Q & A

For guests who inquire about our response to COVID-19

Can you take my pet if I am quarantined?

- At this time, it is recommended that you quarantine in place with your pet in your home if you are ill or under quarantine. If you are experiencing symptoms of COVID-19:
  - Avoid close contact with your pet
  - Wash your hands before touching or feeding the pet
  - Do not snuggle or kiss pets, or let them sleep in the bed
  - Do not cough or sneeze on your pet
  - Don’t let the pet have contact with other animals or people

Can animals get COVID-19 and spread it to humans?

- Both the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention as well as the World Organization for Animal Health have issued advisories saying there is no evidence that companion animals can spread the virus.

Should I handle pets differently if I am not sick or under quarantine?

- It is always a good practice to wash your hands before and after interacting with animals.

What should I do with my pet if I contract COVID-19?

- Prepare for the virus as you would any emergency, including:
  - Have plenty of pet food and supplies on hand
  - Make arrangements for pet care if you become ill and need assistance caring for your pet

Where can I get more information about COVID-19?

- This is a rapidly evolving situation and we encourage you to regularly consult the CDC’s website.