Suit**

A full protection attack suit designed for the ultimate in personal protection against aggressive dogs or for service dog training.

- Full body protection
- Average 6 kg only
- Adjustable bib

Manufactured to the very highest of standards, this suit is the ultimate in personal protection incorporating Kevlar and Cordura to achieve this. Strong and weighing only 6kg for the standard size, the jacket closes securely with internal metal clips and Velcro, protecting the dogs grip (teeth) as well as the operator.

We expect you to be fully satisfied with your purchase and ask you to note, this product is non returnable.

### YOUR OPTIONS

**A201-502** Jacket size 48 **A201-502A** Pants size 48

**A201-503** Jacket size 50 **A201-503A** Pants size 50

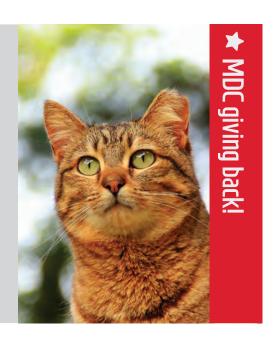
**A201-504** Jacket size 52 **A201-504A** Pants size 52

**A201-505** Jacket size 54 **A201-505A** Pants size 54



SNIP International acknowledges with thanks the very generous sponsorship of MDC. For many years SNIP International has worked along side MDC delivering a programme of donating equipment for the humane control of stray feral dogs and cats to animal welfare societies all over the world. This scheme is carried out annually at the International

Companion Animal Welfare Conference. Thousands of pounds worth of equipment has been awarded to worthy recipients. The focus is on humane control and care via TNR where animals may be trapped, examined, neutered (and vaccinated as appropriate) and returned to a site. This helps to reduce illness and population. With good guardianship, many misconceptions about feral and stray animals can be disproved and much better public engagement is made through these managed colonies.





# Animal Capture & Rescue

# Quick Release Dog Grasper™

A slip noose cable attached to a sturdy pole for animal handling professionals to safely retract, restrain and control animals by tightening over an animal's head and neck.

- Available in four lengths
- Instant release
- ✓ Replacement cable available

Our grasper has proved to be an effective way to catch stray, trapped or hostile dogs safely and humanely. In these situations, the dog can be seized and restrained from a safe distance. Having placed the plastic coated loop around the dog's neck, the operator can pull the cable to tighten the grasper to sufficiently restrain; it will then instantly lock. The dog may then be held securely. The quick release mechanism can be operated by pulling the ring instantly releasing the dog into a safe environment.



### YOUR OPTIONS

A106-307-24 61cm Quick Release Dog Grasper A111-309-24 Replacement cable

A108-307-36 91cm Quick Release Dog Grasper

A111-309-36 Replacement cable

A110-307-48 122cm Quick Release Dog Grasper

A111-309-48 Replacement cable

A109-307-60 152 cm Quick Release Dog Grasper

A111-309-60 Replacement cable



### YOUR OPTIONS

**A107-300** 110cm manual Heavy Duty Dog Pole **A107-301** 110cm replacement cable

**A107-302** 110cm locking Heavy Duty Dog Pole **A107-304** 150cm manual Heavy Duty Dog Pole

A107-305 150 replacement cable

A107-306 150cm locking Heavy Duty Dog Pole

# Heavy Duty Dog Pole™

A slip noose lanyard attached to a sturdy pole for animal handling professionals to safely retract, restrain and control dogs by tightening over the animal's head and neck.

- Replacement lanyards available
- Quick release
- Long and extra long poles available

Based on the proven MDC grasper design, our heavy duty dog pole is ideal for dealing with known dangerous dogs. The handle is made of 32mm diameter high-grade aluminium tube, whilst the cable has been tested to 350kg (750lb) loading. Once the dog is secure, the cable can be instantly released by means of a spring-loaded latch releasing the dog into a safe environment.

Now available in two versions: Locking or Manual.

**Locking:** The cable can be held in place by the MDC, patented locking device and can be instantly released by means of a spring-loaded latch releasing the dog into a safe environment.

**Manual:** The cable can be held in place by means of a 4 position cleat allowing the cable to be adjusted easily.





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# Ketch-All Pole™

A slip noose cable attached to a sturdy pole for animal handling professionals to safely retract, restrain and control animals by gently tightening the noose over the animal's neck.

- **Aluminium or stainless steel poles**
- Available in two sizes
- Swivel head

Designed by the US Ketch-All Company and used by animal control professionals and animal handlers throughout the world, this is a key piece of equipment designed specifically for controlling the animal's head and neck (not for lifting). Features include swivel head, automatic locking mechanism, non-slip rubber grips and a vinyl coated noose.

Also available in Stainless Steel for a superb balance feel - well worth the additional cost.



### YOUR OPTIONS

A112-307-4 122cm Ketch-All Pole

A111-309-4 Replacement cable

A112-307-5 152cm Ketch-All Pole

A111-309-5 Replacement cable

A112-308-4 Stainless Steel Ketch-All Pole 122cm

A112-308-5 Stainless Steel Ketch-All Pole 152cm



### YOUR OPTIONS

A199-450 Y Pole

### Y Pole™

A 'Y' shaped fitting attached to a pole designed to assist with the handling of nervous dogs.

- **Extension of the hand**
- **Builds trust and tolerance**
- Lightweight

Ideal when working with difficult or nervous dogs, the Y Pole may be used as a safe extension of the hand and gently placed across the dog's neck to restrain for treatment or alternatively, used to place a slip lead over a nervous or 'mouthy' dog. The Y pole is intended for situations where the dog is already caught, cornered or penned. The pole is sold ready to assemble and supplied with the strong aluminium tubing pole, foam rubber and gaffer tape.

# Nimrod™ Animal Catcher

The Nimrod is essentially a 'snap-action' animal catcher, designed in the first instance for capturing stray dogs.

- **Quick action**
- **Flexible**
- **High quality**

Our Nimrod consists of a 1200mm (48in) flexible handle made from polycarbonate rod. The plastic covered, braided cable attaches securely to one end, with a wrist loop at the other. In action, the handle is 'bowed' and the end loop is held under tension by the operator's thumb. Once over the animal's head, the cable is released and automatically forms a collar around the animal's neck.

The Nimrod is particularly effective in catching smaller animals on the run.



### YOUR OPTIONS

A199-427 Nimrod Animal Catcher



### YOUR OPTIONS

**A199-419** 76cm Snappy Snare **A199-420** 125cm Snappy Snare **A199-421** 165cm Snappy Snare

# Snappy Snare™

A 'snap-action' animal catcher, designed for safely capturing or retracting elusive or frightened animals.

- ✓ Available in three lengths
- Lightweight
- Quick action

Intended for use on small animals, our hand held snare is an excellent piece of kit for animal handling professionals to capture or retract animals from confined or difficult to access areas. In practice, the noose is pulled back and held with the operator's thumb. Releasing pressure frees the noose, which tightens instantly and safely around the animal's neck providing temporary restraint.

The inner core of Snappy Snare is breakable so this product is recommended for non-aggressive animals only.

### **Cat Grabber**

A lightweight but robust grabber with strong 'jaws' and a stainless steel shaft to enable the safe retraction, restraint and control of an animal by gripping gently around the neck.

- Light and easy to use
- Spring loaded
- Plastic covered jaws to minimise discomfort

Perfect for capturing and controlling cats and other small animals, our grabber is widely used in rescue situations where the animal is in a confined space or out of normal reach. Particularly useful for dealing with feral cats, the grabber eliminates any need for manual contact and reduces the risk of injuries to both cat and operator.

The cat grabber comprises a 760mm (30in) aluminium handle, shaped at one end to form a fixed jaw (plastic coated) which matches a spring-loaded cable handle at the operator's end.



### YOUR OPTIONS

A180-305 Cat Grabber



### YOUR OPTIONS

A180-306 Cat Catcher

# **Cat Catcher**

Designed to be used where an animal is trapped, in a confined space or out of normal reach, the 'jaw' on this version is made of molded plastic.

