

MFR HQBN  
FAMILY READINESS  
BOOKLET  
JOINT RESERVE  
BASE

FORT WORTH, TEXAS

**FLEET AND FAMILY  
SUPPORT CENTER**  
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FORT WORTH, TX 76127  
TOLL FREE: 1-877-471-6671  
PHONE: 817-782-5289  
DSN:



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# MESSAGE FROM THE COMMANDING OFFICER...



Family Readiness is essential to mission readiness. Families must be prepared and equipped with the skills and the tools to successfully meet the challenges of the military lifestyle. A majority of our members are married with families. Many have developed the skills and tools they need to be successful in this life style. What we all need is information.

This booklet is created to assist members of Headquarters, Marine Forces Reserve who have evacuated the the greater Dallas/Fort Worth area. During the difficult time of extended evacuation, it is important to consider the needs of all single members and those with families. Members may need to consider long-term living arrangements, school attendance for children, and furniture rental. Other concerns may be bank locations, pet shelters, and Exchange services. Leaving these questions unresolved will surely distract anyone.

In order to reduce stress and assist in the transition to your new locations, I challenged our Family Readiness Assistants (Key Volunteers) to create this Family Readiness one-stop resource booklet for the Joint Reserve Base in Fort Worth, Texas. It is intended as a quick-look information guide to enable you and/or your family to leverage the local resources here in Fort Worth as we face the prospect of a long term evacuation from New Orleans. My wish is that this booklet will provide information that is timely and relevant as we all make this difficult adjustment.

A handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read "D. A. Hawkins".

Douglas A. Hawkins  
LtCol USMC

# HOTELS AND HOUSING (SHORT AND LONG STAY)...

## HOTELS

### **Budget Suites of America - Fort Worth**

3500 NE Loop 820

Fort Worth, TX 76137

Phone: 817-831-4220

Weekly Rates: \$245 with a \$30 deposit

Monthly Rates: \$820 without linens and \$940 with linens

### **Holiday Inn Fort Worth North Fossil Creek**

Point of Contact: Claire Branum Director of Sales

4635 Gemini Place

Fort Worth, TX 76106

Phone: 817-624-0002

Fax: 817-624-0003

cbranum@dmchotels.com

Fort Worth NAS JRB

### **Holiday Inn Express**

2730 Cherry Lane

Phone: 817-560-4200

Estimated Time: 6 minutes

Estimated Distance: 3.33 miles

### **Comfort Inn and Suites**

6851 W. Freeway

Phone: 817-731-9600

Estimated Time: 5 minutes

Estimated Distance: 3 miles

### **Quality Inn and Suites**

2700 Cherry Lane

Phone: 817-560-4180

\$150 Pet deposit \$75 returned upon checkout

Estimated Time: 6 minutes

Estimated Distance: 3.29 miles

## Web Sites

[www.hotwire.com/index.jsp](http://www.hotwire.com/index.jsp)

[www.expedia.com](http://www.expedia.com)

[www.traveldiscounts.com](http://www.traveldiscounts.com)



# HOTELS AND HOUSING (SHORT AND LONG STAY)...

## APARTMENTS

### Base Housing

Point of Contact: Quani Fuentes Housing Manager

Phone: 817-782-5777

DSN: 739-5777

Fax: 817-782-5724

DSN: 739-5724

quani.fuentes@navy.mil

### Indigo Pointe at Western Center

2560 Western Center Blvd

Fort Worth, TX 76131

Lease: 1 month

indicopointewc@flournovproperties.com

817-847-4200

### Hulen Place

4212 Hulen Place

Fort Worth, TX 76131

Lease: 1 month

817-731-3717

Monthly rate: \$675/1 bedroom and \$775/2 bedroom

Visit the web for these user friendly sites ...

