



Otsego County
2016 Rabies Vaccination
Free Clinics
For All Pet Dogs, Cats & Ferrets



PET OWNERS: Compulsory vaccination is required for all dogs and cats in Otsego County. The incidence of confirmed positive rabies cases of raccoon rabies continues in Otsego County. Every dog and cat three (3) months of age or older is required to be vaccinated.

- **Previous rabies Vaccination Certificate must be presented to receive a 3 year booster (NO EXCEPTIONS).**
- The vaccine being used gives 1 year protection for domestic dogs and cats receiving their **first** vaccination and 3 years protection for domestic dogs and cats receiving a booster.
- Domesticated ferrets require vaccination each year.
- Even pet dogs and cats that stay indoors must be vaccinated.
- NYS law requires all dogs to be licensed. A license will not be issued for a time period extending beyond the date of the dogs rabies certificate.
- It is NYS law that any unvaccinated pet exposed to a rabid or suspected rabid animal be euthanized or quarantined for 6 months at **owners'** expense.
- It is NYS law that any unvaccinated pet that bites may be confined for ten days at a facility at **owners'** expense.

DOGS MUST BE ON A LEASH & UNDER PROPER CONTROL

CATS AND FERRETS SHOULD BE IN A PILLOW CASE OR CARRYING CASE

*LIMIT OF 15 PETS PER PERSON

✓ **LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS HAVE VOLUNTEERED THEIR FACILITIES FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE. IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR PET. IT'S THE LAW, YOU CAN BE FINED.**

CLINIC DATES & PLACES ARE LISTED BELOW

April 12 (Tues)	Worcester Town Barn	6-8pm	Dr. Fassett
April 21 (Thurs)	Richfield Town Barn	6-8pm	Dr. Lea
May 04 (Wed)	Oneonta Neahwa Park	6-8pm	Dr. Zeh
June 02 (Thurs)	Unadilla Clifton St. Park	6-8pm	Dr. Good
June 14 (Tues)	Edmeston Town Barn	6-8pm	Dr. Fassett
July 13 (Wed)	Morris Fire Department	6-8pm	Dr. Zeh
August 17 (Wed)	Oneonta Neahwa Park	6-8pm	Dr. Puritz
September 13 (Tues)	Cherry Valley Town Barn	6-8pm	Dr. Fassett
September 29 (Thurs)	Burlington Flats Town Barn	6-8pm	Dr. Lea
October 12 (Wed)	Otego Fire Department	6-8pm	Dr. Puritz
December 07 (Wed)	Susquehanna Animal Shelter	4-6pm	Dr. Puritz

Dogs, cats & ferrets may be taken to ANY CLINIC listed.

Questions? Call The Otsego County Department of Health (607) 547-4230.