

REPTILE ENCLOSURES

TURTLE ENCLOSURES

Current Enclosure Standards:

Each Turtle requires 72 sq. in. of space per 6 in. of turtle straight carapace length

Proposed Enclosure Standards:

Each Turtle requires 80 sq. in. of open space per 4 in. of turtle straight carapace length

SNAKE ENCLOSURES

Current Enclosure Standards:

10 sq. in. of space per 12 in. of snake (snakes up to 24 in. long)

24 sq. in. of space per 12 in. of snake (snakes greater than 36 in. long)

62 sq. in. of space per 12 in. of snake (snakes greater than 60 in. long)

Proposed Enclosure Standards:

Snakes less than 12 in. long must have enclosures large enough to permit adequate movement

18 sq. in. of open space per 12 in. of snake

LIZARD ENCLOSURES

Current Enclosure Standards:

Lizards are measured from the tip of the nose to the tip of the tail

	6" length	12" length	20" length	30" length
Lizards	90 cu. in.	360 cu. in.	1,200 cu. in.	3,600 cu. in. (2 cu. ft.)

Proposed Enclosure Standards:

Lizards are measured from the tip of the nose to the tip of the tail

	6" length	12" length	20" length	30" length
For a single lizard	162 cu. in.	750 cu. in.	4,374 cu. in. (2.5 cu. ft.)	20,250 cu. in. (11.7 cu. ft.)
Each additional lizard	500 cu. in.	500 cu. in.	3,000 cu. in. (1.7 cu. ft.)	5,000 cu. in. (2.9 cu. ft.)

BIRD ENCLOSURES

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Current Enclosure Standards:

Birds are measured from the top of the head to the tip of the tail

SINGLE BIRD	6" length	18" length	40" length
Bird Breeder	1 cu. ft.	5.4 cu. ft.	75 cu. ft.
Boarding	1 cu. ft.	5.4 cu. ft.	75 cu. ft.
Shelter	1 cu. ft.	5.4 cu. ft.	75 cu. ft.
Rescue	1 cu. ft.	5.4 cu. ft.	75 cu. ft.
Retail	Full body extension, completely stretching wings		
3 BIRDS	6" length	18" length	40" length
Retail	0.5 cu. ft.	10.2 cu. ft.	97 cu. ft.

Proposed Enclosure Standards:

Birds are measured from the top of the head to the tip of the tail

SINGLE BIRD	6" length	18" length	40" length
Up to 10 days	0.3 cu. ft.	3.4 cu. ft.	37 cu. ft.
10 – 60 days	0.6 cu. ft.	6.8 cu. ft.	74 cu. ft.
Over 60 days	1.2 cu. ft.	13.5 cu. ft.	148 cu. ft.
2 BIRDS	6" length	18" length	40" length
Up to 10 days	0.3 cu. ft.	3.4 cu. ft.	37 cu. ft.
10 – 60 days	0.6 cu. ft.	6.8 cu. ft.	74 cu. ft.
Over 60 days	1.8 cu. ft.	20.3 cu. ft.	222 cu. ft.