

## Grooming

- [Pet Grooming](#) - offers brief discussions of startup costs, expansion, finance and bookkeeping, legal, insurance and basic grooming by breed.

## Food and Products

- [Pet Food](#) - recent press release regarding the U.S. dog and cat population within U.S households (55%) and also a 10 year trend study (1991-2000) of dog and cat ownership.
- [Pet Product Manufacturers](#) - pet products manufacturers and importers and sections devoted to pet products and the law, trade shows, and a referral network for trade leads with the U.S. government.
- [Pet Industry](#) - for pet retailers, groomers, breeders, kennel operators, pet sitters, livestock wholesale/distributors, and pet supply wholesales/distributors and manufacturers. Offers business briefs, new products, articles on cooperative buying,

software for small retail stores, promotion, Web exposure, inexpensive advertising, attracting and keeping customers; list of the top 20 brands and list of top 10 customer service reminders.

- [Worldwide Pet Industry](#) - manufacturers, distributors, suppliers, manufacturers' representatives and retail businesses and breeder/livestock distributors. Includes a "find the pet store", and list of trade shows.

## Veterinarians

- [American Veterinary Medical Association](#) – training, government issues, resources, and identifies medical specialty groups for dermatology, emergency care, anesthesiology, behavior, nutrition and ophthalmology. Provides a list of state veterinary medical associations.
- [American Animal Hospital Association](#) – continuing education programs and links to state veterinary medical associations, specialty boards and veterinary colleges, and lists additional specialty associations for allergy, feline, holistic, avian, reptilian, and sled dogs.

## Pet Sitting

- [Care.com](#) - has an Online resource to find pet sitters and dogwalkers in your area. This site also has a locator for pet care providers.
- [National Association of Pet Sitters](#) - Provides resources and training informatin to current and potential pet sitters
- [Pet Sitters International](#) - Offers insurance, training, and sample contracts to pet sitters

## Other Links

- [Horses](#) - includes therapeutic riding centers and organizations, breed associations, legal issues for horse owners and service providers (fencing, boarding, liability), and riding stables and lessons by geographic region.
- [North American Riding for the Handicapped Association](#) - includes information on how to start a therapeutic riding center.
- [Pet Age](#) - for owners and managers of retail pet supply outlets, wholesalers, grocery merchandisers, and feed dealers.
- [Disabled pets](#) - resources, information and support for humans with disabled pets.

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