



BERNALILLO COUNTY ANIMAL CARE SERVICES ANIMAL LICENSE APPLICATION



This license is for use in the unincorporated areas of Bernalillo County.

PET OWNER

Name _____ Date of Birth _____ Driver's License # _____
 Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____ Cell Phone _____
 Street Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
 Mailing Address _____ Property Owner Yes No
(if different from physical address, include Zip Code)

Animal(s)

Pet's Name _____ Type of Animal Dog Cat Ferret
 Breed _____ Primary Color _____ Secondary Color(s) _____ Age (years) _____
 Sex Male Female Spayed/Neutered Yes No Coat Length Short Medium Long
 Tail Type Docked Normal Weight Under 20 lbs 20 – 50 lbs Over 50 lbs License New Renewal
 Permanent Identification: Microchip # _____ Company _____
FOR OFFICE USE ONLY LICENSE # _____ DATE _____
RABIES TAG # _____ **EXPIRATION DATE** _____ **VETERINARIAN/CLINIC** _____

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I certify the information included in this application is correct, that I am 18 years of age or older, and that I am the owner of the described animal(s).

Signature of Owner

Date

<u>Pet Licenses</u>	<u>1 Year Fee</u>	<u>3- Year Fee</u>
Neutered or spayed dog, cat, or ferret	\$10	\$22
Neutered or spayed dog, cat, or ferret owned by person 62 years of age or older.....	\$2	\$5
Intact dog, cat, or ferret.....	\$20	\$50
Intact dog, cat, or ferret owned by person 62 years of age or older.....	\$4	\$10

Failure to renew licenses within 30 days of the expiration date will result in a penalty fee in addition to the cost of the license. The assessment fee will be equal to the price of the license.

An Animal License is required by the Bernalillo County Ordinance (Chapter 6 Section 6-41) for any dog, cat, or ferret over the age of three months. ***In addition, a current rabies certificate, microchip and proof of sterilization (if applicable) must be presented at the time of applying for a license.*** Licenses shall be purchased for minimum of one year. A three-year license may be purchased for a dog, cat, or ferret if the animal has a current three-year rabies certificate, which is good for at least two-thirds of the licensing period. A one-year or three-year license must be renewed upon its expiration date. Only a licensed veterinarian can provide proof of sterilization for an animal.

GENERAL INFORMATION AND REQUIREMENTS

- Written certification from a veterinarian is required showing current rabies vaccination.
- Rabies vaccination certificates shall include name of veterinarian who administered the vaccine, date given, expiration date and rabies tag number if given
- Microchip certification with number is required.
- If the animal has been surgically altered, a certification from a veterinarian showing the animal has been spayed or neutered must be included for reduced fee.
- Qualified service animals are required to be licensed; however they are exempt from the pet license fee.
- Pet licenses are required for all dogs, cats and ferrets three months of age and older

Payment may be in cash, money order, credit or check payable to Bernalillo County. If you have any questions concerning this application or your responsibilities as an animal owner, please call (505) 468-7387. The office hours are from 7:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. An incomplete application will be returned

In person, submit the completed application with appropriate payment to the Bernalillo County Animal Care Services Office, located at:

1136 Gatewood Avenue SW, Albuquerque, NM 87105

If mailed, send the completed license application to Bernalillo County Animal Care Services at:

PO BOX 12156, Albuquerque, NM 87195-2156