



Watchdog Pet Sitting Services & More
Terms of Agreement for Pet Care Services

This signed document is an agreement between Watchdog Pet Sitting Services & More and _____ (Client) for pet care services at _____ (address). Watchdog Pet Sitting Services & More agrees to provide all services to the Client in a reliable, trustworthy, and caring manner.

1. I authorize Watchdog Pet Sitting Services & More to enter the above address for the purpose of performing pet care services as outlined in the Client Profile and Pet Profiles which shall become part of this contract.
2. I authorize Watchdog Pet Sitting Services & More to obtain any emergency veterinary care that may be necessary during the time spent with my pet. I accept responsibility for any charges related to this emergency care. I also authorize Watchdog Pet Sitting Services & More to utilize an alternative veterinarian in the event my primary veterinarian is unavailable. Every effort will be made to contact the owner prior to obtaining emergency care.
3. Typically, morning visits are scheduled between 7:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m., mid-day visits between 12 p.m. and 3 p.m. and evening visits between 5 p.m. and 9 p.m. Your Care Specialist will visit at the requested times as closely as possible. However, if we are caring for multiple pets, the times may be shifted a little to accommodate all our clients. We will do our very best to arrive at the appointed times.
4. Overnight Pet Sitting - Your care specialist will stay at your home each night during your absence. The care specialist may leave your residence and pets at various times during the day and/or evening for a variety of activities (shopping, dining, etc.). These periods will typically consist of no more than 2-4 hours at a time. Both of our overnight care specialists have part-time employment and will typically be gone from your residence three or four times a week for up to 8 or 9 hours. The care specialist will always secure your home and see to the safety and comfort of your animals prior to leaving and upon their return.
5. Watchdog Pet Sitting Services & More accepts no responsibility for security of the premises or loss if other individuals have access to the home during the term of this agreement. Pet care will be performed only by Watchdog Pet Sitting Services & More during all assignments unless prearranged with the client.
6. I agree to reimburse Watchdog Pet Sitting Services & More for any additional fees for providing emergency care, as well as any expenses incurred for unexpected visits, transportation, housing, food, or supplies.
7. Watchdog Pet Sitting Services & More agrees to provide the services stated in this agreement in a reliable, caring and trustworthy manner. In consideration of these services and as an express condition thereof, the client expressly waives and relinquishes any and all claims against Watchdog Pet Sitting Services & More, its employees or assigns, except those arising from proven negligence of the pet sitter.
8. Watchdog Pet Sitting Services & More will not be liable for the injury, disappearance, death, or fines of any pet with unsupervised access to the outdoors.
9. All dogs will be required to be on leash during outdoor walks. We will not permit your dogs to interact with strange dogs. If dogs that are off leash approach, we will do our best to keep interaction at a minimum and move away from them.

10. Customer will be responsible for all medical expenses and damages resulting from an injury to the pet sitter or other persons by the pet. Customer agrees to indemnify and hold harmless Watchdog Pet Sitting Services & More in the event of a claim by any person injured by the pet.
11. Watchdog Pet Sitting Services & More reserves the right to terminate this contract at any time, at its sole discretion; likewise, client may terminate this contract at any time. There is no term of contract for service.
12. It is expressly understood that Watchdog Pet Sitting Services & More shall not be held responsible for any damage to client's property, or that of others, caused by client's pets during the period in which they are in its care. Client has advised Watchdog Pet Sitting Services & More of all situations, which will relieve it of liability for damage.
13. If you are not already doing so, consider letting us retaining 2 copies of your house key. In the event of an unexpected trip, you'll be glad you did. Keys are kept in a secured lock system and are labeled with clients first name only for client's safety. If you choose to not have us retain your key, there will be a \$5 charge per trip (picking up and returning your key) for time and mileage. Please check the key you provide us to ensure it works in your lock.
14. Fees are due as follows: 50% at the time of or prior to our first visit. We accept cash, checks, Venmo, PayPal, Zelle or Cash App for our services. For daily services, clients must provide notice of cancellation at least 4 hours prior to service. For overnight services, clients must provide notice of cancellation at least 24 hours prior to first night. If notice is given in less time, a cancellation fee equal to one daily visit or overnight stay may be charged. The client is responsible for all costs of collection if service payments are not received.
15. It is not unusual for trip plans to change at the last minute. However, please understand that we carefully schedule our time to service you and our other clients. Therefore, after our services begin, call us as soon as you know there is a change in your travel plans and we will adjust our schedule accordingly.
16. I attest to the fact that all dog & cat (if cat is indoor/outdoor) rabies vaccinations are current.
_____ (initial here & **provide copy of rabies certificate(s)**).
17. I authorize this contract to be valid approval for future services so as to permit Watchdog Pet Sitting Services & More to accept my reservations and enter my premises without additional signed contracts or written authorization.
18. I have completed and signed required veterinary release forms and my primary veterinarian will be notified of the services provided by Watchdog Pet Sitting Services & More in my absence.

I have read and agree to the aforementioned Guidelines and Policies which are a part of this agreement.

Signed _____
Client

Date _____

Signed _____
Watchdog Pet Sitting Services & More

Date _____

Please notify us upon your return to verify you no longer need our services and avoid unnecessary fees for additional visits.