



DAERA authorised Private Veterinary Practitioner - Updated Pet Passport Guidance and new aPVP Application Form

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Audience: DAERA authorised Private Veterinary Practitioners

Subject: 1. Updated “How to Complete Pet Passports” Guidance on DAERA website
2. Updated aPVP application form

Content

1. Updated “How to Complete Pet Passports” Guidance

The previous document has been updated to reflect the following:

- Change in terminology from AVI to aPVP.
- The advice issued last year re issue of passports to GB pets in aPVP Bulletin 9/21.
- Action to re-label passports.
- To emphasise that certain tasks / preparation must be completed by an aPVP, i.e. issue of the passport, administration of rabies vaccine, rabies blood sampling for titre test and completion of that section of the passport.
- Updated contact details for reporting illegal imports to Trade Imports Team.

The updated document is available for viewing or download on the DAERA Website:

www.daera-ni.gov.uk/publications/eu-pet-travel-scheme-how-complete-pet-passports

2. Updated aPVP Application Form

A simplified application form is now available and should be used by all veterinary surgeons requiring authorisation as an aPVP. If you have already completed some training but have not yet submitted an application form you should also use the new form.

The new application form is available for download from the DAERA Website:

www.daera-ni.gov.uk/publications/authorised-private-veterinary-practitioner-application-form

To process all applications DAERA **must** have a completed application form, with a wet signature applied to a hard copy, as well as completion of all training relevant to your work.



Please send completed application forms to DAERATradeexports@daera-ni.gov.uk .

Please check that you have completed both steps.

Training - You can access DAERA certification training via [College of Agriculture, Food and Rural Enterprise | CAFRE](#)

Please let us know when you have completed all online training relevant to you to ensure we can progress your authorisation as quickly as possible. If you no longer require authorisation to certify a specific species/commodity for which online training is available please also let us know.

If you have any queries regarding the information in this bulletin please contact DAERATradeExports@daera-ni.gov.uk

Kind regards

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