

# **Veterinary Medical Center of Turlock**

## **Boarding Information and Requirements**

### **Prices:**

Dogs: Large (Over 50lbs) \$20.00 per night  
Small (Under 50lbs) \$17.00 per night  
Cats: All sizes \$12.50 per night

### **Cages/Runs:**

Dogs: Large Run: 6 x 7 feet  
Small Run: 2.5 x 7 feet  
Outside Runs:  
Extra Large Runs: 11.5 x 16.5 feet  
Large Runs: 7.5 x 16.5 feet

These runs have a covered roof and shade netting to block the sun. Dogs are only put outside during the daytime (weather permitting) and are brought in for the night.

Cats: Large Cage: 29 x 29 inches  
Small Cage: 22 x 29 inches

### **Walks:**

The boarding price includes one walk twice daily. The walks are about 5 minutes long and are done between 7-8 am & 4-5pm.

### **Food/Water:**

Dogs: Dry food- Iams Intestinal (lessens chance of loose stools with diet change)  
Canned- Pedigree  
Cats: Dry food- Iams Original Adult  
Canned- Friskies

All food can be fed separately or mixed together. Our kennel diets are chosen specifically to minimize health problems associated with the stresses of boarding.

Medically-indicated dietary needs can be accommodated if foods are provided in sealed plastic containers, cans or foil pouches.

We charge an additional \$3 per day for feeding diets other than our kennel diet.

### **Vaccination Requirements:**

We require current vaccinations and an annual stool parasite screen for animals that are boarding at Veterinary Medical Center. If your pet was given vaccines elsewhere, please bring proof of vaccinations when dropping your pet off for boarding. A copy will be made to be kept on file. If vaccinations are not current then we will need to update them when your pet comes in. We recommend updating Bordetella 1 to 2 weeks before boarding to fully protect against the bacterium. For your convenience we can obtain stool samples while your pet is staying with us.

\*Dogs: Rabies, DHPP, Bordetella/Parainfluenza, and Annual Fecal Exam

\*Cats: Rabies, FVRCP, Annual Fecal Exam

### **Medication:**

If your animal needs medication of any kind while boarding we will be more than happy to make sure the medication is given. We charge by the number of times per day medications are given, not by the number of medications. Please remember to bring your pet's medication with you when dropping them off for boarding.

Medication Administration Charge: \$2.00 per administration

### **Other Information:**

We provide clean fleece beds to all pets. You are more than welcome to bring a bed or blanket for your pet, however, please realize that bedding may get soiled and may be in the wash when you arrive. All cats are provided with a clean litter box and are moved to a new cage daily. All dogs are moved to a new run twice daily. During weekends our staff comes in to take care of the animals and to do any treatments supervised by the doctor on call. Our kennel nurses are trained to look for any signs of stress or illness and report it to the doctor for the recommended treatment that is needed.

**During the holidays boarding gets overbooked very quickly. Please call ahead to make reservations for your pet.**

If you have any questions or would like to make a reservation please feel free to call 634-4974. Thank You!