- Crafted from aluminium and moulded plastic
- Essential kit for cat handling professionals
- Rotating jaws

Although called the Cat Catcher, this model has been built to handle most jobs from reptiles to birds. The 'jaw' is covered in a soft flange and an interior surface of flexi grips. This distributes holding pressure over a larger area to help prevent any trauma and minimise discomfort to the animal during temporary restraint. For greater manoeuvrability, the jaws can also be rotated and locked into a horizontal or vertical position.

Handle length 940mm (37in) aluminium with a spring loaded cable handle.

# Hoop Net™

A circular frame and attached netting designed for use by animal capture and handling professionals.

- **Tangle free netting**
- Lightweight
- **Easy store**

Our strong netting is stitched securely onto a large diameter (1120mm) circular frame. The hoop frame is lightweight aluminium tubing (25mm) and forms the opening of a 1.5 metre deep netting bag.

Particularly useful to safely capture animals on the move, once caught, the animal can be isolated within the net, frame lifted so that the animal remains secure in the base of the netting bag for treatment or safe transfer.

The hoop net folds in half for easy storage. Weight 2.1kg (approx).



### **YOUR OPTIONS**

A174-393 Hoop Net



### YOUR OPTIONS

A174-323 Walk Toward Net

# Walk Toward Net™

A high quality nylon net with support poles at each end designed for safely capturing elusive, injured or entangled animals.

- **High quality mesh**
- **Durable**
- **Washable**

Designed for capturing, holding or confining animals in open areas such as fields or gardens. In action, the net is held, stretched taut, between two people to form a barrier (rather like a tennis net) and then walked towards the animal to effect capture.

With strong support poles at each end, fully extended, the net measures 4.5 metres (15ft) with a height of 1.3 metres (4ft 6in). It weighs 2kg.

The net may be cleaned by steeping in your disinfectant of choice, rinsed and air-dried.

# Throw Net

A high quality nylon throw net with weighted perimeters designed for safely capturing elusive or frightened animals.

- **High quality hexamesh**
- **Durable**
- **Washable**

The throw net, as the name suggests, is cast towards the target animal and can be a simple but effective means for capturing birds, wildlife, dogs, cats and small animals. Throw nets are a great alternative to snares and graspers when the ability to get close to an animal is difficult.

The net consists of a 2.4 x 2.4m (8ft x 8ft) hexamesh net which has a leadweighted rim cord to facilitate casting. It weighs approximately 1.1kg (2.4lb).

The net may be cleaned by steeping in your disinfectant of choice, rinsed and air-dried.



### YOUR OPTIONS

A174-324 Throw Net



### YOUR OPTIONS

A174-311 Catch Net for Small Animals A174-312 Replacement net

# Catch Net™ for Small Animals

A safe way to catch a wide variety of birds, cats and other small animals, the black mesh net is attached to a closure mechanism and fixed pole.

- Tangle free netting
- Closure mechanism
- Easy store

Made with a fine honeycomb mesh, this netting doesn't stretch and animals are very unlikely to become entangled. Strong, lightweight and easy to manipulate, the opening is controlled by a simple mechanism which holds it in the 'kite' shape until the moment of capture when it can be closed quickly by drawing back the operating sleeve and collapsing the steel former.

Measuring open 86"/2180mm, closed 59"/1490mm, the stainless steel tubular handle and all metal parts are bright zinc plated. Weight 1.85kg (approx).

# Catch Net™ for Small Dogs

A safe way to catch small to medium sized dogs and wildlife, the fabric net is attached to a closure mechanism and fixed pole.

- Tangle free fabric
- ✓ Closure mechanism
- ✓ Easy store

The opening is controlled by a simple mechanism which holds it in the 'kite' shape (determined by the spring steel former) until the moment of capture when it can be closed quickly by drawing back the operating sleeve. The 'non tangle' fabric net and its operating mechanism are carried on a stainless steel tubular handle and all metal parts are bright zinc plated. Measuring open 86"/2180mm and closed 59"/1490mm.

Easily stowed, this catcher is lightweight at just 2.2kg (approx.).



### YOUR OPTIONS

**A174-314** Catch Net for Small Dogs **A174-315** Replacement net



### YOUR OPTIONS

**A174-320** Bali net **A174-320A** Replacement net

# Bali Net™

Inspired by our colleagues working on canine rabies vaccination programmes in Asia, we have developed a detachable netted hoop and pole combination.

- Robust Mild Steel Tube Handle
- ✓ Tube and Hope Zinc Plated to prevent Rust
- Detachable netted hoop

A super strong nylon netting is stitched securely onto a large 63cm diameter circular frame. The 25 x 25mm netting is 134cm deep allowing the safe capture of medium sized dogs up to 35kgs. Designed to enable the humane capture of feral dogs this model includes a detachable pole (122cm length) so that the dog may be held short-term for treatment and/or transportation without the encumbrance of the pole. With practice, the net can be used to capture a dog on the run. Once the net is over the dog, the pole handle is twisted and the dog remains isolated within the net. The pole handle may then be detached allowing a number of dogs to be humanely transported in a suitable vehicle. This method has been tried and tested by experts in the field and has been deemed 'best practice' when dealing with feral and stray dogs. The net may be cleaned by steeping in your disinfectant of choice, rinsed and air dried. Total Weight 2kg (approx.). Replacement nets available.

Please note - these must stitched or cable tied securely onto the Bali Net frame by the purchaser.

# **Aviary Net**

A safe way to handle a wide variety of birds, kittens and other small animals, this is a fixed pole with a fabric net attached to a padded hoop.

- **Lightweight but strong**
- Available in three hoop sizes and two pole lengths
- Padded hoop prevents injury to captured animal

Made with top quality soft nylon taffeta and a pole handle, these nets are suitable for capturing birds including domestics (finches, canaries, budgies etc) in aviary flights or escapees in clinics.

Available in 3 useful sizes, the long handled version is excellent for wildlife and waterfowl capture.

The size of hoop and net should be matched to the size of the species being caught. The net may be cleaned by steeping in your disinfectant of choice, rinsed and air-dried.



### YOUR OPTIONS

A174-329 Net 300 Opening: 30cm, handle length:

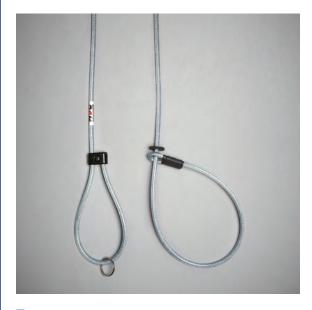
46cm, weight: 300g (pictured)

A174-331 Net 355 Opening 35.5cm, handle length:

122cm, weight: 500g

A174-330 Net 460 Opening 46cm, handle length:

122cm, weight: 600g



# Tuff Leads™

A very strong and tough covered cable dog lead designed for use on large breed dogs or those prone to chewing.

- Virtually unbreakable
- **Flexible**
- **High quality**

The Tuff lead range comprises of virtually unbreakable 4mm core cable covered in flexible plastic to a diameter of 7mm. In lengths and styles to meet the needs of dog handling professionals, these are extremely tough and robust leads. The handle includes a ring for tethering or storage. Each lead has been tested to withstand a 350kg (770lb) loading. The stainless steel trigger hooks have been tested to a 1000kg breaking strain.

Test certificate available.

### **YOUR OPTIONS**

A134-407 Slip lead 106cm

A134-408 Brass trigger hook lead 106cm

A134-409 Stainless Steel trigger hook tether 60cm A134-412 Stainless Steel trigger hook lead 106cm

A134-410 Stainless Steel trigger hook tether 2 mtrs A134-415 Brass trigger hook

A134-411 Stainless Steel trigger hook

A134-414 Brass trigger hook tether 2 mtrs



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### YOUR OPTIONS

**A134-593** Clip lead 8mm x 95cm **A134-594** Clip lead 6mm x 120cm **A134-595** Clip lead 12mm x 62cm **A134-423** Slip lead 8mm x 140cm **A134-424** Slip lead 12mm x 120cm

# **Rope Leads**

Strong cord leads ideal for dog wardens, rescue workers, dog trainers and vets.

