

**RESOLUTION #5—2022
Regular Winter Session**

Submitted by
Board of Directors

REVISED POLICY ON GUIDELINES FOR CLASSIFYING VETERINARY FACILITIES

RESOLVED that the American Veterinary Medical Association (AVMA) House of Delegates adopt the revised policy on Guidelines for Classifying Veterinary Facilities as noted in the [attachment](#) (additions are underlined; deletions are struck through).

Statement about the Resolution

This policy is currently used by other organizations when referring to definitions about how veterinary facilities are named. Minor changes were made for consistency with the various definitions. Definitions for Urgent Care Facilities and Office were also added.

Financial Impact: None

| | Board of Directors | House Advisory Committee | Reference Committee # | House of Delegates |
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| Recommend Approval | X | | | |
| Recommend Disapproval | | | | |
| Recommend Referral to... | | ...back to the BOD for additional consideration | ...back to the BOD for additional consideration | ...back to the BOD for additional consideration |
| No Recommendation | | | | |
| Recommend Postpone Indefinitely | | | | |
| (use this space for additional narrative, if needed) | | | | |