Wagtime Rules, Regulations & Waiver

INJURIES & ILLNESS: At Wagtime, we strive to provide your dog with excellent care and a fun experience during their stay. Although animals are supervised, injuries can still occur while dogs are playing together. Such injuries are not common, but they happen at all doggie daycares. In addition, while infrequent, dogs can get into fights, even under close supervision. Common areas for bites as a result of these fights are the snout, ears, tuft of the neck and paws. At Wagtime, we have procedures to screen dogs for aggressive behavior and we do not allow aggressive dogs to play with other dogs. However, even the friendliest of dogs can get into fights with very little or no warning. In addition to injuries, it is possible for dogs to transfer illness such as upper respiratory infections and kennel cough, even with the required vaccinations and boosters. This is just like at a daycare for children where illness such as pink eye and the flu can be transferred from one child to another. Such illnesses do not occur often and all dogs must have the necessary vaccinations to check-in. By placing your dog with us, you acknowledge these rules and agree as follows:

1.   I represent that my pet is up to date on all required vaccinations including but not limited to Rabies, Distemper and Bordetella (kennel cough).

2.   I agree that Wagtime will not be liable for any claims of injury, illness, damage or death to my dog during its stay, including but not limited to any claims for consequential damages, emotional distress or physical injury.

3.   I certify that I have informed Wagtime of all prior incidents of aggression by my dog. I agree that I am responsible for any harm caused by my dog while in the care of Wagtime. I shall indemnify Wagtime against any claims made against it or for losses or damages suffered by Wagtime as a result of my dog.

4.   I understand that, in the event my dog appears to be ill or at significant risk of experiencing a medical problem, Wagtime will attempt to contact me for instructions prior to seeking veterinary care. If I cannot be reached, I agree that Wagtime may use its reasonable discretion in seeking veterinary care on my behalf and I will be responsible for all related expenses. I understand that Wagtime will attempt to use my preferred veterinarian, but if my preferred veterinarian is unavailable or other circumstances mandate, I authorize Wagtime to use the veterinarians of its choice. I agree that Wagtime will not be liable for the actions and decisions of the veterinarian. I also agree to be responsible for any reasonable fees assessed by Wagtime for emergency care and transportation.

5.   I authorize my veterinarian to share the medical records of my dog with Wagtime and other veterinarians. I assume full responsibility for payment of all veterinary services rendered, including, but not limited to, diagnosis, treatment, necessary grooming, medical supplies, transportation and boarding. I agree to make such payments directly to the attending veterinarian or reimburse Wagtime if direct payment cannot be made.

6.   PHOTOGRAPHS: I understand that photographs, video or digital recordings are taken of the facility, pets, customers and staff on a regular basis for, among other things, use in advertising by Wagtime. I acknowledge that all such images, together with prints and copyrights, therein are the property of Wagtime. I give Wagtime my consent, permission, and authorization, without compensation to me, to use, reproduce, and alter the images, in print and electronic format (including the internet), either alone or in combination with other texts and graphics. I waive my right to approve the finished photograph, advertising copy, print material or electronic files that may be used in conjunction with the images.

This agreement and waiver is valid from the date below and grants permission for future veterinary care without the need for additional authorization each time Wagtime cares for one or more of my dogs.

Signature: _____

Print Name: _____ Date: _____

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