- ✓ Available in three lengths
- Lightweight
- Washable

Strongly made using top quality terylene cord and fitted with a metal trigger hook (clip) and ring, these handy leads also come as slip leads and are available in a number of useful lengths and thicknesses. All have wonderful handling and are the perfect leads for general use in vets, grooming, boarding, training centres and rescue environments. Top quality and manufactured in the UK, these rope slip leads are extremely hard wearing.

Available in red, blue or black. Other colours, thicknesses and lengths available on request.

# Dog Wardens Best Friend Slip Lead

Strong cord lead ideal for dog wardens, rescue workers, dog trainers and vets.

- Doubles as a head collar
- Lightweight
- ✓ Washable

Super quality braided nylon cord fitted with metal rings. These handy leads come in two lengths and may be used either as a standard slip lead or by pulling the cord through the ring and placing over the dogs muzzle, converting into a head collar. With an 8mm diameter, this lead has wonderful handling and is the perfect lead for general use in vets, grooming, boarding, training centres and rescue environments.

Top quality and manufactured in the UK, these rope slip leads are extremely hard wearing. Available in black only.



### YOUR OPTIONS

**A134-429** Slip lead 8mm x 120cm **A134-430** Slip lead 8mm x 170cm



### YOUR OPTIONS

A106-526 Break Stick

### **Break Stick**

Designed to be used by animal handling professionals, the stick is inserted into the mouth of a dog (behind the molars) to facilitate the release of it's grip.

- Crafted from ABS hard plastic
- Essential kit for dog handling professionals
- Nylon wrist band

One of the quickest and safest ways to break up a dogfight, handlers should straddle the dog that has the greatest grip. Gently inserting the break stick in the opening behind the dog's molar teeth and twisting, will make the dog readjust its hold, allowing the dog to be pulled away. Also known as a bite stick, this is an essential piece of kit for anyone working with dangerous dogs.

Dimensions: length 24cm x width 4cm x 1cm

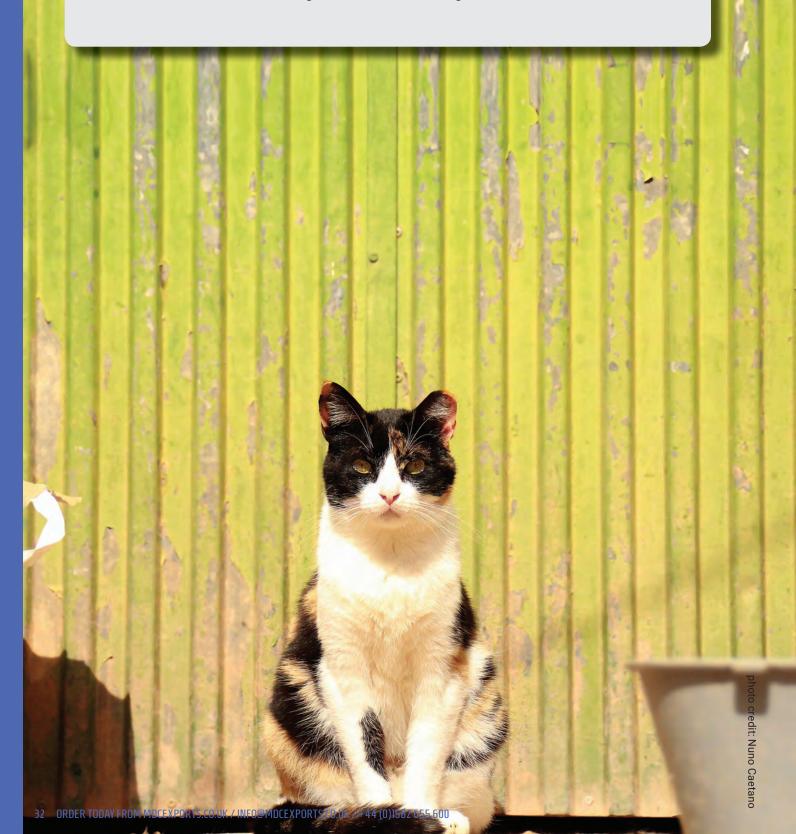




"I've used MDC equipment around the world for almost 20 years. Working with both cats and dogs, MDC has always provided the best designed, highest quality equipment I have found. But more than that, Melvyn and the team continually strive to improve and evolve their products. Always welcoming suggestions and feedback and looking for ways to innovate. The contribution MDC has made to the world of animal welfare is extraordinary. Myself and others in the field would literally be unable to do the work we do without them! Thank you!"

### **Harry Eckman**

Co Founder & Programmes Director - Change For Animals Foundation.



# Traps, Baskets & Restrainers

# Fox Trap

Designed with expert input from RSPCA wildlife specialists, our Fox Trap ensures the humane capture and temporary containment of foxes and cubs.

- ✓ Fox tamper proof
- Strong and durable
- Self-activating

The outward opening trap door is released and self-locking when activated by the fox placing a small amount of weight on a solid floor mounted treadle plate in the attempt to retrieve bait. Made using 3 x 1 inch mesh black electro phorectic plating with mechanisms located on the exterior of the trap, the fox is not able to self-release. Exceedingly rugged, this trap is a favourite with welfare workers.

Dimensions: length 90cm x width 46cm x height 48cm. Weight: 12kg



YOUR OPTIONS

A178-601 Fox Trap



### YOUR OPTIONS

A178-358 Vulcan Dog Trap

# **Vulcan Dog Trap**

Developed in consultation with industry experts, the Vulcan is ideal for the safe capture and temporary containment of dogs.

- Foldaway
- Strong and durable
- Self-activating trap

Specifically designed for the humane trapping of dogs (and foxes), the trap door is released and self-locking when activated by the animal placing a small amount of weight on the floor mounted treadle plate. Mechanisms are located on the exterior of the trap preventing self-release. Construction is of robust and durable 2 x 2 inch zinc plated steel mesh. Easy to fold away, this is a practical trap to store and transport when not in use.

Dimensions: length 131cm x width 52cm x height 61cm. Weight 17kg.

# MAC Trap™

Developed in consultation with leading cat welfare specialist lan MacFarlaine, this trap is a popular choice for those involved in TNR.

- Manual activation
- High quality
- Transfer door panels

Unique to this model, both end doors can be removed enabling the cat to walk through the trap, thereby becoming familiar with the cage before the trapping begins. Operated by means of a pull cord, the trapper is able to select which cat to trap. Built from  $2.5 \times 2.5 \, \text{cm}$ ,  $1.6 \, \text{mm}$  wire mesh, made from black electro phorectic plating to ensure longer life. The end panels slide up allowing easy transfer of the cat into the trap transfer restrainer (A236-354) or any other MDC transfer baskets.

Dimensions: length 76cm x width 28cm x height 28cm. Weight 6kg



### ■ YOUR OPTIONS

A178-320 Mac Trap A178-320A Replacement polyglass door

# **EeziSet Cat Trap™**

High quality cat trap designed specifically for TNR facilitating the safe capture and temporary containment of cats and kittens.

- Available in two sizes
- High quality
- ✓ Transfer door panel

A self-activating trap designed to catch a single cat. Made with heavy gauge black wire mesh and a solid metal floor covered in black electro phorectic plating to ensure a long life. The trapping mechanism comprises a spring loaded, self-locking trap door which is released by the action of the cat's weight on the treadle plate. A polyglass access door at the rear of the cage allows bait to be placed strategically to prevent the food from being accessed from outside.



### YOUR OPTIONS

A178-315 Standard size: Length 76cm x width 29.5cm x height 32cm. Weight: 8Kg A178-316 Extended size: Length 102.5cm x width 29.5cm x height 32cm. Weight: 10Kg A178-315A Replacement polyglass door



### YOUR OPTIONS

**A178-317** Foldaway EeziSet Cat Trap **A178-317A** Replacement polyglass door

# Foldaway EeziSet Cat Trap™

A foldaway version of our tried and tested EeziSet, this model helps to resolves storage and transportation issues during TNR campaigns.