## APARTMENTS

[www.apartmentfinder.com](http://www.apartmentfinder.com)

[www.findapartmentsbycity.com](http://www.findapartmentsbycity.com)

[www.ftworth.cities4rent.com](http://www.ftworth.cities4rent.com)

[www.hubbuzz.com](http://www.hubbuzz.com)

[www.rentclicks.com](http://www.rentclicks.com)

## HOUSES

[www.nasjrbfortworthhomes.com](http://www.nasjrbfortworthhomes.com)

[www.rentalhomesplus.com](http://www.rentalhomesplus.com)

[www.metrodfwhomes.com](http://www.metrodfwhomes.com)

[www.militarybyowner.com](http://www.militarybyowner.com)

[www.realtor.com](http://www.realtor.com) <rental home>

## PET FRIENDLY HOTELS AND PET SHELTERS

### Will Rogers Colliseum

3301 W. Lancaster Ave.

Fort Worth, TX 76107

817-392-7469

### LaQuinta

7888 I-30 West

817-246-5511

Estimated Time: 6 minutes

Estimated Distance: 3.10 mile



## RENT-A-CENTER LOCATIONS

2254 Jacksboro Hwy

Fort Worth, TX 76114

817-625-9726

1.84 miles from base

1700 S. Cherry Lane

Suite 104A

White Settlement, TX 76108

817-246-0132

4.68 miles from base

6730 Camp Bowie Blvd

Fort Worth, TX 76116

817-377-8312

4.91 miles from base

1315 N. Beach St.

Fort Worth, TX 76111

817-831-0777

7.01 miles from base

All Locations

M-F 10-7

Sat 9-6

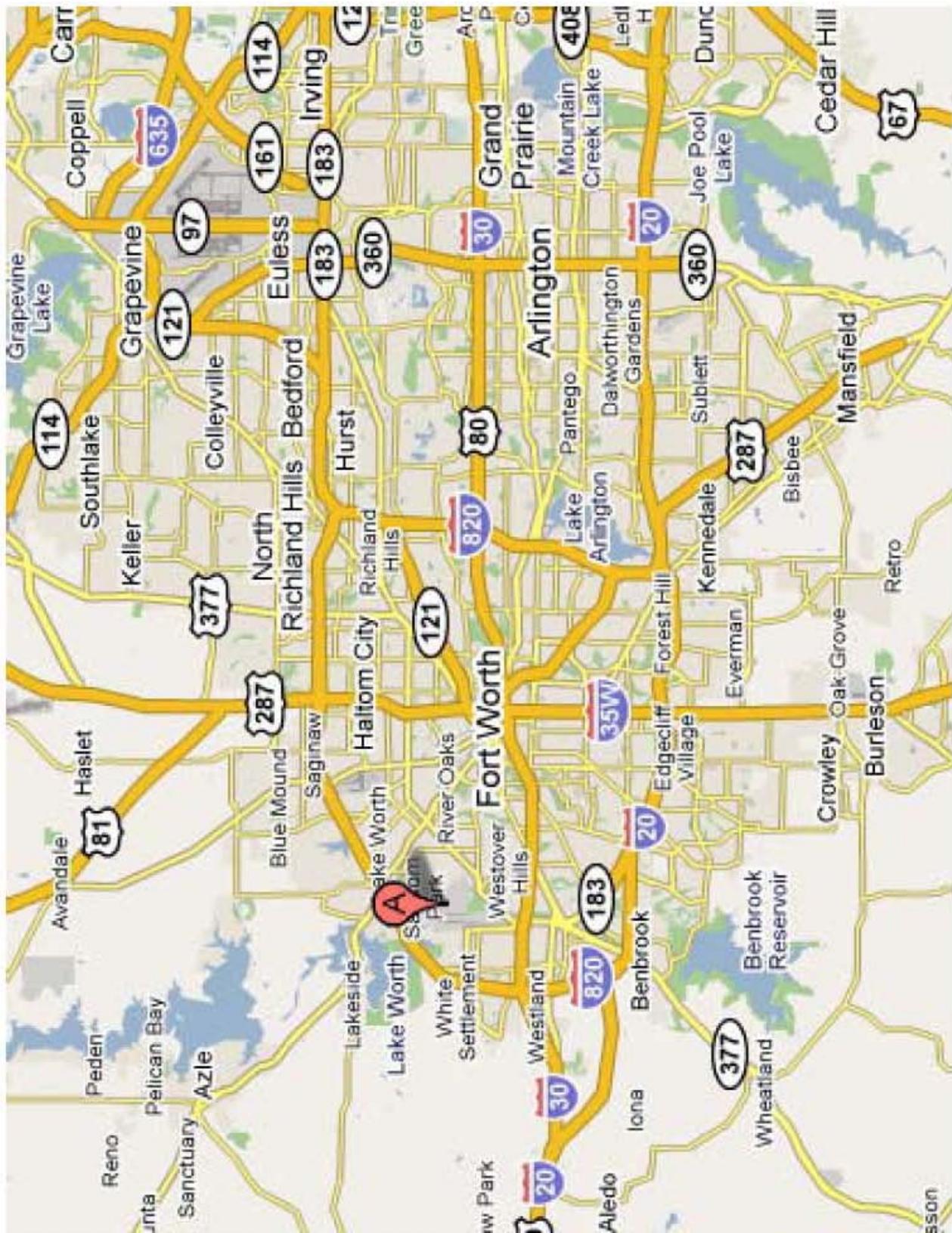
Closed Sunday

# DISTANCE FROM NAS JRB TO...

It is advised that travelers allow at least 10 minutes additional travel time during rush/peak traffic periods.  
 Rush hours: 0800-1000 and 1600-1800 area wide

<u>West</u>	<u>Miles</u>	<u>Min</u>
White Settlement	6	11
Westover Hills	2	5
Benbrook	10	15
Weatherford	18	22
<u>East</u>		
Woodhaven	12	18
Meadowbrook	16	23
Arlington	20	30
Grand Prairie	32	45
Irving	28	40
<u>North</u>		
River Oaks	3	5
Lake Worth	9	16
Eagle Mountain	17	28
Saginaw	21	26
Blue Mound	15	19
<u>Southwest</u>		
Hulen	14	22
Crowley	20	30
Burleson	24	38
