The **AeroKat** Feline Aerosol Chamber (FAC) is designed to be used along with a Metered Dose Inhaler (MDI) to deliver aerosol medication to cats with feline asthma, chronic bronchitis or allergic rhinitis.

Aerosol medications delivered by metered dose inhalers have been used to treat human respiratory conditions since the 1960s. Because feline respiratory diseases imitate human conditions, they can be treated in a similar way. However, because typical puffers deliver a dose at over 60 miles per hour, effective delivery of the medication to cats without an aerosol chamber is not practical.

**Flow-Vu** Indicator moves with respiration allowing owner to count breaths, ensure there is a secure facemask seal and coordinate actuation of the MDI with inhalation.

**Easy to use and to clean**

**Reduces the risk of side effects** associated with pills, injections and syrup.

**Unique, shatterproof, anti-static chamber** ensures consistent medication delivery deep into the cat’s airways.

**2 mask sizes** accommodate all breeds and sizes of cats.

**Exhalation Valve** directs the flow away from the cat’s face to prevent irritation.
## GUIDELINES FOR USING INHALED MEDICATION TO TREAT FELINE ASTHMA AND CHRONIC BRONCHITIS


### Symptoms

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<td>Symptoms don’t affect quality of life Between “attacks” the cat eats, drinks and plays</td>
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