- Easy to foldaway, carry and transport
- High quality
- ✓ Transfer door panel

Overcoming the issue of bulk in transportation, this version of the EeziSet Cat Trap has a unique collapsible design. The trapping functions remain the same as the original model, except that this trap can be collapsed rapidly by just four basic manoeuvres into a slim 50mm deep x 766mm long x 270mm wide, easy to carry and pack unit. The inclusion of an aluminium floor makes this trap lighter at just 5kg, but the same stout zinc plated steel mesh side panels ensure a long life.

Dimensions: length x 76cm x width 28cm x height 32cm. Weight: 5 kg.

# **PF Cat Trap**

One of our lightest and most silent traps designed specifically for TNR, this model ensures the safe capture and temporary containment of cats and kittens.

- High quality
- Self-activating trap
- Transfer door panels

A robust self-activating cat trap designed to capture a single cat. Comprising of 1 inch steel mesh coated in plastic, this trap is one of our lightest traps and is virtually silent in operation. Simple to bait and set, the trap is sprung by means of a treadle plate. The pressure of cat's feet on the plate releases a drop down door securing the cat safely inside. The end panel door slides up allowing easy transfer into the trap transfer restrainer (A236-354) or any other MDC transfer basket.

Dimensions: length 76cm x width 30cm x height 32cm Weight: 4.6kg



### YOUR OPTIONS

A178-359 PF Cat Trap
A178-359C Replacement mesh door



# **EeziCatch Cat Trap™** (Solid floor)

One of our most popular designs, this model enables the safe trapping and short term containment of cats and kittens during TNR projects.

A self-activating trap designed to catch a single cat or kitten, this model is built from  $2.5 \times 2.5$  cm, 1.6mm wire mesh and covered in powder coating. The outward opening front door is lifted above the trip bar to set. As the cat steps on the mesh treadle plate, the door is locked using a sliding ring mechanism making catching the cat a gentle and stress free operation. The back door slips up perfectly to allow transfer into the MDC Trap Transfer Restrainer (A236-354) and other MDC end panel baskets. Dimensions: length 78cm x width 30cm x height 30cm. Weight: 7kg

### YOUR OPTIONS

**A178-339** Cat Trap Solid **A178-342A** Replacement polyglass door



# **Cat Trap Cover**

Top quality waterproof PVC canvas cover to protect your cat trap and any animals within the trap against the elements.

This improved cover is made from military quality double-sided PVC canvas which is waterproof, washable and provides excellent protection from the elements. The cover conceals trapped cats so that passers-by don't intervene. An opening allows access to the trap handle and ensures ventilation. Please note, this cover is not suitable for use on the Extended EeziSet or Multi Catch Cat Trap. Dimensions: length 81.5cm x width 32cm x height 32cm

### YOUR OPTIONS

A178-314 Cat Trap Cover



# **EeziCatch Cat Trap™** (Mesh floor)

The smallest and lightest of our trap range, this is one of the easiest traps to transport during TNR projects.

A self-activating trap designed to catch a single cat, this model is built from 2.5cm x 2.5cm, 1.6mm wire mesh, covered in powder coating. Slightly smaller than our solid floor version, this is the lightest trap in the MDC range. To set the trap, simply raise the outward opening front door above the trip bar. As the cat steps on the mesh treadle plate, the door is locked using a simple sliding ring mechanism to make catching the cat a gentle, stress free operation.

Dimensions: length 78cm x width 23cm x height 30cm. Weight: 4.6kg

### YOUR OPTIONS

**A178-340** Cat Trap Mesh **178-340A** Replacement Polyglass door



# **Cat Trap Comb**

A strong metal comb (now made of robust metal that won't bend) that fits through the mesh of MDC cat baskets or the EeziCatch Cat Trap restricting the movement of the animal inside.

Designed to hold or separate a cat (or other small animal) at the rear of a basket or trap so that an injection (or other treatment) can be administered without having to physically handle the animal or risk escape. The comb proves immensely valuable in TNR projects where cats have already been transferred from traps into non-restraining baskets. The comb can be used to compress the cat against the basket mesh allowing an intramuscular anaesthetic injection (or other) to be administered.

### YOUR OPTIONS

A178-343 Cat Trap Comb



### Trap ID System

A simple means to hand write and label your cat traps to identify and help prevent the loss of your equipment.

Developed on the request of our clients, these identification tags are designed to fit all MDC cat baskets and traps. The ID System makes identification easy and helps anyone coming across your equipment to understand the aim of your trapping programme. Simply fill out the waterproof plastic card giving necessary contact details or other relevant information and attach the label to your trap or basket by wrapping the cable ties through the mesh, tighten and cut off ends.

### YOUR OPTIONS

**A178-301** Card & wallet **A178-303** Card only

# Multi Catch Cat Trap

A manually operated trap with a solid or mesh floor designed specifically for TNR ensuring the safe capture and temporary containment of multiple cats and kittens.

- **Manual activation**
- **High quality**
- **Transfer door panels**

These manually operated cat traps (large enough to accommodate four cats) are designed specifically for dealing with feral cat colonies and in particular for capturing a queen and her kittens. At the appropriate moment the trap door is closed by means of a line attached to a release mechanism. The trap door is outward opening and will lock when the trapper operates the pull cord. The cage and doors are made with 2.5cm steel mesh, zinc plated for durability.

Dimensions: length 76cm x width 61cm x height 30cm. Weight: 9kg (approx).



### YOUR SOLID OPTIONS

A184-316 Multi Catch Cat Trap (Solid Floor) A184-316A Replacement polyglass door



### YOUR MESH OPTIONS

A184-313 Multi Catch Cat Trap (Mesh Floor) A184-316A Replacement polyglass door



I've been in frequent contact with MDC for nearly 20 years in a variety of professional roles in both the UK animal welfare sector, governmental work, and from overseas. Throughout, the service is always exemplary and the products remain of high standard (or whenever lacking, always rectified without quibble).

Melvyn and team have made a significant but often unsung input into the animal welfare sector worldwide, not just through their professionalism and flexibility, but also their generosity and social responsible ethic.

### Ian MacFarlaine RVN

Animal Welfare Professional

## Trap Transfer Restrainer



Now with an improved locking system, this basket is designed to facilitate the safe treatment to fractious cats and other small animals.

- ✓ Easy clean
- In Plastic Coated or Stainless Steel
- Removable end door & integrated restraining panel

Often referred to as a 'Crush Cage' or 'Squeeze Box' by veterinary professions, this basket incorporates a restraining panel that allows the cat to be gently held still so that an intra-muscular injection (or other treatment) may be given. The design of our restraining panel only requires one hand to hold it in place allowing the other hand to administer the injection. With a slide up door panel at one end, this system permits the transfer of a cat from any of the MDC cat traps eliminating the need to handle feral or fractious cats. Dimensions: length 46cm x width 29cm x height 29cm. Weight 3.1kg.

#### YOUR OPTIONS

Plastic coated A236-354 Trap Transfer Trap

**A236-350C** Replacement closing rod **A236-354G** Replacement end door

Stainless steel **A236-354SS** Trap Transfer Trap

**A236-350CSS** Replacement closing rod **A236-354SSG** Replacement end door

## **Trap Transfer Basket**



Manufactured using square steel mesh and plastic coating, this basket provides safe temporary containment of cats and other small animals.

- ✓ Lightweigh & Easy clean
- ✓ In Plastic Coated or Stainless Steel
- Removable end door panel

The lift-up end door panel of this carrier corresponds with that of the MDC cat traps so that the transfer can be made without the need for the cat (or other small animal) to be handled. This feature eliminates the need for any contact between the cat and the carer so that both can remain calm and safe at all times. Replacement end door panel and closing rod available.

Dimensions: length 46cm x width 29cm x height 29cm. Weight: 3.1 kg

#### YOUR OPTIONS

Plastic coated A236-354H Trap Transfer Basket

A236-350C Replacement closing rod

A236-354G Replacement end door

Stainless steel **A236-354HSS** Trap Transfer Basket

**A236-350CSS** Replacement closing rod **A236-354SSG** Replacement end door panel



#### YOUR OPTIONS

A236-354D Trap Transfer Cover

## **Trap Transfer Cover**

A top quality canvas basket cover which fits directly over our Trap Transfer Basket helping to reduce stress during transfer and transportation of small animals.