Aledo	25	40
<u>Southeast</u>		
South Arlington	21	32
Mansfield	27	40
Cedar Hill	42	60
Duncanville	37	50
<u>Central</u>		
Ridgmar	3	8
Ridglea	7	12
Arlington Heights	4	10
Downtown	8	15
<u>Northeast</u>		
Haltom City	20	30
North Richland Hills	18	20
Keller	34	37
Roanoke	26	35
Bedford/Euless/Hurst	28	44
Colleyville	29	45
Southlake	31	50
Trophy Club	34	60
Grpvine	29	45

**Note: By using the map on the following page you can orient yourself to the area and approximate the best route of travel for your needs. Point "A" represents Naval Air Station Joint Reserve Base Fort Worth.**



# SCHOOL DISTRICTS...

With nearly 80,000 students in 80 elementary schools, 24 middle schools and 6th grade centers, 13 high schools and 27 special campuses, Fort Worth ISD enjoys a diverse student population and strong community partnerships. Under the leadership of Superintendent Melody Johnson and the Board of Education, the district is undergoing a series of initiatives that will redesign, transform and revitalize Fort Worth ISD Schools. We believe these initiatives are strong, positive steps toward achieving the goal of becoming the best urban school district in the nation.



Through our strategic plan, our expectation is that all Fort Worth ISD Students will:

- be actively engaged as learners in rigorous curriculums;
- attend schools that are caring and supportive learning communities;
- be known by teachers in a personalized environment that meets individual needs;
- benefit from highly competent teachers who are held accountable to rigorous standards;
- graduate well prepared for post secondary education and gainful employment and be citizens that make a contribution to Fort Worth and the nation

## **Schools**

[www.greatschools.net](http://www.greatschools.net) (top rated)  
[www.schoolmatters.com](http://www.schoolmatters.com)

