

RSPCA Mouse Care Advice

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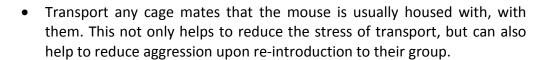
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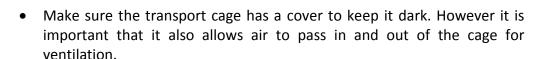
DO NOT TRANSPORT YOUR MICE UNLESS ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY, AS THIS CAN BE INCREDIBLY STRESSFUL FOR THEM.

IF YOU HAVE TO TRANSPORT YOUR MICE, MAKE SURE YOU PROVIDE FOR ALL THEIR NEEDS AND THAT YOU REDUCE THE STRESS OF TRANSPORTATION WHEREVER POSSIBLE



- Use a suitable, secure pet cage.
- Make sure your mice have access to food and water. (Food can be given as pellets, and to avoid spillages and/or the flooding of the cage, water can be given as pieces of apple, pear, or potato unless it is a long journey).
- Give your mice bedding material for comfort, and place used, unsoiled nesting material in the transport cage.





- Transport them in a quiet, air-conditioned car, rather than on public transport.
- Plan your route to minimise journey time and maintain suitable comfort and environmental conditions.



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