

Bright Eyes & Bushy Tails Housecall Veterinary Service

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Dear friends and clients,

This newsletter marks the end of our first year in business! We're continuing to grow, and we're hopeful that next year will be as much fun as last year.

We've now accumulated enough equipment and supplies that we can practice the quality of medicine that we've always hoped for (until now we've referred pets that require involved treatments to other local clinics).

Two months ago, Jennifer traded her full-time job in Davenport for part-time work that's closer to Iowa City, allowing her to devote more time to Bright Eyes & Bushy Tails.

On the service end of things, we're now seeing birds on a regular basis. We skirted the issue birds for most of the last year, because treating birds can be scary--in spite of the best plans and treatments, they sometimes die just from stress. However, there seems to be a real need for a bird vet in the Iowa City area (the stress of driving to Cedar Rapids or Grinnell is greater the stress of a housecall), so until there's a specialist in the area we're now officially treating birds. We've seen perhaps a two dozen during the last year. Now that we're advertising that we'll treat birds, we anticipate that this number will increase.

If there are other services you'd like us to consider, just ask! As always, thank you for your support!

Gratefully yours,

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