- ✓ Made of durable acrylic canvas
- ✓ Machine washable
- Simple to fit

To improve their welfare during the unavoidable circumstances of trapping, transfer and transportation, our cover has been cleverly designed to perfectly fit the MDC Trap Transfer Basket (A236-354H). In a calming khaki colour, the durable acrylic canvas cover makes this a practical, professional and long lasting solution providing security and protection from the elements for the basket occupant. Sturdy side zips allow access to the end transfer door allowing it to be opened to transfer or release the animal. Can be machine washed, time and time again and simply drip or tumble dry.



#### YOUR OPTIONS

**A236-353SS** Restraining Basket (Stainless Steel) A236-350CSS Replacement closing rod

## Restraining Basket (Stainless Steel)

This model is designed specifically to allow the safe transportation and treatment to agitated or fractious cats and other small animals.

- Strong and durable stainless steel
- Easy clean flame sterilise
- Integrated restraining panel

Also known as a 'Crush Cage' or 'Squeeze Box' by veterinary and welfare professionals, this basket includes a restraining panel allowing the patient to be gently held still so that an intramuscular injection (or other treatment) may be given. The first basket of its kind to be made of stainless steel this model is particularly useful in the management of ringworm cases as the basket may be effectively sterilised.

Dimensions: length 46cm x width 29cm x height 29cm Weight 3.11kg.

## Restraining Basket (Plastic Coated)

A cat basket designed primarily to facilitate injection or other treatment to agitated or fractious cats and other small animals.

- Easy clean
- Top opening
- **Integrated restraining panel**

Also known as a 'Crush Cage' or 'Squeeze Box' by veterinary and welfare professionals, this basket includes a restraining panel allowing the patient to be gently held still so that an intramuscular injection (or other treatment) may be given. Particularly useful for fractious cats, the restraining panel may be used single-handed leaving the other hand free to administer the injection.

Dimensions: length 46cm x width 29cm x height 29cm. Weight 3.1kg.



#### YOUR OPTIONS

A236-353 Restraining Basket (Plastic Coated) A236-350C Replacement closing rod



#### YOUR OPTIONS

A236-358 Micro Basket

#### Micro Basket

A high quality small animal or kitten basket manufactured using square steel mesh and plastic coating providing safe, temporary containment for neonates and other small animals.

- Lightweight
- Easy clean
- Top opening

Originally designed to assist with the trapping of feral cat mums during TNR schemes, a kitten is placed into the micro basket at the back of a cat trap, the mum returns to her kitten and is humanely trapped. Subsequently, our veterinary colleagues have informed us that this little basket has also proved very useful for containment of small animals (rats, chinchillas, birds etc) during short journeys.

Dimensions: length 20cm x width 13.5cm x height 13cm. Weight 0.6kg

# MUST YOU SCRUFF?



IS IT ACTUALLY NECESSARY?

**BE PART OF IT...** 

## JOIN US IN WARNING OF THE POSSIBLE DANGERS OF USING UNNECESSARY SCRUFFING TO RESTRAIN CATS.

Applying physical restraint to inhibit the natural behaviour of the cat (such as fight and flight) includes the use neck clips, pinning and scruffing to restrict the cats' ability to move.

Increasingly, we are being made aware that scruffing is being used 'as standard' to reduce the likelihood of injury to the operator during cat handling. We believe the use of such techniques may compromise the welfare of cats unnecessarily.

In reality, gentle handling is more likely to result in greater safety for both handler and patient.

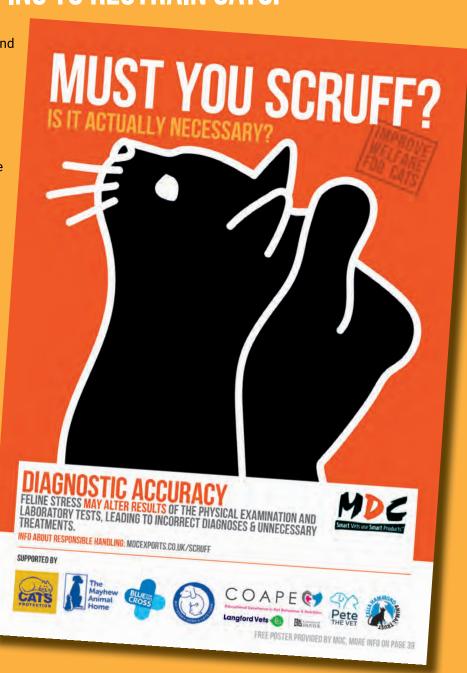
We have over 50 years experience handling and trapping cats and know that scruffing often makes things much more stressful for both the cat and handler. We want to challenge the idea that scruffing (in the first instance) is the normal or acceptable thing to do.

We believe that scruffing should only ever be used as a last resort or in an emergency.

Will you join us to voice our concerns about scruffing through our "Must You Scruff?"campaign.

Please contact us if you would like to add your name to the campaign.

See your FREE poster in the centre of our catalogue.



## Carrying Baskets (Plastic coated)



#### YOUR OPTIONS

A236-350 White A236-350R Red A236-350BK Black A236-350B Blue A236-350G Green A236-350P Pink A236-350C Replacement closing rod





animals.

included.



Our range of high quality baskets manufactured using square steel mesh and plastic coating ensure the safe temporary containment of cats and other small

A 'must have' for every veterinary practice and cattery, this basket has been tried and tested over many years and is the perfect carrier for securely containing and transporting cats and other small animals. The 2.5cm square mesh is coated in non-toxic PVC for incredible durability and hygiene. All the baskets have a top opening panel with a rod and eye fastener and a chunky moulded plastic handle for comfortable carrying. A deep plastic tray base is

Dimensions: length 46cm x width 29cm x height 29cm. Weight 2kg.



## Cat Carrying Basket (Stainless Steel)



The first cat basket of its kind to be made of stainless steel, these high quality carriers ensure the safe temporary containment of cats and other small animals.

This basket is strong, durable and can be flamesterilized-particularly useful in preventing the spread of ringworm. The perfect basket for securely containing and transporting cats and other small animals the 2.5cm square stainless steel mesh has great durability. A top opening panel with a rod and eye fastener has two handles for balanced, comfortable carrying. Included is a deep plastic tray ideal to prevent any 'accidents' overflowing during transit. Dimensions: length 46cm x width 29cm x height 29cm. Weight 2 kg.

#### **YOUR OPTIONS**

A236-350SS Cat Carrying Basket Stainless Steel A236-350CSS Replacement closing rod

## **Large Carrier Basket**

Lightweight **Easy clean** Top opening



A great addition to our range of high quality baskets, this large version is manufactured using the same great quality ensuring the safe, temporary containment of litters, small breed dogs, other mammals and exotics.

Due to customer demand, this model is based on our tried and tested standard sized carrier but bigger and better for securely containing and transporting litters, small breed dogs, mammals and exotics. A deep base tray is included to help to contain any 'accidents'. The top opening panel with a rod and eye fastener is super secure and a chunky moulded plastic handle makes for comfortable carrying.

Dimensions: length 54 cm x height 38 cm. Weight 2kg

#### YOUR OPTIONS

A236-350LG Large Carrier Basket



#### **Carrying Basket Cover**

A top quality canvas cover which fits directly over the MDC carrying basket helping to protect the animal from the weather and reducing stress during transportation.

Cats (and other animals) like to be in control of their surroundings so transportation, time spent in a veterinary waiting room or prep room can increase anxiety. To improve their welfare during these unavoidable circumstances, we've produced a simple slip-over cover with handle access. An ideal solution for those involved in the transportation of small animals to and from rescue, veterinary services, TNR work etc. Made of durable acrylic canvas, our covers can be machine washed time and time again and simply drip or tumble dry.

