



Benning Animal Hospital Boarding My Cat

Thank you for choosing Benning Animal Hospital (BAH) to board your pet. If your pet has not had a physical exam by one of our doctors in the past 12 months or has never been seen here before, we will require that he/she receives one while here. **Your pet will be checked for intestinal parasites at your expense every 6 months unless currently taking monthly heartworm prevention, then your pet will be checked annually.** If your pet is found to have intestinal parasites, he/she will be treated at your expense to ensure their comfort and to prevent the spread of parasites from one cat to another. All pets are watched closely and are boarded in separate kennels to minimize contact between pets. Pets suffering from anxiety will be treated to minimize damage to property and themselves. If your pet injures itself while boarding, we will treat at your expense. We will do everything we can to ensure your cat has a pleasant stay at Benning Animal Hospital.

VACCINATIONS: All cats that board at BAH must have proof of current vaccinations for rabies, fvrpc, and bordetella. If your pet has never received the bordetella vaccine, we can administer it here while the pet is boarding, but please understand that it may not be as effective if given the day of arrival (we prefer to give the vaccine at least 2 weeks prior to boarding).

FLEA/TICK PREVENTION: To ensure that the spread of fleas does not occur in our facility, we will be treating all boarders with a capstar pill upon arrival, unless you are already administering monthly flea prevention (i.e. easy spot, revolution, etc). You may opt to purchase easy spot or revolution (lasts for 30 days) that can be applied while here. Just ask your receptionist for pricing.

BEDDING: Bedding, bowls, and litter boxes will be provided by BAH. You may leave your pet carrier with us during your pet's stay. Please be sure your name and your pet's name are on the carrier. Please do not leave collars or leashes with your pet (they may get misplaced while boarding).

FEEDING: Your cat will be fed a quality dry food. If your pet does not eat our food, we will try canned or special food to encourage them and ensure good nutrition. If we have to continue this special feeding, you will incur additional charges. If you wish to bring your own food, we will feed according to your instructions.

MEDICATIONS: If your pet requires medication, we will give it according to your instructions. There is a \$3.25 fee to administer the medication daily.

BATHING/NAIL TRIMS: If you would like your cat bathed or its nails trimmed, please tell the receptionist so it will indicated on the boarding card. We will bathe your pet the night before your pick up. If your schedule changes, please notify us so we will have your pet ready for you. You will be charged for repetitive bathing.

PAYMENTS: We accept payment the day you drop off. If your pet is here for long-term boarding (over 10 nights), we require a credit card number on file. Any additional charges must be paid the day you pick up before your pet will be released to you.

HOURS OF OPERATION: BAH is open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday from 7:30am until 6:00pm, Wednesday 7:30am until 5:00pm, and Saturday 8:00am until 3:30pm. We are closed for lunch on Saturday from 12:00pm until 12:45pm. We are closed from 12:30pm until 2:00pm on the second Tuesday of every month. We are closed all day on Sunday!

SIGNATURE: _____

PETS NAME: _____ **DATE:** _____