

1. There is currently no unique treatment to cure FIC. However, there are multiple strategies, including pharmacological and environmental treatments, that can help reduce its recurrence time.
2. The main treatment consists in providing changes in the environment that provides the 5 pillars (MEMO) that take into account the basic feline behaviors.
3. Pharmacological treatment is currently limited. There are few drugs that will provide efficacious treatment of this illness used to reduce pain after the first symptoms begin developing and cannot prevent damage nor future relapses.
4. In order to avoid potential negative response from guardians, it is important to clarify that the proposed interventions are aimed at improving the quality of life of the animal and to diminish the number of future relapses.
5. Recent research on idiopathic cystitis in humans has provided various biomarkers that could eventually provide early diagnosis in animals. There are multiple treatments that are currently being used in both human and veterinary medicine.