

# Halloween is just around the corner – as pet parents plan to celebrate this year, they must remember to not only keep their pets spooky, but also safe!



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## Don't Feed Your Pets Halloween Candy

Most candy your kids will receive this Halloween is laden with sugar, chocolate, or xylitol and can make your pets very sick. Store that stash somewhere secure, away from industrious kitties and pups who may sniff for a treat.

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## Keep Glow Sticks and Glow Jewelry Away From Pets

Dogs may be attracted to and want to chew on these fun accessories, which can irritate your pet's mouth and stomach and likely cause distress and anxiety.

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## Make Sure Your Pet is Properly Identified

If your pup gets spooked by a scary mask or loud noises, he may bolt and run away before you can catch him. Ensure your furry family member has proper identification on their collar and their microchip information is up-to-date.

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## Plan Costumes Appropriately

If you plan to put your pet in a costume, make sure it fits properly and will not hinder your pet's mobility.

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## Consider Your Pet's Behavior

If your pet is particularly skittish, anxious, or territorial, they will likely be much more comfortable at home, where it's quiet and your pet feels safe.



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An easy way for pet parents to enjoy spooky season with their furry family member and without worry is by enrolling in pet health insurance. This coverage can help protect against unexpected costs that may result from accidents that occur this time of year. Pet parents interested in saving on care should visit <https://quote.metlifepetinsurance.com/pet> to get a free quote today.



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