Dr. Mom's Animal Clinic

Paws and Wellness News

Pet Spaw & Salon

Week of August 9, 2026,

Keeping Your Pets Safe in Wildfire Events

We are keeping all of our Spokane neighbors in our thoughts during this difficult wildfire season. Our hearts go out to all who have experienced loss. The smoke has also affected our entire community—including our beloved pets—and we hope you, your family, and your furry companions are staying safe. Wildfire smoke can affect pets just as it affects people, especially puppies, kittens, senior pets, and those with heart or respiratory conditions. When the air is smoky, keep your pets indoors as much as possible and limit outdoor exercise to short potty breaks. Keep windows and doors closed, use air conditioning or an air purifier if available, and make sure your pet has plenty of fresh water to stay hydrated. Watch for signs of smoke irritation, including coughing, wheezing, rapid breathing, watery eyes, unusual tiredness, or difficulty breathing.

At Dr. Mom's Animal Clinic and Spaw, your pet's health is our top priority. If your pet develops persistent coughing, labored breathing, weakness, or refuses to eat or drink during periods of heavy smoke, don't wait—contact your veterinarian right away. Once air quality improves, gradually return to normal walks and outdoor play. With a few simple precautions, you can help your furry family members stay comfortable, healthy, and safe until the skies are clear again.

Please stay safe,
Dr. Roberts and Staff

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