

# Noses to Toes, Ears to Rears...

Quite simply, patients who suffer from any combination of pain, inflammation, or slow-healing wounds benefit from laser therapy, including -

Abscesses

ACL - Non-surgical/Partial or Post-Op

Acral Lick Dermatitis

Acupuncture
Acute Nephritis
Anal Sacculitis

Arthritis

Aural Hematomas Avian Specific Disorders

Back Pain
Bicipital Bursitis
Bicipital Tendonitis

Bruising Burns

Cat Bite Abscesses

Cauda Equina Syndrome Cervical IVDD (Acute/Chronic) Chronic Neurological Conditions

Crop Inflammation
Cruciate Ligament Injury

Cystitis/FUS

Cystotomy - Post Surgery

Degenerative Joint Disease (DJD)

**Demodicosis** 

Diseases of the Feet

Ear Disorders Edema

Elbow Dysplasia

Elbow Hygroma Feline Acne Feline Asthma

Feline Lower Urinary Tract Disease (FLUTD)

Fractures

Geriatric Disorders

Gout

Head and Neck

Hematomas (Post-Surgical)

Hip Dysplasia

Infections, Bacterial and Fungal Infectious Tracheobronchitis Intervertebral Disc Disease Intestinal Impaction

IVDD (Acute/Chronic)

Mastitis

MRSA Infections

Muscle and Ligament Disorders

Musculoskeletal Disorders

Neck Pain

Neurological Disorders Neuromuscular Disease Oral Cavity Disorders

Oral Surgery

Orthopedic Disorders
Otitis (Acute and Chronic)

Palliative Pain Relief

Pancreatitis Paralysis

Paralysis Due to Trauma

**Parvovirus** 

Periodontal Disease
Peripheral Nerve Injuries

Post Extractions

Post Surgical Pain Relief Post-operative healing

Post-Orthopedic Surgical Procedures

Pyoderma

Pyotraumatic Dermatitis (hot spots)

Rehabilation

Respiratory Disorders

Rhinitis/Sinusitis Rodent Ulcers Skin Grafts Snake Bites

Soft Tissue Trauma Sprains and Strains

Stomatitis
Tail Fractures

Tendon Injury/Ligament Injury

Thoracic Limb

Trauma

**Urinary System Disorders** 



# Here are the Top 20 Common laser therapy uses:

- 1. Arthritis { Degenerative joint Disease}
- 2. Back Pain { Intervertebral}
- 3. Trauma { Skin, Muscle, Bone}
- 4. Surgery {Incision, Growth Removal, All Dentals}
- 5. Wounds { Trauma, Bites & Infections}
- 6. Strains, Sprains, Fractures
- 7. Tendonitis
- 8. Urinary track Disease
- 9. Inflammatory Conditions
- 10. Acute or Chronic otitis
- 11. Anal Gland inflammation
- 12. Periodontitis { Gingivitis }
- 13. Hot Spots
- 14. Lick Granulomas
- **15.** Idiopathic Cystitis { Bladder Inflammation }
- 16. Sinusitis, Rhinitis { Nasal problems }
- 17. Stomatitis
- 18. Acute Pain
- 19. Hip dysplasia
- 20. Dermatitis

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# **BIOLOGICAL EFFECTS OF LASER THERAPY**

#### 1. Anti-Inflammation

Laser Therapy reduces inflammation with vasodilation, activation of the lymphatic drainage system, and reduction of pro-inflammatory mediators. As a result, inflammation, erythema, bruising, and edema are reduced.

## 2. Analgesic Effect

Laser Therapy of diseased and damaged tissue produces a suppression of nociceptors, an increase of stimulation threshold, and an increased release of tissue endorphins. The result is a decreased patient perception of pain.

## 3. Accelerated Tissue Repair and Cell Growth

Photons of light from lasers penetrate deeply into tissue and accelerate cellular reproduction and growth. Laser light increases the energy available to the cells so that they can take on nutrients and get rid of waste products more quickly.

## 4. Improved Vascular Activity

Laser light significantly increases the formation of new capillaries in damaged tissue. This speeds the healing process, resulting in more rapid wound closure.

#### 5. Increased Metabolic Activity

The energy from photons of laser light is captured by chemical complexes within cells resulting in activation of enzyme systems and increased energy delivered into cellular metabolic processes.

### 6. Trigger Points and Acupuncture Points

Laser therapy stimulates muscle trigger and acupuncture points without mechanical invasion to provide musculoskeletal pain relief.

#### 7. Reduced Fibrous Tissue Formation

Laser Therapy reduces the formation of scar tissue.

#### 8. Improved Nerve Function

Slow recovery of nerve functions in damaged tissue results in numbness and impaired limbs. Laser therapy accelerates nerve cell regeneration.

#### 9. Immunoregulation

Therapy laser photons have an effect on immune systems status through stimulation of immunoglobins and lymphocytes. Laser therapy energy is absorbed by chromophores (molecular enzymes) that react to laser light. The enzyme flavomono-nucleotide is activated and starts the production of ATP, which is the major carrier of cellular energy and the energy source for all chemical reactions in the cells.

#### 10. Faster Wound Healing

Laser light stimulates fibroblast development. Fibroblasts produce collagen, which is predominant in wound healing in damaged tissue. Collagen is the essential protein required to replace old tissue or to repair tissue injuries. As a result, laser therapy is effective on open wounds and burns.



