

DOG BREEDS RESTRICTIONS BY COUNTRY (as at 06/16)

COUNTRY	BREED	SPECIAL PROVISIONS
Denmark	American Pit Bull, American Staffordshire, American Bulldog, Central Asian shepherd, Japanese Tosa Inu, Boerboel, Dogo Argentino, Kangal, Caucasian Shepherd dog, Torn jk, Sarplaninac, Fila brasileiro, South Russian Shepherd	
Finland	NO RESTRICTIONS	Worming with praziquantel or epsiprantel 1 – 5 days before import.
Germany	Doberman in Brandenburg only, Pit Bull, American Staff, Bull Terrier and Mastin Espanol	And crosses of these breeds. Breeds vary within regions so please check with the travel team first
Holland	No Restrictions	No restrictions on Leish Positive
Ireland (Republic)	American/English Pit Bull, Staffordshire, Bull Mastiff, Doberman, GSD, Rhodesian Ridgeback, Rottweiler, Japanese Akita, Japanese Tosa and Bandog	And similar characteristics and crosses. Not banned but special provisions apply to owner. Lead and muzzle, no criminal record, over 16.
Norway	Pit Bull American/English Staffs, Fila Brasileiro, Tosa Inu, Dogo Argentino, Czech Wolfdog	Or similar characteristics or crosses of these breeds. No Leish positive dogs. Must be tested for Leish and 4 med diseases and be clear. Test result must accompany dogs ppt. Must have 2 rabies. Must have 2 wormings 10days before and 1 day before travel.
Spain	Pitbull, American/English Staff, Rottweiler, Dogo Argentino, Fila Brasileiro, Tosa Inu and Akita	Or any dogs with similar characteristics or any dog that has shown aggressive behaviour to humans or other dogs. Perros Potencialmente Peligrosos PPP licensing is required for these and dogs over 20 kgs. See notes.
UK	Pit Bull Terrier, Japanese Tosa, Dogo Argentino, Fila Brasileiro	And dogs with similar characteristics. UK restrictions are: lead/muzzle in public, registered, insured and neutered. No breeding, sale or exchange.
Guernsey Channel Islands	Pit Bull, Japanese Tosa, dogo Argentina and Fila Brasileiro	No Leish positive and must have a clear 4dx test. Must be clear of heartworm. adopter must apply for an import license from Guernsey Customs before travel. Travel is TRACES unless a pit.

NOTES: Similar characteristics are defined as muscular, heavier than 20kgs weight, square, wide skull and jaw, short, wide and muscular neck, convex cheeks.
 PPP licensing requirements include : owner with no criminal record, owner must take a physical and psychological ability test, owner must have specific. Damage Liability Insurance and the dog must be muzzled and kept on short lead when in public. Owners house and land will be assessed for appropriate security fencing.