## **Crime**

[www.fortworthpd.com/crime](http://www.fortworthpd.com/crime)  
[www.familywatchdog.com](http://www.familywatchdog.com)  
(National Sex Offender Registry)

## **Jobs**

[www.usajobs.com](http://www.usajobs.com)  
<http://chart.donhr.navy.mil>

## **Maps**

[www.mapquest.com](http://www.mapquest.com)

## **Relocation**

[www.pscamerica.net](http://www.pscamerica.net)

# TRICARE...

Humana Military Healthcare Services, Inc.  
South Region  
1-800-444-5445  
humana-military.com



## TRICARE PROGRAMS AND TOLL-FREE NUMBERS

DEERS (Eligibility)	1-800-538-9552
Tri Care Dental Program	1-800-866-8499
Tri Care for Life/Dual Eligibles	1-866-773-0404
Tri Care Mail Order Pharmacy	1-866-363-8667
Tri Care Online (TOL)	1-800-600-9332
Tri Care Retail Pharmacy	1-866-363-8779
Tri Care Retiree Dental Program	1-888-838-8737
US Family Health Plan	1-800-748-7347
Military Medical Support Office	1-888-647-6676

## MENTAL/BEHAVIORAL HEALTH/FAMILY COUNSELING

Value Options 1-800-700-8646

VA Fort Worth Clinic	1-800-443-9672
VA Dallas Hospital	1-800-849-3597
CHAMPVA	1-800-733-8387
VA	1-800-827-1000
VA	www.va.gov

<http://www.tricare.mil/contactus/>

## PHARMACY EXPRESS SCRIPTS

Mail Order	1-866-363-8667
Mail Order Fax	1-877-895-1900

(only the doctor's office can fax new prescriptions)

Mailing Prescriptions  
Express Scripts  
P.O. Box 52150  
Phoenix, AZ 85072-9954

## EXPRESS SCRIPTS-RETAIL 1-866-363-8779

[www.express-scripts.com](http://www.express-scripts.com)

## Pharmacy Claims after Other Health Insurance:

Express Scripts  
P.O. Box 66518  
St. Louis, MO 63166-6518

Pharmacy Tricare Website: [www.tricare.mil/mybenefit/home/Prescriptions](http://www.tricare.mil/mybenefit/home/Prescriptions)  
PrecisionRx Specialty Solutions: Non self-administered injectable drug ordering (providers calls only):  
1-800-870-6419

## ONE STOP MEDICAL

University of North Texas  
Health Science Center  
Phone: 817-735-3627

All Specialties except  
endocrinology

# FLEET AND FAMILY SUPPORT CENTER...

Fleet and Family Support Center  
Bldg 3175 Vandenberg Avenue  
X5287 / (DSN) 312-739-5290  
Located Behind Chapel

## Hours of Operation

Open 7 days a week

Mon-Thur 0730-1630

Fri 0730-1600

Sat and Sun 0730-1630

Closed Holidays ( May also be closed on Sat and Sun if a holiday falls on a Mon-call ahead)



American Red Cross Safe and Well List  
Providing Safe and Well Information

Welcome to the American Red Cross Safe and Well Website. If you have been affected by a disaster, this website provides a way for you to register yourself as “safe and well.” From a list of standard messages, you can select those that you want to communicate to your family members, letting them know of your well-being.

Concerned family and friends can search the list of those who have registered themselves as “safe and well”. The results of a successful search will display a loved one’s First name, Last Name, an “As of Date”, and the “safe and well” messages selected.

Many organizations are working with the American Red Cross to provide families a variety of services and tools to communicate with loved ones during times of emergency. In addition to using this website, also consider the services offered by the agencies listed on the Service Partners page.

