



REPUBLIC OF PANAMA  
HEALTH MINISTRY  
ZOOONOSIS CONTROL DEPARTMENT

**“GENERAL INFORMATION FOR EXPORTING SMALL ANIMALS FROM  
PANAMA”**

**I. Basic requirements:**

Each passenger that wants to depart from Panama to either country with their pets (dogs, cats and ferrets) should have the following documents:

1. **Vaccines record card or certificate** with valid date, specifically rabies.
2. **Health certificate** of the pet issue by a clinician veterinary doctor.
3. **Phytozoosanitary Exportation License** issue by official veterinary doctor of Agricultural Ministry (MIDA) at “Ventanilla Unica” located in Plaza Edison of Ricardo J. Alfaro Way (Tumba Muerto). Phone: (507) 560 – 5890.

**If you are coming back before 30 days**, you can present the true copy of the Phytozoosanitary Exportation License with the returning stamp, until 30 days of the document issue date.

**II. Important Note:**

Since each country has their own specific requirements for the arrival of pets, we recommend to get inform with the airline, consulate or the sanitary authority of the country of final destination to confirm the requirements demand.

For more information you can visit the websites: [www.mida.gob.pa](http://www.mida.gob.pa) or [www.minsa.gob.pa](http://www.minsa.gob.pa) or communicate at the phones: (507)238-3752 (507)238-3855 or email at: [tramitezoo@mida.gob.pa](mailto:tramitezoo@mida.gob.pa) [cam@minsa.gob.pa](mailto:cam@minsa.gob.pa) [camzoonosis@gmail.com](mailto:camzoonosis@gmail.com)