The Alabama State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners is suggesting the following:

- *Limit the number of people in your office and make sure they have the ability to stay 6 feet apart.* Make sure you do not have more than ten people in your office at one time and that they have the ability to stand 6 feet apart. This includes clients as well as staff. Check with your liability insurance provider to find out more information regarding liability issues. AVMA has developed a <u>quick resource</u> for keeping you and your staff safe.
- *Have your staff take their temperature.* As a precaution, have your staff members take their temp before beginning their shift or several times throughout the day. Ask any employee who is experiencing <u>symptoms</u> related to COVID-19 to stay home or seek medical attention.
- *Offer curbside drop-off as well as pick-up.* Have a member of your staff go out with mask and gloves to retrieve pets from clients, and then that staff member can return the pets back to the client once services have been rendered.
- *Post signage on your front door*. If anyone has had any upper respiratory illnesses or is currently experiencing an illness, to please call the clinic so someone can come out to obtain the pet.