## NORTH COUNTY ANIMAL HOSPITAL

## **BOARDING POLICY**

Our hospital staff takes pride in providing a clean and comfortable environment with personalized attention for your pet. Please stop by to see our boarding facility and meet our staff. Our biggest concern is that your pet be well taken care of when you are unable to care for them yourself.

All owners must present verification of vaccinations by a veterinarian and be current on vaccines during the dates their pet is to be boarded.

- 1. Cat vaccinations include an annual or 3 year Rabies and an annual Feline Distemper (FVRCP) vaccine. A Bordetella vaccine is also required within the last 6 months.
- 2. Dog vaccinations include an annual or 3 year Rabies and an annual Canine Distemper and Parvo vaccine. A Bordetella (kennel cough) vaccine is also required within the last 6 months.
- 3. Ferret vaccinations include an annual Rabies and Canine Distemper vaccine

All owners must present verification of an intestinal parasites stool analysis within 6 months of boarding. All pets without verification will have a stool analysis performed during their stay and dewormed if necessary at the owners expense.

All pets must be flea and tick free and have a flea and tick preventative applied within 14 days of boarding. Pets presented with fleas or ticks and or not on preventative will be treated at the owners expense with oral or topical preventative.

We provide bedding, premium pet food and water. Owners have the option of providing their own pets food, bed, and a toy or security item to make their pet feel more comfortable during their stay.

Pets will receive clean living quarters daily.

Dogs will be walked or allowed to exercise in our fenced yard a minimum of 3 times daily. Cats will receive personalized attention a minimum of 2 times daily.

Owners need to bring with them prescription diets and any medications their pets are due to receive during their stay including heartworm prevention. There will be a charge for prescription diets or medications replaced.

All pets will receive a bath, pedicure, and ear cleaning at the end of their stay at no additional charge. For this reason pets may be picked up between 3:00-6:00 Monday thru Friday and between 10:00-12:00 on Saturdays. There are no discharges on Sundays.

If your pet should require medical attention during its stay, we will make every effort to get in touch with you or a responsible contact person. However, if we are unable to reach a responsible party, routine charges will apply.

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