



Little Dudes Ferret Camp

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**Proof of
CANINE DISTEMPER AND RABIES Vaccination
and/or
Release of Liability Waiver**

CANINE DISTEMPER is highly contagious, airborne and almost always fatal in ferrets.

To date, Merial has suspend the production of their Purevax canine distemper vaccine which is the only USDA approved vaccine for ferrets. The replacement is called NOBIVAC DPv and while meant for puppies, has been tested and found to be safe and effective for ferrets.

RABIES is life threatening to animals AND humans.

The Imrab 3 rabies vaccine is USDA approved for ferrets and is required by law.

Date last vaccinated for Distemper _____ **Rabies** _____
Bring or fax proof to 425-793-5587 or email copy to ferretcamp@gmail.com)

Ferrets with a known previous allergic reaction to a vaccine should not have future vaccinations since it may be life threatening. LDFC will still care for your ferret as long as you understand the risk, however slight it might be. Please ask your vet for a copy of your ferret's vaccine allergy history so we can document our file.

If you cannot vaccinate your ferret please initial one or more of the reasons below:

My ferret(s) cannot be vaccinated because of a past life threatening allergic reaction to the vaccine(s) OR

My ferret(s) are not old enough to have the rabies and/or canine distemper vaccination series OR

I am unable to have my ferret vaccinated because my vet does not stock the Nobivac DPv vaccine

LDFC is not professionally or personally responsible for any ferret that becomes ill or dies from contracting rabies or distemper.

I acknowledge by signing below that I understand and accept the risks if my ferret(s) should acquire the distemper or rabies virus and has not ever been or is not adequately vaccinated.

Name of ferret(s)

Signature

Date