



# Mount Dora Veterinary Hospital

## Boarding Agreement and Release Form

Mount Dora Veterinary Hospital's boarding facility is a controlled and sanitary environment, designed with your pet's well being in mind. The established requirements, as outlined below, are to ensure the safety and health of our pets, clients and our staff. In order to maintain these standards the following requirements need to be met in order to house your fur baby in our facility.

### ***Canine Companions:***

- Rabies Vaccine
- DHPP Vaccine
- Bordetella Vaccine
- Canine Influenza Vaccine

### ***Feline Companions:***

- Rabies Vaccine
- FVRCP Vaccine
- Leukemia Vaccine

Proof of vaccination must be on record before your pet is left at our facility. If we are not your primary veterinarian, we require copies of vaccine information sent via email or fax. Pets with no vaccine history sent will be vaccinated.

Your pet must be free of external and internal parasites, for the safety of fellow boarders. If he or she is positive for any intestinal parasites, a deworming treatment will be administered at your expense. If any external parasites, such as fleas or ticks are discovered on your pet at any time during his or her stay, we will administer treatment at your expense.

Mount Dora Veterinary Hospital will provide all bedding, food/water bowls, and leashes during your pet's stay with us. Any medications or special dietary needs are the responsibility of the owner. These items are to be brought to the hospital at the time of check in with specific instructions on administration.

While boarding at Mount Dora Veterinary Hospital is committed to maintaining our boarding facility to the highest standard of cleanliness and care, some risks are inherent when pets are housed in communal facilities. No matter the amount of TLC offered while your pets are boarded, it is still not like home and stress levels increase. Stress colitis (inflammation of the colon) is very common among boarding pets. This can result in soft, diarrhea-like stool. Stress can also decrease the immune response, just like in humans. In a hospital environment, there is risk of exposure to upper respiratory viruses or bacteria. This may result in sneezing or coughing.

By signing below I acknowledge that I have been informed of all requirements and risks associated with boarding my pet at Mount Dora Veterinary Hospital. I understand that the risks associated with boarding my pet at Mount Dora Veterinary Hospital and all of its representatives from any/all legal and financial responsibilities from any illness that may result from my pet's stay at the facility.

Permission to treat: Should my pet(s) become ill, by signing below I authorize an Mount Dora Veterinary Hospital veterinarian to provide all medical and surgical treatment as necessary. I acknowledge that in event of my pet's illness, the Mount Dora Veterinary Hospital staff may not be able to contact me immediately and is therefore authorized to initiate appropriate treatment until I (or the pet's agent) can be reached. I agree to pay all related expenses associated with treatment of my pet until I am available to discuss further care with the attending veterinarian. If my pet has a serious illness or injury that becomes critical during my absence, I want the doctors to:

**Resuscitate my pet**

**Do Not Resuscitate my pet**

I agree to and understand this policy.

Client Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Pet(s) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Boarding Dates: \_\_\_\_\_

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