



Licensing a Dog in Wall Township

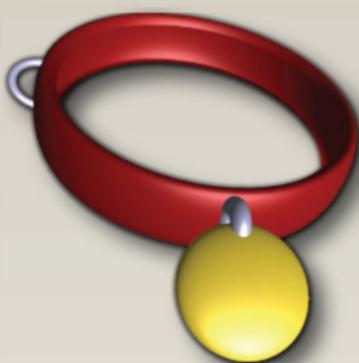
Do I need to license my dog?

- Yes, as per state statute N.J.S.A 4:19-5.1 et seq. **all** dogs in the State of New Jersey must be licensed.
- **Annually, dog licenses expire January 31 of each year**, regardless of when the license was obtained the previous year.
- Per the State of New Jersey, puppies do not have to be licensed in Wall Township until they are (7) seven months old.
- Newly acquired dogs must obtain a license within ten (10) days of acquisition.



What are the licensing requirements?

- State law requires dogs be vaccinated for rabies.
- Rabies vaccination must have a duration of immunity which extends throughout at least ten (10) of the twelve (12) months of the licensing one-year period. **(Valid through October 31 of the current licensing year).**
- Unfortunately, New Jersey State law does not allow us to waive any vaccination deadlines.
- Dogs are not required to be neutered. If your dog is spayed/neutered proof from the veterinarian is required.



Where can my dog receive a rabies vaccination?

- The veterinarian.
- The Freehold Area Health Department hosts free rabies clinics for residents of New Jersey.
- The Associated Humane Society of New Jersey

(Please visit their website for updated rabies clinic dates)





How not to be in the “dog house”:

- License your dog annually.
- Pick up after your dog.
- Keep your dog on a leash, it's the law!
- Obtain necessary vaccinations.

Additional dog information:

- If you lose your issued tag, replacements can be obtained for \$1.00 (one dollar).
- If you move or your dog passes away, kindly notify the Clerk's Office.
- Please review Wall Township Ordinance Chapter 65: Animals for more information on dog licensing.

Can my dog be revaccinated before the expiration of the last shot?

- Yes, most veterinarians will revaccinate your dog before the expiration of the last shot.
- An exemption to the rabies inoculation requirement shall be granted if the owner presents written certification from a licensed veterinarian that the dog cannot be vaccinated due to a medical condition or course of therapy.

How much does a dog license cost?

- If spayed/neutered **\$12.00 (twelve dollars)** per dog.
- If **not** spayed/neutered **\$15.00 (fifteen dollars)** per dog.
- Renewal/payments received after January 31 will incur a \$5.00 late fee per dog.



What are the benefits of licensing my dog?

- It's the law.
- Licensing identifies your dog and allows you to be quickly reunited with your pet in case he/she ever gets lost.
- A license ensures that dogs are vaccinated against rabies.



GOOD DOG



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THE FREEHOLD AREA HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Telephone: (732) 294-2060

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Freehold, NJ 07728

ASSOCIATED HUMANE SOCIETY OF NEW JERSEY

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Tinton Falls NJ 07753

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Name of Owner

Owner ID

Address

Street

Town

State

Zip

Home Phone

Cell Phone

E-mail Address

Name of Dog	Sex M/F	Spay/Neuter (Y/N)	Rabies Expiration	Hair Length (S/M/L)	Color	Breed	No Longer Own