

Dear Client,

It is imperative that all steps are followed correctly in order for you and your pet(s) to travel abroad.

International Certificate Steps:

1a. Make an appointment with your vet a minimum of **30 days prior** to your travel date for an exam and to ensure your pet(s) has all of the requirements needed for international travel. **Please fill out our travel form so that we can start on your paperwork. Appointments are not confirmed if the travel form has not been received 24 hours prior to your appointment.**

To download a travel form visit: https://touhyanimalhospital.com/service/travel-certificates/

1b. Make an appointment with your vet **10 days** before your flight to get your international certificate. Upon completion of your second appointment **you will leave with a filled-out travel certificate and required rabies vaccination documentation. This certificate needs to be mailed to the USDA for endorsement.**

**Please note that certificates without endorsements are not valid for travel. **

1c. Provide payment of \$38.00 to the USDA by check or credit card. Please make your check payable to the USDA. If paying by credit card, please fill out the attached credit card form. Include payment information in your envelope.

1d. Mail your envelope to the address below. (We highly recommend using FedEx or UPS with expedited or overnight shipping). Double check the following are in your envelope prior to sending:

- Travel Certificate Papers (provided by our office)
- Copy or copies of rabies vaccination(s) (provided by our office)
- Payment to the USDA (check or credit card form
- A return address shipping label (so that the certificate is mailed back to you after being endorsed)

Mailing address for USDA:

USDA, APHIS, Veterinary Services

VETS Service Center Great Lakes

1111 Deming Way, Suite 100 Madison, WI 53717

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Happy and Safe Travels!