#### YOUR OPTIONS

A236-350D Carrying Basket Cover



#### **Value Cover**

This excellent value cover fits all standard sized MDC carriers.

Straight forward to fit - the cover simply slips directly over the basket with an opening allowing access to the basket handle. Good protection at an affordable price. Made from uncoated non-woven fabric, which is non-allergenic, non-toxic and water resistant, this is an ideal product for those involved in the transportation of cats to and from rescue, veterinary services, animal ambulances, catteries, TNR work etc. Providing good protection and a feeling of security, this cover can be easily machine washed and drip dried.

#### YOUR OPTIONS

A236-350V Value Cover

#### Basket Base Tray (Plastic)



for the base of MDC carrying baskets to prevent unwanted spillage in case of an accident.

Specifically designed to fit exactly into our range of carrying baskets, these deep (5cm) base trays keep spillages contained during transit. Preventing spillage (and other discharge) reduces the incidence of cross infection and contamination within the vehicle. Dimensions: length 45cm x width 30cm

#### YOUR OPTIONS

A192-426 Basket Base Tray

#### VetBed



Sturdy plastic trays that form liners A tough latex lined backing with a super soft fibre top allows moisture to run through the fibres keeping the animal comfortable on a dry surface.

> Non allergenic, non toxic vetbed will pass the test of time with frequent washing and drying. With a perfect fit for our cat basket trays (A192-426), the addition of a vetbed makes this combination the ideal means of transportation for neonates, whelping queens, cats and other small animals keeping them comfortable. Sold as a single piece measuring 46 x 29 cm.

#### YOUR OPTIONS

A236-346 Green A236-347 Blue A236-348 Red

## **Carrying Basket Handles**

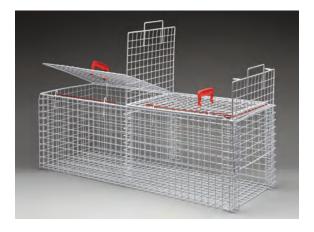


A pack of five chunky and comfortable to hold moulded plastic handles designed to fit all MDC carrying baskets purchased after March 2013.

Available in green, blue, red, pink and yellow these handles are ideal as part of your disease control regime. This moulded handle is robust and has been specifically designed for comfort making carrying e.g. a heavy cat much more pleasant.

#### YOUR OPTIONS

**A236-350E** Vet Bed



#### YOUR OPTIONS

**A236-320** Hospitalisation Basket **A236-320SD** Replacement end door/divider **A236-350C** Replacement closing rod

## **Hospitalisation Basket**

One of the largest models in our range of high quality baskets manufactured using square steel mesh and plastic coating. Designed to ensure the safe temporary containment of cats and other small animals.

- ✓ Top opening
- Removable dividing panel
- Removable end door panel

The spacious hospitalisation basket has been developed to house small animals, (particularly feral or fractious cats), following veterinary treatment. An end door panel allows the transfer of the patient from a trap transfer basket or restraining basket. Once safely inside, the animal can be confined to one half of the basket by means of a divider panel. This allows the other half of the basket to be cleaned and food, water, litter etc replaced.

Dimensions: length 102cm x width 38cm x height 35cm. Weight: 5.5kg

## **Queens Cage**

Our largest basket model manufactured using square steel mesh and plastic coating ensuring the safe temporary containment of cats and other small animals.

- Top opening
- Easy clean
- Removable end door panel

The Queens Cage has been designed to be used in conjunction with the Hospitalisation Basket (A236-320). It provides a means to isolate the queen cat from her litter in the event of the need for veterinary treatment or cleaning. The lift-up end door corresponds with that of the Hospitalisation Basket so the transfer can be made without the need for the queen to be handled. This feature eliminates the need for any contact between the cat and the carer so that both can remain calm and safe at all times.

Dimensions: length 56cm x width 38cm x height 38cm. Weight: 3.4kg



#### YOUR OPTIONS

**A236-322** Queens Cage **A236-322A** Replacement closing rod



#### YOUR OPTIONS

**A236-323** Queens Cage Drop Over **A236-322A** Replacement closing rod

## Queens Cage Drop Over

Our largest basket model manufactured using square steel mesh and plastic coating, this version includes a removable floor panel so that the carrier may be dropped over the animal.

- Top opening
- Removable floor panel
- Removable end door panel

An advanced version of our Queens Cage, this model includes a unique sliding floor panel allowing the basket to be placed directly over the animal. Designed to be used in conjunction with the Hospitalisation Basket (A236-320). It provides a means to isolate the queen cat from her litter in the event of the need for veterinary treatment or cleaning. This feature eliminates the need for any contact between the cat and the carer so that both can remain calm and safe at all times.

Dimensions: length 56cm x width 38cm x height 38cm. Weight: 3.4kg

#### Pet Pen Solution (galvanised steel)

A range of pens large enough to accommodate a litter tray, bowls and ample room for sleep and play. Perfect for containing a litter in order to give mum a break.

- ✓ Lightweight
- Easy clean
- Easy to foldaway and store

Fold down pens ideal for rearing and managing kittens, puppies and other small animals. Available in various sizes, our pens are perfect as temporary accommodation for patients requiring cage rest or restricted movement. To prevent injury to tiny paws, this pen does not have a base. If it's not being used in a kennel, cattery or outdoors (on a warm sunny day), purchase of an MDC base tray is recommended. Alternatively a mesh base can be added (on request) as an optional extra.



#### YOUR OPTIONS

**A238-352** 91 x 61 x 61cm / 1 drop down door **A238-344** 91 x 61 x 61cm / 2 drop down doors **A238-338** 152 x 61 x 61cm / 2 drop down doors **A238-357** 91 x 61 x 61cm / 2 independent swing doors

**A238-363** 122 x 61 x 61cm 1 or 2 drop down doors



#### YOUR OPTIONS

**A238-340** Pet Pen Plastic Coated **A238-343** Base tray (polythene) **A238-341** Base tray (fiberglass)

## Pet Pen Solution (plastic coated)

A foldaway pen manufactured using square steel mesh and plastic coating for the temporary containment of cats and other small animals.

- Lightweight
- ✓ Easy clean
- ✓ Foldaway and store

Large enough to accommodate a litter tray and bowls with ample room for small animals to sleep and play, this pen is perfect for litters or patients needing cage rest. To prevent injury to tiny paws, this pen does not have a base. If it is not being used in a kennel, cattery (or outdoors on a warm sunny day), purchase of either our fiberglass or polyethylene base tray is recommended. Trays sit outside the cage.

Dimensions: length 91cm x width 58cm x height 61cm. Weight: 7kg

## Base Tray (Fiberglass)

Sturdy plastic tray which forms a liner for our Flat Pack Pet Pen, Pet Pen Solutions or stand alone.

Designed specifically for our Pet Pens the addition of a base tray is recommended if the pen is not being used on a non porous kennel or cattery surface. Our fiberglass liner provides a solid,



sturdy and easy to clean base with excellent longevity. Used alone, this base has also proved useful for allowing ducklings, terrapins and other water loving animals to paddle about in! Two sizes available.

#### YOUR OPTIONS

**A238-341** Base Tray Fiberglass: 91 x 61 x 7cm **A238-339** Base Tray Fiberglass: 152 x 61 x 7 cm

#### Base Tray (Polythene)

Lightweight plastic tray that forms a liner for our Flat Pack Pet Pen and Pet Pen Solutions.

Designed specifically for our Pet Pens, the addition of a base tray is recommended if the pen is not being used



onakennel or cattery non porous surface. Our polytheneliner provides a strong and easy to clean base with good longevity. Dimensions: length 97cm x width 65cm x height 2cm

#### YOUR OPTIONS

A238-343 Base Tray Polythene

## Nurses Best Friend ... the name with meaning

We'd always been very pleased with the TTR (Trap, Transfer, Restrainer) basket range. We were pretty confident that all eventualities where the various combinations of movable panels would be needed had been addressed, and the name of the range clearly described the purpose.

