



# WINN FELINE FOUNDATION

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Establishment and validation of a feline immunodeficiency virus vector for the in vitro production of feline erythropoietin

Anemia often affects cats with kidney disease, and can be a difficult condition to treat. These researchers developed a system for producing an important protein necessary for red blood cell development. It is hoped that this product can aid treatment of the anemia in affected cats. So far, they have successfully produced this protein, called erythropoietin in a laboratory setting. It is hoped that this technology can eventually be used in cats as gene therapy for treating this potentially life-threatening condition.

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