

to keep all of our pets happy and healthy

**Disease can spread before, during, and even after an illness.** For most respiratory diseases, dogs and cats are most contagious BEFORE they appear sick. That's why it's important to make sure your pet is properly vaccinated before boarding or day care.<sup>1</sup>

## DISEASE CAN SPREAD FROM ANIMALS TO SURFACES TO OTHER ANIMALS AND PEOPLE<sup>1</sup>









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**Coughing**, sneezing

Urine, diarrhea, vomiting

**Contact between animals** 

Food/water bowls, toys

## ANYWHERE PETS ARE TOGETHER THEY ARE AT GREATEST RISK FOR ILLNESS

## What we do to keep pets healthy<sup>1</sup>



Require vaccinations









Strict use of work only clothing



Rapid isolation of sick animals

## THANK YOU FOR HELPING KEEP ALL OF OUR FURRY FRIENDS HAPPY AND HEALTHY!

Keep your pet home if he on she<sup>2</sup>:

IS COUGHING
HAS DIARRHEA
IS VOMITING

And let our staff know immediately

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