

# Breed verification form

To ensure the well-being of all animals, American restricts certain breeds and mixes of brachycephalic (snub-nosed) cats and dogs, and will not accept them for travel due to the potential health issues associated with animal transport. This breed verification form is required for all cats and dogs and must be signed by a licensed veterinarian. If the animal is a mixed breed, then this form must state the predominant breed with the word “mix” or “mixed”.

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Shipper's Name

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## Restricted Breeds

The following breeds are not allowed for transport on American:

**Dogs:** American Staffordshire Terrier, Affenpinscher, Boston Terrier, Boxer, Brussels Griffon, Bulldog (all breeds), Cane Corso, Chow Chow, Dogue De Bordeaux, English Toy Spaniel, Japanese Chin, Lhasa Apso, Mastiff (all breeds), Pekingese, Pitbull, Presa Canario, Pug (all breeds), Tibetan Spaniel, Shar Pei, Shih Tzu.

**Cats:** Burmese, Exotic Shorthair, Himalayan, Persian

## Verification for your veterinarian to complete

I certify the above mentioned animal(s) is/are not a brachycephalic or snub-nosed breed on our list.

I certify the above mentioned animal(s) does/do not exhibit any signs or characteristics associated with brachycephalic syndrome.

I certify the above mentioned animal(s) is/are safe to travel and have no breathing risks arising from brachycephalic syndrome.

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Signature of Veterinarian

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Accreditation Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date