Special Services Available

If your pet is in need of **surgery** or a **dental cleaning**, we can schedule the procedure to be done while boarding when possible. Just let us know when making a reservation so we can schedule it with the doctor you request.

Grooming and baths can also be scheduled when time allows so your pet goes home clean and beautiful. Make an appointment early to guarantee availability. Boarders being bathed or groomed get a deal on their final boarding day. See the note under "Boarding Policies".

Our V.I.P. Program allows any pet to become a Very Important Pet! Upgrades available: extra play time, toys, elevated pet bed (runs only), nail trims, baths, & double size cat condo. Ask for more details.

Doggie Day Camp is for clients that only need to board during the day, not overnight. Campers get the same great care that longer term boarders receive. Prepaid passes can be purchased at discount, or you can opt for the daily rate. Choice of VIP potty OR playtime included with Doggie Day Camp.

If time is tight, we may be able to **pickup** and/or **return** your pet for you. This service is based on staff availability and cannot be guaranteed in advance. Call the day of drop-off/pickup to inquire. A small trip charge will apply.

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Take I-75 to exit #24 (S.R.129 West). Take the first exit, which is Cincinnati/Dayton Rd., and turn right. Immediately turn left onto Yankee Road at the first light. Go around a sharp bend, and we will be on the left side, at the corner of Yankee Road & Dutchland Boulevard.

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Pet Boarding at Liberty Veterinary Hospital



Liberty Veterinary Hospital is happy to provide on-site boarding facilities to our medical clients. We want you to feel as comfortable as possible about leaving your pet with us. Inside, you will find information regarding policies we have set up for all boarding pets to help us make sure your pet has a safe and pleasant stay. If you have questions regarding our boarding policies or facilities, please feel free to give our staff a call or stop by for a guided tour. We will be happy to show you our specially designed areas for your furry friends.

Kennel Check In & Check Out Hours:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, & Friday = 8am - 6pm Wednesday = 8am - 5pm Saturday = 9am - 1pm Closed Sundays & major holidays *

(* Kennel staff comes in to care for existing boarders only)

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Our Facility

Dog Boarding provides properly sized runs or cages with climate control and natural lighting for your canine family members. Larger adult dogs are housed in our kennel runs, while smaller dogs & puppies relax in our Small Dog Ward. This keeps the little ones from getting frightened by their bigger buddies. All dogs are exercised at least 3 times per day in grassy outdoor yards and fed per your instructions. Linens are provided for comfort, and elevated vinyl pet beds are also available. Hand painted murals add cheer, while music relaxes your pet during this potentially stressful time.



Kitty City is a separate boarding area for our feline friends. No barking dogs to frighten them here! Your cat is provided with their own individual condo with a view into our butterfly garden for hours of entertainment. Since cats are clever escape artists, we cannot allow them to go outdoors. However, we do allow private time roaming Kitty City so they can stretch out under the picture window.

Exotics Welcome Too! We can care for many other pets while you are away as well. From rabbits & guinea pigs to birds and reptiles... even fish. Ask us for details.

Book your pet's stay early! Summer, spring break, and holidays are extremely busy times for our kennel. We can make a reservation as far in advance as you need in order to guarantee you a spot. Thanksgiving, Christmas - New Year's week, and Lakota's spring break regularly sell out 6 or more months in advance. Summer and other holidays sell out weeks prior. Call today!

Our Boarding Policies

At Liberty Veterinary Hospital, we strive to make sure all pets are as healthy as possible while staying with us. Since all dogs use common play yards, we verify that every pet's vaccines and lab work are up to date and we require a physical exam with one of our doctors before boarding. This prevents misunderstandings when relying entirely on another veterinarian's notes. Listed below are vaccines and lab work we expect all pets to be current on. Overdue vaccines must be given at least one week prior to boarding admission. Tests or vaccines soon coming due can be performed during your pet's vacation with us.

<u>Canine Requirements (yearly unless noted otherwise):</u>
DAP1/DAPP3 (distemper, adenovirus, parvo, parainfluenza)
Rabies

Lepto (4 strain variety)

Canine Influenza (bivalent variety)

Kennel Cough (annually)

Fecal Analysis (every 6 months)

Heartworm Test

Feline Requirements (yearly unless noted otherwise):

HCP (feline distemper and respiratory diseases)

Rabies

Kennel Cough

Fecal Analysis (every 6 months)

FELV/FIV Combo Test (checks for feline leukemia and immunodeficiency virus).

2-year Feline Leukemia vaccine is recommended for cats with exposure to outdoors.

External Parasites We must keep our facility flea/tick and parasite free for the health of all patients. Therefore, ALL pets are *required* to be on a vet approved flea, tick (cats and dogs) and heartworm (dogs) preventative prior to admission. If they are not, *we will administer* flea, tick and heartworm medication which will be added to your invoice. Please let us know product names and most recent application dates as well as any known allergies at check in.

<u>Checkout Time</u> Boarders picked up by 1:00pm will not be charged for their last boarding day. Boarders *not being groomed* and picked up after 1:00pm, will be charged for the final day of boarding.

** Cancellation Policy ** We require 48-hour notice for cancellations or to alter a reservation date.

What To Bring or Not Bring?

First of all, please bring your pet's vaccine & lab test records with you if not a current medical client at Liberty Veterinary Hospital.

We ask that owners please bring their own food from home in order not to cause digestive upset when changing suddenly from one food to another. If you forget or cannot bring your own food, we will substitute a Gastrointestinal diet. This food causes the least side effects when switching.

You should also feel free to bring toys or treats with you. This will comfort your pet with some reminders from home that will lessen the stress of separation.

If your pet needs medications, please bring those in their <u>original containers</u> so there is no confusion about what they are or how to give them. Please be aware that we do charge a small fee to administer medications.

We ask that you <u>DO NOT</u> bring in your pet's bedding from home. Pets act differently while boarding, and there is a risk they will chew and eat their own bed. This may result in emergency surgery to remove a foreign object. Rest assured we will provide comfortable bedding for your pet's stay.

Also please take any leashes or collars home with you. We remove collars while pets are boarding here to avoid choking hazard and use our own slip leads instead.

