

Are You Leaving the Island?



Preparing to Fly

-Contact your airlines as soon as you find out a departure date. Each airline has specific requirements.

Ask your airline carrier the requirements for traveling with your pet. Inquire about: pet weight, breed restrictions, check in time, kennels, food/toys in kennel, safety of your pet, etc.

-Domestic Travel: Army Policy requires that all pets need to be current on their vaccinations/labs at least 10 days PRIOR to the health certificate appointment.

-International Travel: Army Policy requires that all pets need to be current on their vaccinations/labs at least 10 days PRIOR to the health certificate appointment. Every country has different requirements for entry. If you anticipate an international move start your in processing **AS SOON AS POSSIBLE**. Some countries require extra vaccinations/labs done at least 1 year prior to entry.

Please reference the USDA website for the most current information for exporting your pets:

<http://www.aphis.usda.gov/regulations/vs/iregs/animals/>

Then please contact our Hawaii Port Veterinarian to start paper work:

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*Please have all paperwork for international travel at your health certificate appointment. An appointment with Dr. Falls is also required for departure; schedule an appointment with Dr. Falls the afternoon of your health certificate appointment with our facility.

Health Certificate

Health Certificates are REQUIRED for departure for all pets from Hawaii. Health certificates are valid for 10 days, the 10 days STARTS on the day that a veterinarian issues the certificate.

To book a Health Certificate at our facility, you will need to be registered with our facility. You will need to ensure that your pets are current on required vaccinations and lab tests. Vaccinations and labs must be completed at least 10 days PRIOR to a health certificate appointment. Vaccinations cannot be done during a health certificate appointment. If vaccinations will be done at an alternate facility, please ensure our facility has a copy of the vaccinations and labs at least **3 days** prior to your appointment, if no vaccinations are on file your appointment will be *subject to cancellation*.

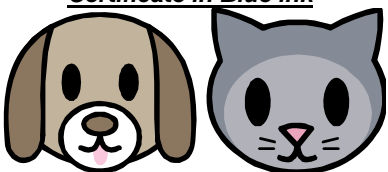
Required Vaccinations and Labs:

Canines: Rabies, DAPP and Fecal

Feline: Rabies, FVRCP and Fecal

To schedule an appointment at our facility please stop by our facility or call, 808-257-3643. Our schedule for each proceeding month begins every 15th (ex: If it is January, and you would like to book for February, call us after January 15th.) We only have one phone line at our facility, if you decide to call, please leave a clear detailed voicemail and we will return you call within 48 hours.

At your appointment, please bring your pet, all of your pets records, PCS orders (if applicable) and 2 signed copies of Rabies Certificate in Blue ink



Health certificates do not certify that pet will board the airline. This is at the airlines discretion. Health certificates only certify that the pet is healthy enough to fly for the 10 allotted days. Airlines maintain the right to refuse acceptance of any animal that is exhibiting aggressive behavior.

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