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The trustees of the above charity wish to nominate Manchester Vet Centre as veterinary establishment of the year 2015.

The ambiance of the practice is beyond reproach.

The devotion to animal welfare is exemplary. All the vets are willing to explore every avenue available to seek a recovery for the companion animal.

Manchester Vet Centre is a branch practice of The Willows Group based in Cheshire and have at their disposal a veterinary hospital in Warrington and also Oakwood, part of the Hartford practice that are manned by veterinary specialists. On one occasion the charity had to consult Prue Neath at Oakwood who performed an operation on one of our cats suffering from a chylothorax. Ann, a vet from Manchester Vets assisted in the operation and although it was successful, we unfortunately lost the cat as the underlying cause was FIP. Ann had also sought advice from other veterinary experts and even took Holly to a heart specialist at Woodcroft. On gleaning that the root cause was FIP, information was requested from Dr Diane Addie at Glasgow Vet School, a leading authority on FIP. All the vets are keen to study the latest research. They are very patient and willing to discuss a diagnosis and the prognosis. We also learned that Ann lit a candle in her local church for our cat Holly! No stone is left unturned! This extra mile was not just for us, this is something they are prepared to do for all their clients. All the staff whether receptionists, vet nurses or vets are courteous, helpful and understanding. Even in an emergency are able to put clients at ease and are extremely compassionate when clients are faced with the loss of their treasured companion animal.

Whether or not they win an award, their standards cannot be improved.

Manchester Vet Centre is a shining beacon within the veterinary fraternity.