

## **SUGGESTED EMERGENCY AND ANIMAL HANDLING INSTRUCTIONS**

### **IN CASE OF A FIRE**

If there is a fire in any area of the practice premises:

1. Close the doors of the area containing the fire.
2. If there is no internal fire alarm provided, alert other staff members in the building.
3. Immediately call the FIRE DEPARTMENT at 911.
4. Evacuate animals.
5. Leave the premises, closing the outer doors.

### IN CASE OF EMERGENCY

1. To evacuate animals in case of fire, wrap cages or contain the animals and move them outside as quickly and as safely as possible.
2. In case of emergency, confine or contain animals and notify the veterinarian or person in charge as soon as possible.