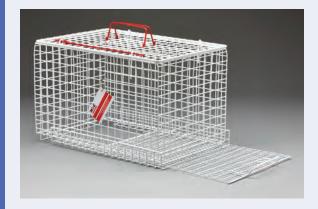
Our thoughts had been focused on enabling the transfer of feral cats from traps and then gently restraining them for treatment without the need for physical handling keeping both the cat and carer happy. But what about all the 'just plain cranky' or 'super nervy' domestic cats found in the pens and cubicles of veterinary practices, catteries and rescue homes up and down the country?

As time went by, their plight was brought to our attention by a number of veterinary nurses, animal carers and a now familiar face on the telly - Ali Taylor (Head of

Ali Taylor (Head of Welfare Training at Battersea Dogs and Cats Home)

Welfare Training at Battersea Dogs and Cats Home). Ali recalls, "We used to get a few difficult cats in that didn't like to be handled (as we do from time to time). We'd had a wooden box with air vents and a sliding bottom made years ago that could be placed directly over a cat. We found by using this, it limited the pressure we were having to put on them, plus reduced the risk of getting bitten . I thought it would be a really good idea ... so I mentioned it to Melvyn!". Never one to let the dust settle and appreciating how useful this basket could be, Melvyn set about developing the basic TTR basket to incorporate this new feature - a removable sliding floor panel. Because it is generally the remit of the nurse or carer to transfer the cat from it's pen, we knew this model would soon become the "Nurses Best Friend".

## Now available in four terrific models ...



#### YOUR OPTIONS

A236-355H Nurses Best Friend A236-350C Replacement closing rod **A236-357** Replacement floor panel

#### Nurses Best Friend™

A drop over basket manufactured using square steel mesh and plastic coating ensuring the safe temporary containment of cats and other small animals.

- Top opening
- Easy clean
- Removable floor panel

Perfect for the containment of feral or fractious cats and other small animals, this model includes a unique sliding floor panel allowing the basket to be placed directly over the animal. Ideal for removing difficult cats from their cages or escapees within a clinic or cattery, this basket is also useful for catching semi-feral cats in the open. This simple to use device eliminates all the stress and risk of personal injury that was previously associated with this

Dimensions (approx.): length 46cm x width 30cm x height 30cm. Weight 3kg.

#### Nurses Best Friend™ Transfer

Providing another movable panel, this basket can be used as a drop-over and/or transfer system.

- Top opening
- Removable end door
- Removable floor panel

Ideal for the containment of feral or fractious cats, this model has the sliding floor panel allowing the basket to be placed directly over a cat or other small animal but also includes an end door for stress free transfer. Ideal for removing difficult cats from their cages or escapees within a clinic or cattery, this basket is also useful for catching semi-feral cats in the open. This simple to use device eliminates all the struggling and risk of personal injury that was previously associated with this task.

Dimensions (approx.): length 46cm x width 30cm x height 30cm. Weight 3kg.



#### YOUR OPTIONS

A236-356H Nurses Best Friend Transfer A236-350C Replacement closing rod A236-357 Replacement floor panel A236 354G Replacement end panel



#### YOUR OPTIONS

A236-355 Nurses Best Friend Restrainer A236-350C Replacement closing rod A236-357 Replacement floor panel

#### Nurses Best Friend™ Restrainer (Crush Cage)

On the request of our clients, this version incorporates a restraining panel. Manufactured using square steel mesh and plastic coating ensuring the safe temporary containment of cats and other small animals.

- Top opening
- **Integrated restraining panel**
- Removable floor panel

Also referred to as a Crush Cage or Squeeze Box by veterinary professionals, this basket includes a restraining panel allowing the cat (or other small animal) to be gently held still so that an intra-muscular injection may be made. Ideal for feral or fractious cats, the unique sliding floor panel can be opened and the basket dropped directly over the cat. A versatile basket that is ideal for removing difficult cats from their cages or escapees within a clinic or cattery.

Dimensions: length 46cm x width 30cm x height 30cm. Weight 3.1kg.

## Nurses Best Friend™ Restrainer Plus

(Crush Cage)

One of our range of high quality cat baskets manufactured using square steel mesh and plastic coating providing safe temporary containment of cats and other small animals.

- Top opening
- **Integrated restraining panel**
- Removable end door and floor panel

This is a very clever multifunctional basket incorporating a removable floor panel (allowing drop-over capture), removable end door (for easy transfer) plus the restraining panel so that the cat may be gently held still so that an intra-muscular injection may be made single-handed. If you only have one basket, this is the model of choice.

Dimensions: length 46cm x width 30cm x height 30cm. Weight 3.1kg



#### YOUR OPTIONS

A236-356 Nurses Best Friend Restrainer Plus A236-350C Replacement closing rod **A236-357** Replacement floor panel A236-354G Replacement end panel

## **New Products**

Aiding animal care professionals to carry out low-impact feline interactions, the MDC Smart Cat Cape and Wraps create a better experience for both the cat and the handler. The scratch resistant Pro-Tex lining provides the same protection and safety properties of gloves and gauntlets - but with all the dexterity and softness of a towel. The perfect combination.

## Smart Cat Capes & Wraps

Specifically designed by vets and nurses to minimise stress, fear, anxiety, and frustration when handling cats. Smart Cat Capes and Wraps are the humane alternative to muzzles, scruffing, bagging, nabbers, clipnosis, and other hard restraint techniques.

- · Ideal for administering aural, ophthalmic and oral medications
- · Keeps paws and claws under control for blood taking
- Draping around the cat allows access for temperature taking, BP measures, cystocentiesis etc
- Machine wash 60° and tumble dry

With no velcro, zips, straps or other restraint-forcing fasteners, Cat Capes and Wraps can be gently and slowly manipulated to the area under examination. Procedures can take place calmly and safely, reducing stress and ensuring reliable diagnostic results.



## Smart Cat Wrap

Approximately the same size as a bath towel, the Cat Wrap has and angled edge to wrap around the patients neck and under the chin. This enables wrapping techniques such as the 'Scarf' and 'Burrito' (sometimes referred to as a Purrito!).

#### YOUR OPTIONS

A112-370 Angled Edge



## **Smart Cat Cape**

Shaped like a cape with a circular neckline, the Cat Cape can be gently draped across the cat's neck or under the chin. The excess fabric can then be folded back over the cat's shoulders with its limbs tucked safely underneath.

#### YOUR OPTIONS

A112-370C Circular Neckline

Pro-Tex material technical specifications: Cut Resistance: EN ISO 13997:1999 Level 5 (highest possible). Abrasion Resistance: EN 388:2003 Level 4. Tear Strength: EN 388:2003 Level 4 (highest possible). Blade Cut Resistance: ASTM F1790-05 Level 4. Bound hem finish Ultra-high molecular weight polyethene. Hair-resistant poly cotton backing.Manufactured under licence by Wrapsio™Patent pending and IP-protected.

## **New Products**

Drop traps are valuable tools when conducting Trap Neuter Return by allowing you to selectively catch several cats at once, or general colony trapping. They are also helpful for trapping savvy cats who will no longer enter long traps as they appear less wary of going 'under' the trap than through a small doorway.

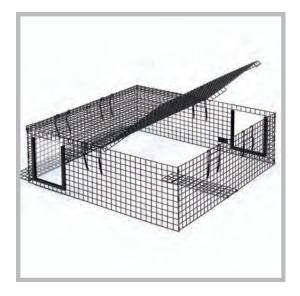
#### **Smart Drop Trap**

Foldaway and set up where needed, our Smart Drop Trap is lightweight powder coated, quality mesh. Like all MDC products, this new trap is designed to last. Once cats are trapped, position the MDC transfer basket (A236-354H) adjacent to either transparent end door. Both doors are raised allowing the cat to be transferred without physical handling. Covering the Trap Transfer basket (MDC cover A236-354D) will also encourage a faster transfer.

