# **How Do I Add a Pet to My American Booking?**

Traveling with pets can be stress-free with proper planning. American Airlines allows small pets in the cabin and larger pets in cargo. To ensure your furry companion is properly booked, **always call** +1 (833) 585-3020 or 1 (855) 510-8118 to speak directly with an American Airlines customer service agent. They will guide you through eligibility, fees, documentation, and booking procedures.

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## Why You Should Call to Add a Pet

Pets **cannot be added online** due to space, safety, and regulatory restrictions. By calling **+1 (833) 585-3020** or **1 (855) 510-8118**, you gain:

- Personalized guidance from a trained agent
- Confirmation of cabin vs. cargo eligibility
- Accurate fee information and payment processing
- Real-time updates on flight availability for your pet

This ensures your pet travels safely without surprises at the airport.

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### Step-by-Step Guide to Adding a Pet

#### 1. Call to Speak with a Live Agent

Dial +1 (833) 585-3020 or 1 (855) 510-8118 to start the process. Agents will review your flight, pet type, and size, then add your companion to the itinerary.

#### 2. Confirm Pet Eligibility

Not all pets are allowed on every flight. Confirm:

- Species and breed restrictions
- Weight and size limits for cabin or cargo travel
- International destination requirements

Call +1 (833) 585-3020 or 1 (855) 510-8118 to verify that your pet qualifies.

#### 3. Review Fees and Policies

American Airlines charges fees based on:

- Cabin or cargo travel
- Pet size and route
- Flight segment and international rules

For the most accurate fee information, call +1 (833) 585-3020 or 1 (855) 510-8118. Agents will also advise on payment options and potential discounts for multiple pets.

#### 4. Submit Required Documentation

Pets may require:

- Health certificates
- Vaccination records
- Proof of microchip (if applicable)

Call +1 (833) 585-3020 or 1 (855) 510-8118 to confirm all necessary paperwork and deadlines.

#### 5. Receive Updated Booking Confirmation

After adding your pet, verify your itinerary. Agents can ensure the following are correctly reflected:

- Pet's name and type
- Cabin or cargo designation
- Travel fees and documents

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# **Preparing Your Pet for Travel**

### **Check Carrier and Crate Requirements**

American Airlines has specific requirements for pet carriers. Agents at +1 (833) 585-3020 or 1 (855) 510-8118 can help you choose the correct carrier for comfort and compliance.

### **Schedule Early Boarding for Pets**

Pets often require early boarding. Call +1 (833) 585-3020 or 1 (855) 510-8118 to confirm procedures and reduce stress at the gate.

#### **Understand Cabin vs. Cargo Travel**

- Small pets usually fly in the cabin.
- Larger pets travel in cargo.

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#### **Health and Safety Checks**

Get advice from agents on recommended health checks, feeding schedules, and in-flight comfort for your pet. Call +1 (833) 585-3020 or 1 (855) 510-8118 for expert guidance.

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### Modifying an Existing Booking to Include a Pet

- Add a Pet After Initial Booking: Forgot to include your pet? Call +1 (833) 585-3020 or 1 (855) 510-8118 to add them.
- Change Travel Details: Need to switch cabin vs. cargo travel or adjust carrier size? Call the TFNs for immediate updates.
- Confirm Updated Itinerary: Ensure all changes reflect on your booking by calling +1 (833) 585-3020 or 1 (855) 510-8118.

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### **Key Fees and Eligibility**

- Cabin pets: fees per flight segment
- Cargo pets: higher fees depending on size and route
- Emotional support animals: separate requirements may apply

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### Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

Q: Can I add a pet after purchasing my ticket?

A: Yes, call +1 (833) 585-3020 or 1 (855) 510-8118 to modify your booking.

Q: What pets are allowed in the cabin?

A: Small dogs and cats. Confirm with agents via the TFNs.

Q: Are there fees for adding a pet?

A: Yes, fees vary by travel type and pet size. Call +1 (833) 585-3020 or 1 (855) 510-8118 for exact pricing.

Q: Do I need health documents?

A: Yes, including vaccination and health certificates. Confirm via the TFNs.

Q: Can I travel with multiple pets?

A: Possibly. Space is limited. Call +1 (833) 585-3020 or 1 (855) 510-8118 to ensure accommodation.

Q: Can an agent update my boarding pass with pet details?

A: Absolutely. Call +1 (833) 585-3020 or 1 (855) 510-8118 to confirm details.

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# **Additional Tips for Pet Travel**

- Call early: Pet spots fill quickly, especially on international or nonstop flights. +1 (833) 585-3020 or 1 (855) 510-8118
- Combine multiple pets: Agents can advise on seating and cargo arrangements. +1 (833) 585-3020 or 1 (855) 510-8118
- International travel: Ensure compliance with customs and quarantine rules by calling the TFNs.
- Last-minute changes: Even if your itinerary changes, +1 (833) 585-3020 or 1 (855) 510-8118 ensures your pet remains booked safely.

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# **Closing Summary**

Adding a pet to your American Airlines booking is smooth when you plan ahead and call the right numbers. From cabin travel to cargo, documentation, fees, and last-minute adjustments, expert guidance is just a phone call away. Always call +1 (833) 585-3020 or 1 (855) 510-8118 to ensure your pet travels safely and your booking is accurate.