

## International Travel with Pets

Before coming in for your pet's physical exam for travel, please carefully review our list of items to ensure you are prepared for the visit:

- ❖ Examination appointments should be made at maximum 10 days prior to the date of departure.
- ❖ Please send in advance the full destination address and contact phone numbers along with the flight information for the pet. Please make sure to provide the date of departure when scheduling the appointment.
- ❖ If this will be your pet's first visit, please provide previous medical history
- ❖ Proof of vaccines with current Rabies certificate are required.
- ❖ If your pet has recently received the first valid Rabies vaccine it must be a minimum of 21 days prior to the date of arrival in the destination country. Specifically, if the country follows the European Union's regulations for import.
- ❖ Proof of microchip application and date
- ❖ Always check USDA website for travel information on your specific destination country. Check the page for the most current information. This is the best place to find out which specific form(s) will be needed to enter the destination country. Contact information is listed below for the main USDA offices working with the DC metro area if you have specific questions. In many cases, the embassy of the destination country may provide information as well.

**\*\*Please send all required information to [info@palisadesvetclinic.com](mailto:info@palisadesvetclinic.com) a minimum of 72hrs prior to your scheduled appointment \*\***

***Note: Due to the length and complication of these forms, additional business days may be required for completion. Please allow for this extra time when scheduling your visit.***

**USDA Locations Servicing the DC Metro area:**

**(Mail ONLY)**

USDA, APHIS, VS – Exports  
500 New Karner Road  
2nd Floor  
Albany, NY 12205

(518) 218-7540

**\*\*When sending your forms to USDA APHIS NY please include a prepaid return envelope (*FedEx or UPS recommended*) with your submission. Your submission should *ALWAYS* be the original set of forms. *NEVER* submit a copy of a certificate for endorsement.**