Animal hospital and vet clinic cleaning: what we clean

Walk the clinic with your practice manager, lobby door to wards, marking each room.

Practice _____ **Address** _____

Walked by _____ **Date** _____

Lobby and front counter

- ☐ Nose prints and paw smears off the entry glass, inside and out
- ☐ Walk-on scale, bench seating and retail shelves
- ☐ Check-in counter, pens, door handles and card reader area
- ☐ Tile and vinyl swept and wet mopped wall to wall, under seating
- ☐ Lobby restrooms scrubbed, mirrors polished, dispensers topped up
- ☐ Separate cat and dog waiting areas cleaned as their own zones

Exam, surgical and dental rooms

- ☐ Your protocol sets the room order and the product for each surface
- ☐ Tables, counters, sinks, stools and floors
- ☐ EPA-registered disinfectant left wet for the label dwell time
- ☐ Surgical and dental suites to the same written protocol
- ☐ Terminal clean of a surgery room, single visit or rotation: _____

Wards, kennels and treatment floor

- ☐ Started only once your team settles or moves the animals
- ☐ Floors, lower walls and run gates
- ☐ Drains and the base of kennel banks
- ☐ Ordinary trash and recycling
- ☐ Animals, bedding, bowls and patient cards left as arranged
- ☐ Vent grilles, baseboards and corners dusted on a rotation
- ☐ Bathing tubs, grooming tables, food prep counters: _____

Isolation rooms

- ☐ Own cloths, mop heads and gloves that stay in the room
- ☐ Cleaned last, color coding and sequence per your protocol
- ☐ Door closed behind the crew

Floors

- [ ] Ward and run floors scrubbed on a regular schedule
- [ ] Exam corridor vinyl tile stripped and refinished periodically
- [ ] Office carpet on its own calendar
- [ ] Floor work set for a slow afternoon or closed day

Staff side and access

- [ ] Break area and offices
- [ ] Client records, monitors and appointment sheets left unread
- [ ] Background checks done before keys or alarm codes change hands
- [ ] Paper towels, soap and liners from us or your stock

Notes