

5. Transportation Policy

To comply with the Animal Welfare (Licensing of Activities Involving Animals) Regulations 2018, we have policies and procedures in place to ensure safe transportation of dogs, to ensure that they are protected from any pain, suffering, injury or disease.



Action	Procedure
Transport by vehicle – vehicle (s) used	Ford Courier Van, fitted with ABS and air bags.
Emergency transport by vehicle – vehicle (s) used	As above
Housing of dogs during transport – harness / guard / crate	K9 crates. Secured to vehicle. Crash tested and with emergency hatch.
Housing of dogs during transport – temperature and ventilation	Van has air conditioning and fans on each crate.
Cleaning and disinfection of transport	After each use and deep cleaned weekly.
Minding of dogs while in a vehicle	Supervised at all times other than when collecting the next dog.
Hydration of dogs while in transport	Dog bowls provided in each crate
Toilet breaks for dogs in transport	Toilet breaks before getting into the crate and immediately on leaving the vehicle