

MOVING YOUR PETS

FISH

- [] It is not practical to move fish in their aquarium
- [] Plan on giving the fish away and restock the aquarium

CATS AND DOGS

[] Traveling By Air

- Cats and dogs can be shipped by air or in the family car
- If flying, your pet can ride in the baggage compartment
- Your pet will need a health certificate from your vet
- Call the airline in advance to find out about special boxes
- Get some tranquilizers from your vet before going
- Put a piece of clothing with your scent in the animal's box

[] Traveling By Car

- Think twice about taking your dog or cat with you by car
- Animals get carsick, nervous and upset
- They must be fed and watered
- They have to make rest stops and they have to be on a leash

[] Hotel Stays

- Some motels and hotels don't allow pets
- Others have special facilities for handling travelers' pets
- Call in advance and check out available hotels
- National chains usually publish such information

SMALLER ANIMALS

- [] Hamsters, birds, mice etc. can be transported in the car
- [] Make sure they have enough food and water in their cages
- [] Make sure they are out of drafts or extreme temperatures
- [] Cover cages with a cloth to keep them quiet and restful