



**REPUBLIC OF PANAMA
MINISTRY OF HEALTH
DEPARTMENT OF ZONOSIS CONTROL**

Information to introduce small animals (dogs, cats, ferrets) to Panama

I. Requirements demanded of each pet.

- A. Health Certificate for Exportation for Small Animals (dogs, cats, ferrets) issued by the Health Authority from the country of origin. It has to certify that the pet is healthy and has been vaccinated for rabies and dated for dogs/cats three (3) months of age and older. Ferrets 14 to 16 weeks of age.

- B. Health Certificate for Exportation for Small Animals (dogs, cats, ferrets) shall have been legalized by the Apostille of the recognize authority or authenticated by the Panamanian Consulate from the country of origin.

II. Proceedings of the paperwork for quarantine

Receipt of the expective arrival of the pet(s) three (3) days prior to entry, with completed Quarantine Request. It can be downloaded from the website-www.minsa.gob.pa, icon "Zoonosis" at the end of the page and sent to: cam@minsa.gob.pa

III. The fee of quarantine is B/. 130.00 dollars per each animal.

CONTACT AND SCHEDULE OF ATTENTION TO THE PUBLIC

Schedule: Monday to Sunday: from 7:00 am. to 3:00 pm. and from 3:00 pm. to 11:00 pm.

Phone: 507-238-3855, 507-238-4059, 507-512-9338. E-mail: cam@minsa.gob.pa

Observation: The fee needs to be cancelled in cash.