

STEP BY STEP GUIDE TO



BRING YOUR PET BACK TO CANADA



1 GO TO THE CANADIAN FOOD INSPECTION AGENCY'S WEBSITE ([HTTPS://BIT.LY/CFIAPET](https://bit.ly/cfiapet)), AND FILL IN THE ONLINE FORM TO LEARN WHAT STEPS YOU NEED TO TAKE.



2 MAKE SURE TO HAVE A VALID RABIES VACCINATION CERTIFICATE FOR EVERY PET YOU OWN.



3 DETERMINE HOW BIG YOUR PET IS. THEN ASSESS YOUR OPTIONS FOR TRANSPORT.



4 CHOOSE THE MOST CONVENIENT/APPROPRIATE AIRLINE FOR YOUR SITUATION/NEED AND CHOOSE THE BEST PET CARRIER(S) FOR THE AIRLINE YOU SELECT.



5 CALL TO COMPLETE YOUR BOOKING INSTEAD OF BOOKING ONLINE. THIS WILL ENSURE IF YOUR PET CANNOT BE ACCOMMODATED ON THE FLIGHT(S) AND DATE(S) YOU SELECTED, YOU WON'T LOSE YOUR MONEY AND YOU CAN MAKE ALTERNATIVE PLANS.



6 MAKE SURE TO PROVIDE EVERYTHING YOUR PET WILL NEED BEFORE, DURING AND AFTER THE FLIGHT.



GOOD TO KNOW



Different ways to bring back your pet

PET SIZE

TRANSPORT OPTION

SMALL

- IN THE CABIN, UNDER THE SEAT IN FRONT OF YOU
- BAGGAGE COMPARTMENT
- CARGO AIRLINES

MEDIUM

- BAGGAGE COMPARTMENT
- CARGO AIRLINES

LARGE

- BAGGAGE COMPARTMENT
- CARGO AIRLINES

AIRLINES

Air CANADA

Air FRANCE

BRUSSELS AIRLINE

LUFTHANSA

Each airline has its own regulations.
Pay attention to all of the details before making your airline choice!

Canadian Food Inspection Agency

+ 1 800 442 2342

Air Canada Reservations
00 800 669 9222

Air FRANCE Call center
+ 1 800 667 2747

Lufthansa Reservations
+ 49 69 86 799 799

Brussels Airlines New Booking
+ 1 800 401 1801



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AIR CANADA - 3 WAYS TO BRING BACK YOUR PET

1 Pet travelling **IN THE CABIN** as one of your carry-on baggage must fit, in its carrier, **UNDER THE SEAT IN FRONT OF YOU***.

Pet must be small enough to stand, turn around and lie down in its carrier.

[DETAILS HERE!](#)

SOFT-SIDED carrier
Height: 27 cm (10.5 in)
Width: 40 cm (15.5 in)
Length: 55 cm (21.5 in)

HARD-SIDED carrier
Height: 23 cm (9 in)
Width: 40 cm (15.5 in)
Length: 55 cm (21.5 in)

2 Pet travelling in the **BAGGAGE COMPARTMENT**

[DETAILS HERE!](#)

Maximum allowable weight
Up to 45 kg (100 lb)
(pet and kennel combined)

Maximum carrier size allowed
292 cm (115 in) in linear dimensions
(length + width + height)

3 Pet travelling in the **CARGO**
[DETAILS HERE!](#)

International bookings for cats and dogs travelling in cargo must be made with a registered IPATA agent

***Transportation of most pets is prohibited during periods of extreme heat. Please check with your carrier!.

Some breeds of dogs are not allowed to fly in the cargo, please do some research!

