

INFORMATION FOR REFUGEES COMING FROM UKRAINE WITH THEIR ANIMALS

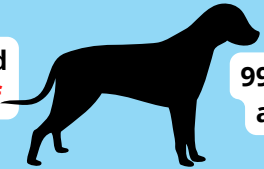
Have you arrived from Ukraine with your pets?

We want to protect you, your pets, other animals and the rest of the population against the rabies virus.

Why is it important to protect against rabies?



Rabies is transmitted through the **saliva of infected animals**



99% of human cases are caused by **dog bites**

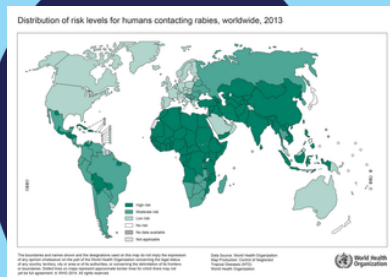


Rabies is a **fatal disease**, once symptoms appear. In the world, **1 person dies every 9 minutes** (according to WHO)

FREE

Spain has been **rabies-free** since **1978**

Except in 2013: 1 case of rabies in a dog imported from Morocco. The animal bit several people and children



Rabies is present in the world and in some regions of Europe



In **Ukraine**: more than 1600 cases/year. In **2021**: **248 cases** of rabies in dogs and cats (according to OIE-WAHIS)

What should you do when you arrive in Spain?

Get in touch with:

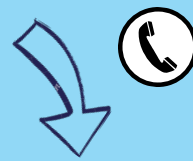
- Official Veterinary Services in Madrid

servicio.ganaderia@madrid.org

Phone number: +34 902024466 (9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m, from Monday to Friday)

And provide your:

- name, ID/Passport, contact mobile number or Whatsapp, e-mail
- destination address in Spain
- information about your pets: species (cat, dog, ferret), breed, sex, colour, date of birth.



We will call you to give you instructions and apply the necessary measures to your pets (they will be free of charge):



VACCINATION



MICROCHIP IDENTIFICATION

ISOLATION



SEROLOGY

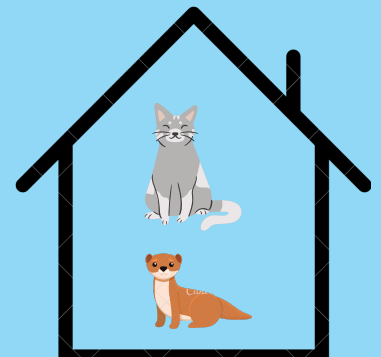
What should you do in your daily life?



ALWAYS WALK YOUR DOG ON A SHORT LEASH AND MUZZLE



DO NOT LET IT CONTACT OTHER ANIMALS OR PEOPLE



CATS AND FERRETS MUST BE ALWAYS KEPT INDOORS

IF YOUR PET BITES SOMEONE, TELL THEM TO GO TO THE HEALTH CENTER

AND YOU MUST CONTACT IMMEDIATELY



Municipal police

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