

Pets & GEF & Me

GEF Seniors Housing acknowledges the importance pets have in the lives of seniors—often providing social and emotional support, and unconditional love.

We also recognize that in our communities not all members may be comfortable around animals for health and personal reasons.

We ask that everyone follows these basic rules to ensure everyone is able to live comfortably and respectfully.



Do's and Don'ts for Pets in Lodge Community Living

Pets on the Property

DO keep and visit pets inside their home unit, except for walks and toileting purposes.

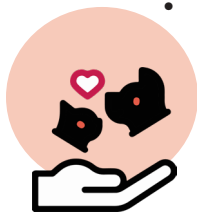
- Pets may visit other units as long as both parties agree to the visit and Site Management has confirmed that the unit is classed as pet-friendly.



Caring for Pets

DO be a responsible pet owner and ensure their quality of life is cared for.

- If the pet is not cared for properly, regulations are not being correctly followed, or the pet poses a danger to others, then permission to have the pet will be withdrawn.



Cleaning Up after Pets

DO clean up pet messes immediately.

- Use a plastic bag and dispose of the waste in a proper manner.



Managing Behaviours

DO ensure pets behave appropriately around others or their pets.

DON'T allow pets to make so much noise that it disturbs others.

- Some noise is inevitable, but constant, excessive noise is not acceptable.



Visiting Pets

DO get permission from Site Management before the pet visits.

- The visiting pet may be approved or denied on a case by-case basis.

DON'T take pets into common areas, including lounges and dining rooms, to visit (*service dogs are an exception*).

- Except for dining rooms, pets may be walked through common areas to enter or exit the building.

DO keep pets on a leash, in a pet carrier, or otherwise restrained whenever outside their unit or on GEF property.

DON'T leave pets alone for a period of more than eight (8) hours.

- The pet's designated guardian must care for the pet if the owner is away for an extended period.

DON'T dispose of pet waste in the garbage bins of the building's inside common areas. It smells.

DON'T allow pets to interfere with or harm others or their pets.

- If an injury or damage occurs, Site Management must be notified immediately.
- The pet owner is solely responsible for any claims, demands, actions, and costs resulting from any injury or damage their pet causes.

- The handler of the visiting pet is responsible for all actions of the pet, including cleaning up after them.



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