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Manual Pet Import Permit Applications on the King Fahd Causeway for Bahraini ID Holders

To enter Saudi Arabia each Importer must apply for a MEWA Import Permit, only Saudi/GCC Nationals or Iqama holders are eligible for online applications.

To allow Bahraini residents to move their pets to safety in Saudi Arabia we understand the MEWA office on the King Fahd Causeway is currently allowing importers not eligible for the online permit application to make a manual application in their office.

Expedited fees of SAR345 per pet must be paid directly to the MEWA office.

Standard entry requirements have not been relaxed, to enter Saudi Arabia each pet must have:

- **ISO Microchip**, implanted on or before the date of validating vaccinations
- **Valid core vaccinations (DHPPi for dogs/ FELV or FRCP for cats)**. Must have clinic stamp, batch/manufacturer details, and vet signature in any colour except black.
- **Valid rabies vaccination**. Must have clinic stamp, batch/manufacturer details, and vet signature in any colour except black. The MOST RECENT vaccination will be the only vaccine that is considered. Any previous rabies vaccines, even if still valid, will not be relevant. Entry must be at least 30 days after the most recent vaccine date and must have a minimum 30 days' validity after arrival.
- **International Health Certificate from origin country**
- **MEWA Import Permit**

A pet medical history is NOT sufficient evidence of vaccinations. MEWA require a vaccination book or vaccination certificate.

IMPORTANT – If you are planning on your pet flying elsewhere after arriving in Saudi Arabia you will still need a MEWA Export Permit and must meet the destination entry requirements. Transit Permits are not available from MEWA, and your destination country will only accept Saudi Arabia as the departure country, not Bahrain.

This update was prepared by Expat Logistics based on information provided by our Bahraini partners.

Expat Logistics accepts no responsibility for any errors or omissions. It is the pet owner's responsibility to ensure all documents are correct and will be accepted for departure from Bahrain and entry to Saudi Arabia