

Paducah Veterinary Clinic

Boarding Policy

1. All animals must be current on routine vaccinations. Dogs must be vaccinated against Rabies, Distemper, Parvo and Bordetella (kennel cough). If your dog travels with you on occasion, we recommend canine influenza vaccine. The first year, influenza is a two vaccine series followed by yearly updates. Cats must be vaccinated against Rabies and Feline Distemper (FVRCP). All vaccines must have been administered by a veterinarian. We strongly recommend for outdoor cats a Feline Leukemia vaccination. These vaccinations are important for your pet's protection as well as that of other boarders. If vaccination status cannot be confirmed, we will vaccinate your pet upon admission at owner's expense.
2. All pets must be free from fleas and ticks upon admission. If they are not, they will be treated on admission at the owner's expense. We strive to keep this a parasite free facility for the health and comfort of your pet.
3. We recommend that pets have a bath prior to discharge. Although we work hard at keeping a clean and sanitary environment, most pets will develop a little kennel odor, especially after several days. Homecoming will be much more pleasant if you will allow us to bathe your pet before pick-up.
4. Boarding charges are figured by the day, including both the day admitted and the day discharged. Boarders will be discharged only during regular office hours.
5. Occasionally an illness will arise while boarding. Any pet that requires veterinary attention while boarding will be treated as the doctor deems necessary, at the owner's expense. Please leave an emergency contact number so we may contact you if problems occur.
6. We provide food and bedding for boarding pets. If you have special food or medications you wish them to have while here, please bring them along. If your pet is on a controlled medication, we must (by law) administer it from our stock. This will be at the owner's expense.
7. Please inform us if you have any problems or comments concerning your pet's care. Your happiness and your pet's health are very important to us!

I, the undersigned, have read and understand these boarding policies and agree to their terms for this and subsequent boarding. I understand that all services must be paid for when the pet(s) are picked up. In the event of default and referral of my account to a collection agency, I agree to pay all cost of collection including attorney fees, collection fees, and contingent fees to collection agencies of not less than 35%, such contingency fee to be added and collected by the collection agency immediately upon my default and referral of my account to said collection agency.

Signature _____

Witness (initial) _____

Date _____

Emergency Phone _____