

Small Animal Vaccine Clinic

1. The term “small animal vaccine clinic” shall mean a privately or publicly supported vaccination clinic where a veterinarian performs vaccinations and/or immunizations against disease on multiple animals, and where the veterinarian may also perform preventative procedures for parasitic control.
2. A veterinarian must remain on site throughout the duration of a vaccine clinic and must maintain autonomy for all medical decisions made. The veterinarian is responsible for proper immunization and parasitic procedures and the completeness of recommendations made to the public by the paraprofessional staff that the veterinarian supervises or employs. The veterinarian is responsible for consultation and referral of clients when disease is detected or suspected.
3. The disposal of waste material shall comply with all applicable state, federal, and local laws and regulations.
4. All drugs and biologicals shall be stored, maintained, administered, dispensed and prescribed according to the manufacturer’s recommendations and in compliance with state and federal laws.
5. Lighting adequate for the procedures to be performed in the vaccine clinic.
6. Table tops shall be of a material suitable for regular disinfecting, and cleaning, and shall be cleaned and disinfected regularly.
7. Equipment must be of the type and quality to provide for the delivery of vaccines and parasiticides in the best interest of the patient and with safety to the public.
8. Fresh, clean water shall be available for sanitizing and first aid. Disposable towels and soap shall be readily available.
9. A small animal vaccine clinic shall have the ability and equipment to provide immediate emergency care at a level commensurate with the specific veterinary medical services it is providing.
10. The vaccine clinic shall provide a legible list of the name, address and hours of operation of all facilities that provide or advertise emergency services and when applicable the location of other clinics provided by the same entity on that day, that are located within a 30- minute or 30-mile radius.
11. A central location for all medical records should a copy of the medical records be requested by the client or on behalf of the client by another veterinarian.
12. If any diagnostic tests are performed or prescription medication is provided, administered, prescribed or dispensed, then a valid VCPR must be established, including a complete physical exam and Medical Records as defined in section 2032.3: Record Keeping; Records: Contents; Transfer.
13. The veterinarian shall be identifiable to the public by some acceptable means, which may include the posting of a copy of the veterinarian’s license, as set forth in section XXXX.X