



JEFFERSON COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

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Jefferson County Will Hold First Appointment Only Rabies Clinic

Watertown, NY July 1, 2020~ Jefferson County Public Health Service (JCPHS) is offering its first appointment only rabies vaccination clinic in order to adapt to the new health and safety challenges presented by the COVID-19 pandemic. The rabies clinic will be held Thursday, July 16th 5-7pm at the Jefferson County Dog Control. **Preregistration is required and appointments are limited.**

Residents should pre-register early at www.jcphs.org to reserve their appointment(s). If you have multiple pets that need vaccination, an appointment is required for EACH pet. Pets must be properly restrained using a leash and collar, harness, cage or pet carrier. Pets must be at least 3 months of age. A second vaccination must be given within one year of the first, and pets must be actively immunized against rabies thereafter. Proof of current vaccination is required to qualify for a three-year certificate. If it is not provided, the certificate will be for one year.

To ensure the health and safety of attendees and staff, we require:

- Do not attend the clinic if you are ill.
- Wear a face covering at all times.
- Keep at least 6 feet between people.
- Only one person at the clinic is preferred, or the absolute minimum to handle multiple pets.

A voluntary donation of \$10 per pet is appreciated to help defray clinic costs.

JCPHS is actively planning for additional clinic offerings throughout the summer and fall. To keep updated on the upcoming clinics follow us on [Facebook/JCPhs](https://www.facebook.com/JCPhs). For assistance pre-registering online, call 315-786-3730 (Monday-Friday 8 am-4 pm).

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