



Accreditation

National Veterinary Accreditation Program
301-851-3400
www.aphis.usda.gov/animal_health/vet_accreditation

Adverse Event Reporting

Submit reports of adverse events associated with animal foods or health products, as well as suspected failures of animal health products to the manufacturer and/or one of the following

Drugs and devices

FDA Center for Veterinary Medicine
888-FDA-VETS (888-332-8387)
www.fda.gov/AnimalVeterinary

Pet Foods and animal feeds

FDA Consumer Complaint Coordinator

Topical insecticides

National Pesticide Information Center
(sponsored by EPA)
800-858-7378
www.npic.orst.edu

Vaccines/biologics

USDA Center for Veterinary Biologics
800-752-6255
www.aphis.usda.gov/animal_health/vet_biologics

Animal Drugs

FDA Center for Veterinary Medicine
Report shortages of medically necessary veterinary drugs.
240-276-9300; askcvm@fda.hhs.gov
www.fda.gov/drugs
Food Animal Residue Avoidance Databank (FARAD)
Information on animal drugs and chemicals with the potential to cause foodborne residues. (sponsored by the USDA Cooperative State Research, Education and Extension Service).
888-USFARAD (888-873-2723)
www.farad.org

Blood Bank Resources

Animal Blood Resources International
A 24-hour hotline focusing on transfusion medicine (particularly blood component therapy), recommended dosages and infusion rates for canines and felines. No cost to caller.
800-243-5759
www.abrint.net

Blue Ridge Veterinary Blood Bank
A 24-hour commercial blood bank that focuses on transfusion medicine.
800-949-EVBB (3822)
www.evbb.com

HEMOPET
A 24-hour national, full service, nonprofit blood bank and educational network for animals.
714-891-2022
www.hemopet.org

Veterinarians Blood Bank
A commercial blood bank for canines and felines.
877-838-8553
www.vetbloodbank.com

American Association of Blood Banks
301-907-6977
www.aabb.org

Association of Veterinary Hematology & Transfusion Medicine (AVHTM)
Additional resources and links
www.vetmed.wsu.edu/org-AVHTM/links.asp

Controlled Drugs

DEA, Office of Diversion Control; registration
800-882-9539
www.deaiversion.usdoj.gov

Disaster and emergency response

FEMA Disaster Assistance
800-621-FEMA(3362)
www.fema.gov

Disease outbreaks

USDA-APHIS Emergency Operations Center
Report suspected animal disease outbreaks.
301-436-3110
www.aphis.usda.gov/animal_health/emergency_management

CDC Emergency Operations Center
24-hour hotline only for use by health care professionals or government officials in the event of a public health disaster.

770-488-7100
www.cdc.gov/phpr/eoc.htm

State Veterinarian

State Public Health Veterinarian

Food Safety

USDA Food Safety & Inspection Service (FSIS)
202-720-9113
www.fsis.usda.gov

Food & Drug Administration
888-SAFEFOOD (888-723-3366)
www.fda.gov/food

USDA Meat & Poultry Hotline
888-MPHotline (888-674-6854)
www.fsis.usda.gov/Food_Safety_Education/usda_meat_&_poultry_hotline

Insurance

Group Health & Life Insurance Trust (GHLIT)
800-621-6360
avmaghlit.org

Professional Liability Insurance Trust (PLIT)
800-228-7548
avmaplit.com

Other

Impaired Veterinarians & Veterinary Technicians

Impaired Veterinarians Information Line
(sponsored by the AVMA)
800-248-2862 ext 6738
www.avma.org/myavma/wellness

Pet Loss Support – grief counseling

Chicago VMA

630-325-1600

www.chicagovma.org

Cornell University

607-253-3932

www.vet.cornell.edu

University of Illinois

217-244-CARE (2273) or 877-394-CARE (2273)

www.vetmed.illinois.edu

Michigan State University

517-432-2696

www.cvm.msu.edu

P&G Pet Care, Pet Loss Support Hotline

888-332-7738

The Ohio State University

614-292-1823

www.vet.osu.edu

University of Tennessee

865-755-8839

www.vet.utk.edu/socialwork

Tufts University

508-839-7966

www.tufts.edu/vet

Virginia-Maryland Regional College of Veterinary Medicine

540-231-8038

www.vetmed.vt.edu

Washington State University

509-335-5704 or 866-266-8635

www.vetmed.wsu.edu

Poison Control

ASPCA Animal Poison Control Center

Small fee per case for veterinarians enrolled in the Veterinary Life Line Partner Program. No charge for calls covered by ASPCA Animal Product Safety Service.

888-426-4435

www.aspc.org/apcc

Pet Poison Helpline

A 24-hour, nationwide service offered by the Pet Poison Control Center. Small fee charged.

800-213-6680

www.petpoisonhelpline.com

Shipping

Animals

Centers for Disease Control & Prevention

For information about importing animals into the United States.

800-CDC-INFO (800-232-4636)

www.cdc.gov

USDA Veterinary Services area office

Specimens

Department of Transportation, Office of Hazardous Materials

800-467-4922

www.phmsa.dot.gov/hazmat

Workplace Safety

Occupational Safety & Health Administration (OSHA)

800-321-OSHA (6742)

www.osha.gov

LOCAL CONTACT INFORMATION

Clinic name

Clinic address

Clinic phone

Local Animal Control

Emergency Hospital

Specialists

State Veterinary Medical Association

State Licensing Board

Important Resources for Veterinarians