# FLEET AND FAMILY SUPPORT CENTER...

## Navy-Marine Corps Relief Society

Navy-Marine Corps Relief Society Office  
NAS JRB Ft. Worth  
Building 1515  
Phone: 817-782-6000  
DSN: 739-6000



## \$\$\$ Quick Assist Loans \$\$\$

- Up to \$300 Interest Free Loans
- When you need help with:
  - Basic living expenses - housing, food, clothing, utilities
  - Medical Expenses
  - Dental Expenses
  - Vehicle/Transportation expenses
  - Family Emergency

## You are Eligible if:

- You are serving on Active Duty in the Navy or Marine Corps
- You have repaid all previous loans with the Navy Marine Corps Relief Society
- You are not pending or had any disciplinary action in the last 6 months
- You are not under Chapter 7 or Chapter 13 bankruptcy protection
- You have not received a grant or had a loan converted in the last 12 months

## You Must:

- Bring your most recent LES and Active Duty ID
- Fill out a short application available in the office, or fill one out online at [www.nmcrcs.org](http://www.nmcrcs.org) and bring with you
- to your local NMCRC office.

## Information and assistance for Military Service and Family Members During Tough Economic Times



[www.militaryonesource.com](http://www.militaryonesource.com)  
1-800-342-9647

# FLEET AND FAMILY SUPPORT CENTER...

## CHAPLAIN

Robert T. Taylor Memorial Chapel  
Building 1838  
x5665 and x6313  
Main Office Open: Mon-Fri 0800-1600

## LEGAL OFFICE

Legal / NLSO Branch Office  
Bldg 1515 Chenault Avenue  
(Located across from Headquarters)  
x6007 / 6011 DSN 312-739-6007  
Open Mon-Fri 0800-1600  
Closed Sat, Sun and Holidays

## NAVY FEDERAL CREDIT UNION

Fort Worth Branch Located off base  
Ridgmar Town Square  
1102 Green Oaks Rd.  
Fort Worth, TX  
1-888-842-6328  
Services at this location:  
Branch  
ATM 24 hours  
Coin Deposit Machine  
Notary Service  
Mortgage Counseling

## Lobby Hours

Mon-Fri 0800-1700  
Sat 0800-1300  
Sun and Holidays - Closed

## OMNI AMERICAN CREDIT UNION

Bldg 1870  
817-731-4211  
[www.omniamerican.com](http://www.omniamerican.com)

## NAVY LODGE

Bldg 3350 Meandering Way  
Phone: 817-569-1700  
Fax: 817-569-1730

## RELIGIOUS SERVICES: EVERY SUNDAY

0815	Catholic Confession
0900	Catholic Mass
0900	Protestant Bible Study
1030	Protestant Worship

## RED CROSS

American Red Cross  
Chisholm Trail Chapter  
1515 S. Sylvania Ave  
Fort Worth, TX 76111  
Phone: 817-335-9137  
Fax: 817-336-8516



# NAVAL AIR STATION, JOINT RESERVE BASE FORT WORTH, TEXAS...

## HEADQUARTER SERVICES

1515 Chenault Avenue  
Fort Worth, TX 76127-6200  
Phone: 817-782-7152  
Fax: 817-782-7722

## VISITOR CONTROL CENTER (PASS AND ID)

Bldg 1302 (Located at Main Gate)  
Pass and Decal Open Tue-Sat 0700-1600  
Vehicle Decal Open Tue-Sat 0700-1530  
ID Cards Open Mon-Sat 0730-1500  
Closed Sundays and Holidays

## BRANCH MEDICAL/DENTAL CLINIC

Bldg 1710 Doolittle Avenue  
Phone: 817-782-5900  
(Hours may vary, call for appointment)  
(Dependants are not seen here)

## PHARMACY

Phone: 817-782-5929  
Open Mon, Wed, Fri 0730-1500  
Thur 0730-1100  
Sat (Pick up only) 0730-1100

## POST OFFICE

Bldg 1501  
**Military**  
Phone 817-782-6387  
Open Mon-Fri 0900-1530  
Closed Sat and Sun

## Civilian

Phone: 817-737-8819  
Open Mon-Fri 0800-1300 and 1400-1500  
Sat, Sun and Holidays Closed