- · High-quality metal clips and fastenings
- · Powder-coated wire mesh
- Neatly folds up flat for transportation or storage
- · Chunky grip carry handle
- · Two sliding doors to improve transfers
- · A narrow weight flap allows proximity to walls and enclosed spaces
- Size appropriate for all cats







#### YOUR OPTIONS

A178-600 Smart Drop Trap



"Drop traps are the missing link in comprehensive trapping inventory and it is great to see that the need can now finally be filled from the UK with a quality product from MDC. They are invaluable for groups of cats that are reluctant to enter through a trap doorway. They aren't a substitute for manual and multi-catch traps but, they have their own place in the arsenal and with good operator training, understanding, and good planning, can be safe and effective in a range of scenarios".

Ian MacFarlaine RVN Multi Award-Winning Animal Welfare Professional & TNR Specialist

## Helping you become a Greener Practice

We're pleased to be certified as a Vet Sustain supporter championing the use of more sustainable products and practices in the veterinary profession.

MDC aim to run a low-waste business to aid the negative impact on our environment and animals. We reuse packaging where possible and recycle anything we cannot use. We've removed unnecessary plastics and introduced recycled card packaging on new and existing products.



#### **Smart Recover Collars**

Our new and revolutionary 'Smart Recover Collar' is another major step towards becoming a greener veterinary practice. With all of the qualities of our existing Smart Collars, this lightweight and effective barrier to self-trauma of wounds is made of flexible (but robust) card. An option for all 'plastic free' clinics and customers, this 'e collar' allows the free movement of the patient's head and neck so that they can walk, eat, drink and sleep in comfort, helping a quick recovery.

- Biodegradable
- · Compostable
- · Sustainabily sourced

A popular choice for hospitalised patients, this collar is ideal for cats and small dogs, post op, finishing drips, and observation for self trauma. Even if only used on 10% of your patients - that's a lot less plastic usage.



#### YOUR OPTIONS

**A148-030** Size 0 Neck 14cm-22cm / Length 8cm **A148-031** Size 1 Neck 18cm-24cm / Length 9cm **A148-032** Size 2 Neck 23cm – 30cm / Length 11cm **A148-033** Size 3 Neck 29cm-38cm / Length 16cm Using a brachycephalic dog for product promotion?! In this instance - yes!

Belonging to MDC's Kay, Betty needed to wear a collar post- op, so this was the choice.

PS: Betty is now fully recovered and the collar ... fully composted!

## Helping you become a Greener Practice

Removing unnecessary plastics and introduced recycled card packaging on existing products is an ongoing project. Some stocks of packaging had been produced in bulk and it would cause more waste to dispose, but as we come to restock, we are carefully looking at how we can make improvements.

## **Smart Eco Bags**

With ever changing technology and legislation, we've never stopped looking for improvements. Meeting ISO international standards for biodegradability but robust enough to do the job, we've been able to make upgrades not only to our bags, but also to the packaging. Now plastic free and fully recyclable.

#### YOUR OPTIONS

**A141-603** 4 pack/200 bags **A141-602** Single pack/50 bags





## Smart Eco Bag Dispenser

Designed for use in the veterinary practice, groomers, training clubs or kennels, simply fix the Eco Bag Dispenser unit to a suitable wall in convenient locations indoors or outside. A roll of 50 biodegradable Eco Bags is included within the unit. Generous in size (40cm x 21.5cm), these poo bags will cater for all breeds of dogs. The extra long handles allow easy tying and hygienic carrying to a disposal point. Now in recylable packaging!

#### YOUR OPTIONS

A141-601 Eco Bag Dispenser + 50 bags

#### **Smart IV Catheter Guards**

Reduce and reuse are sensible aims! Our strong but lightweight, recycled, flexible plastic shields cover IV sites reducing the need for excessive taping and bandaging. Clean, reused (autoclave) and recycled when no longer required. Providing an alternative to single-use bandaging, our reusable IV Catheter Guard is another innovative idea to reduce waste and help you become a greener veterinary practice.

#### YOUR OPTIONS

**A211-211** Medium **A211-212** Large **A211-213** X Large



## **About us**

## **History**

MDC founder (Melvyn Driver) has always owned dogs and held an interest in the welfare of animals. In the 1960's, TNR (Trap Neuter Return) was a new concept. Working with UFAW and SPANA, Melvyn engineered the EeziSet Cat Trap. A much appreciated alternative to stray cat population practices of the time. Following this, at the request of an RSPCA Inspector, Melvyn developed a humane dog grasper. The traps and graspers soon became essential pieces of kit for vets, nurses, rescue workers, dog wardens and others in the sector. With the essential cooperation of those directly involved in animal welfare, MDC (Melvyn Driver Components) was established and further quality products were developed. This included the unique fabric Mikki Muzzle providing safety to the handler whilst addressing the welfare needs of the dog. This top selling item launched 'Mikki Pet Products'. More successful products followed including grooming equipment and other items for the pet market. In 1998, Melvyn sold Mikki and focused on his real passion - developing high welfare animal handling equipment and products. The comprehensive MDC Export range is stocked by wholesalers and distributors and used extensively by vets, kennels, catteries, local authorities and welfare organisations both in the UK and abroad.



#### **Our Values**

Social attitudes towards animals have changed significantly over the years and MDC have been a driving force ensuring that they are treated in a humane way. With animal welfare in mind, we provide practical solutions for their management and aid the health and safety for those who work with them. With input from expert veterinary professionals, behaviourists (including Dr Roger Mugford) and other specialists in the field (Ian MacFarlaine), our traps, baskets, capture and restraint products have been designed to enable the essential care and treatment of animals whilst keeping unavoidable stress, suffering or discomfort to a minimum. Recognising the value of the MDC ethos and product range, the company has won numerous awards including Star Product Award (PPM), Best Pet Related Product (Pet Index), Most Supportive Company (NDWA), Best Small Animal Product (PPM) and Outstanding Commitment to Cat Welfare (ICC). We also believe in 'giving back' so in addition to our charitable promotions, since 1996 MDC have donated thousands of pounds worth of equipment to deserving animal rescue recipients via the annual International Companion Animal Welfare Conference.

## Terms & Conditions

## **Dimensions and weights**

Dimensions and weights are approximate in all cases and are given for guidance only.

## Guarantee & returns

MDC Exports Ltd guarantee that they will, at their discretion, either replace faulty goods, supplied by them or repair the same product to the claim being made in writing to them, within 12 months after sale. All returned items must be in the original packaging, in a saleable condition (except any item received damaged). Please telephone 01582 655600 with your request or email info@mdcexports.co.uk. All returns will be refunded to by the means that was used for your purchase. Please allow 14 days for us to process the refund to your credit card. Once the credit is processed it can take between 1-14 days for it to show up on your statement. The cost of returning damaged and incorrectly supplied goods will be borne by MDC Exports Ltd. This may be by collection or reimbursement of carriage costs, at our discretion. Reimbursement will be at standard Royal Mail rates. The cost of returning incorrectly ordered or not required items will be borne by the customer. Proof of posting is not deemed to be proof of receipt. We regret that special offer items or those delivered overseas may not be returned.

#### **Claims**

Damage or loss must be reported within 3 days of delivery and non-delivery within 14 days of the despatch date. Claims for damage or loss will not be met unless the carrier is notified on delivery. If a carton shows signs of damage, the carrier docket should be marked 'damaged' and signed. In all other cases the docket should be signed and marked 'unexamined'.

#### **Prices**

Major credit cards are accepted. Orders can only be accepted on the understanding that goods will be charged at prices ruling at the time of despatch. Prices quoted exclude VAT, postage and packaging. Please add 20% to the total price of the item and postage. UK delivery is by post or DPD and will be delivered next day if your order is received by midday. We are always striving to keep international shipping costs as low as possible. In our endeavor to do this we will quote your shipping charge on receipt of order. Ownership and title to any goods supplied by MDC Exports Ltd remains with MDC Exports Ltd until payment is made in full.

## Design or price changes

Due to the sudden and frequent rising cost of raw materials, MDC Exports Ltd reserves the right to increase the prices. We will endeavour to keep our prices as low as possible and only as a last resort will increase them. MDC Exports Ltd reserve the right to make changes to the design, packaging and materials without notification. Packaging may vary to that shown.



## **Get in Touch!**



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