

Feline Boarding Rules & Requirements

Feline Vaccination Requirements

In order to protect your pet's health as well as other pet's that may be boarding we require that all pets be up to date on their vaccinations. Proof of vaccinations must be presented either before or at the time of drop-off. If you drop-off your pet without the required proof of vaccinations then your pet will be quarantined until proof of vaccination is provided. If your pet's vaccinations need to be updated, one of our doctors can update them while they are boarding. You will be charged for an office visit and whichever vaccines need to be updated.

Required Cat Vaccinations:

- Rabies
- Feline Distemper

Fleas

If a pet is found to have fleas, the owner will be notified and the pet will be immediately quarantined and treated at the owner's expense.

Bedding & Personal Belongings

Please **do not** bring personal belongings such as bedding, toys, etc. We do not leave toys in the accommodations with pets as they may become soiled, destroyed, and could pose a health risk. If you do bring personal belongings we cannot guarantee their return.

Additional bedding can be provided to your pet at your request. Please ask one of our Pet Care Coordinators for more information.

Aggressive Behavior

Pets that become extremely aggressive or pose a danger to our staff will not be allowed to further utilize our boarding services. This is in order to protect your pet, our staff, and other pets that may be boarding.

Liability Release

Schulhof Animal Hospital and its staff will not be held liable for any medical or behavioral difficulties that develop with your pet while boarding, provided reasonable care and precautions are followed against injury, escape, or death. I understand that any such medical related problems will be treated as deemed best by the staff veterinarians and I assume full responsibility for all treatment expenses involved.

Animal Abandonment Policy

In accordance with the General Statutes of Connecticut Title 49 Chapter 847 Section 49-70b, Schulhof Animal Hospital has the right to transfer abandoned animals to a nonprofit animal rescue or adoption organization. An animal shall be considered abandoned if the owner or keeper of such animal fails to retrieve the animal within five days of the date on which such owner or keeper was scheduled to retrieve the animal. Prior to transferring such animal, Schulhof Animal Hospital shall give notice of its intention to do so to the owner or keeper by trying to reach them at their last-known phone number(s) and at their last-known address by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested. Schulhof Animal Hospital will wait a period of ten days to elapse after the return receipt is returned before transferring such animal.

Sunday Discharges

Sunday discharges are offered between the hours of 3pm and 5pm Sunday evening. Sunday discharges **must be paid in advance** otherwise we will discharge your pet during normal business hours the following Monday. Please be reminded that we do not charge an additional fee for Monday boarding if the pet is picked up before noon on Monday. Sunday discharges are subject to availability, and are not offered during school holidays. **Clients who reserve a Sunday discharge but fail to arrive will be charged a no-show fee of \$30.00.**

We require a credit card imprint in the event additional services are rendered during your pets stay.

Rates & Fees

I agree to pay the rates that are in effect at the time my pet is boarding at Schulhof Animal Hospital. I am aware that extra charges may be incurred and I agree to pay them at the time of pick-up. Examples of extra charges may include, but are not limited to: vaccinations, exams, flea treatments, baths, deworming, and/or quarantine boarding.

I understand that any charges will be paid at the time of release, in the event of payment default I will pay reasonable attorney's fees and costs of collection.

_____ Date _____
Owner or Responsible Party