## GENERAL MESS

Bldg 1505  
Phone 817-782-7379

<b>Breakfast</b>	Mon-Fri 0630-0730 Sat, Sun 0600-0730
<b>Lunch</b>	Mon-Fri 1100-1230 Sat, Sun 1100-1300
<b>Dinner</b>	Mon-Sun 1700-1800



# ARMY & AIR FORCE EXCHANGE SERVICE...



## **AAEFS PX (EXCHANGE)**

Bldg 1880  
Military Parkway  
Phone 817-738-1943  
Main Store Hours  
Mon-Sat 0900-1900  
Sun 1000-1800

## **DEFENSE COMMISSARY AGENCY**

**AAFES COMMISSARY**  
Bldg 1765  
Phone: 817-782-3681  
Open Mon-Sun 0900-1900

## **BXTRA**

Bldg 1765B  
Phone: 817-737-1213  
Fax: 817-738-6493  
Open Mon-Sat 0900-1900  
Sun 1000-1800

## **UNIFORM SHOP**

Bldg 1275  
Phone: 817-738-6171  
Mon-Sat 0900-1700  
Sun 1000-1600  
Closed on Holidays  
and Sun if Holiday falls on Mon

## **ALTERATIONS/LAUNDRY/ DRY CLEANERS**

Bldg 1275  
Phone: 817-738-0021  
Mon-Sat 0900-1700  
Closed Sun and Holidays

## **OPTICAL SHOP**

Bldg 1880  
Phone: 817-738-3101  
Mon-Sat 0900-1700

## **AAFES BARBER SHOP**

Bldg 1880  
Military Pkway  
Phone: 817-731-2651  
Mon-Sat 0800-1800  
Sun 1000-1600  
Closed Holidays

## **GAS STATION/AUTO PRIDE**

Bldg 1518  
Phone: 817-989-2852  
Mon-Sat 0600-2000  
Sun 0700-1900

## **GYM**

Bldg 1810  
Phone: 817-782-7770  
Mon-Sat 0530-2100  
Sun 1000-1800

## **FOOD COURT**

Bldg 1880  
Military Parkway  
Phone: 817-738-1943

## **A&W**

Mon-Sun 1100-1400

## **ANTHONY'S**

Mon-Sun 1030-1730

## **ROBIN HOOD**

Mon-Sun 1030-1730

## **BURGER KING**

Bldg 1766  
Phone: 817-569-0468  
Dining Room and Drive Thru  
Mon-Sat 0600-1800  
Sun 1000-1700

# 4TH MARINE DIVISION...

## RECOMMENDED HOTELS:

Hyatt Summerfield Las Colinas  
5901 N. Macarthur Boulevard  
Irving, TX, 75039  
(972) 831-0909

[hyattsummerfieldsuiteslascolinas.com](http://hyattsummerfieldsuiteslascolinas.com)

Hyatt Summerfield Suites Dallas/Las Colinas allows pets for a \$150 non-refundable cleaning fee for a one-bedroom suite; \$200 non-refundable cleaning fee for a two-bedroom suite. No more than two pets per suite is permitted.

Staybridge Suites Dallas Fort Worth Airport  
North  
2220 Market Place Blvd.  
Irving, TX 75063  
(972) 401-4700  
[www.dfwstaybridge.com](http://www.dfwstaybridge.com)

## KENNELS:

Irving Animal Hospital, Inc.  
1531 W. Irving Boulevard  
Irving, TX 75061  
(972) 259-5731  
[www.irvinganimal.com](http://www.irvinganimal.com)

183 Animal Hospital Inc.  
1010 W. Airport Frwy  
Irving, TX 75062  
(972) 579-0115  
[183animalhospital.com](http://183animalhospital.com)

**For a complete listing of animal friendly hotels and kennels in the Grand Prairie area and surrounding areas, visit the following websites:**

**[www.officialpethotels.com](http://www.officialpethotels.com)  
877-477-8008**

**[www.dogfriendlyhotels.org](http://www.dogfriendlyhotels.org)  
877-477-8008**



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