

OFFICE OF ACCESSIBILITY & ACCOMMODATIONS

ANIMAL WASTE MANAGEMENT GUIDELINES

Cat Litter Care

- All cats must be properly housebroken before living in campus housing.
- Use an appropriate litter box for the cat. Consider size, material, depth, and what supplies you will use in the litter box. The box should be large enough for the cat to comfortably move around without any overhang.
- The litter should be 2 to 4 inches deep in the box, depending on how much your cat digs.
- The litter box should have minimal impact on other people.
- Scoop the litter box free of all urine and feces at least twice per day. Place clumps in a securely
 tied bag and take it to the dumpster. Add new litter as needed depending on how much is scooped
 out.
- Completely empty the litter box weekly by putting it into a sturdy, securely tied bag and placing it in an outside dumpster.
- Wash the box thoroughly with soap and hot water every time you empty the litter.
- NEVER put any litter down the drains or toilets.

Caged Animal Care

- If the animal is removed from the cage while in campus housing, it must be properly housebroken.
- Please do research to ensure that you have the appropriately sized cage for your animal. The size of the cage will depend on the size and type of animal.
- Provide appropriate bedding/flooring material for your animal.
- Remove any uneaten fresh food daily.
- Clean out all bedding/flooring material and replace it weekly. Place material in a sturdy, securely tied bag and take it to an outside dumpster.
- Remove and wash all accessories in the cage weekly.
- Thoroughly wash the cage, inside and out, weekly.
- NEVER put any bedding/flooring material down the drain or toilets.

Dog Bathroom Care

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- All dogs must be properly housebroken before living in campus housing.
- Dogs should be taken outside to relieve themselves regularly. On average, healthy adult dogs need to go outside 3-5 times per day. Young dogs and old dogs will need to go more frequently.
- Take your dog to relieve itself in a location that is less used by people. Avoid common areas where students lay down in the grass, play sports, etc.
- Solid waste must be placed in sturdy, securely tied bags before being disposed of in outside trash dumpsters.