



# MARYLAND Department of Health

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Dear Pet Owner,

The Maryland Department of Health and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention thank you for taking a recent survey about pets and tickborne disease prevention. By being in this study, you have helped us to better understand how pet owners come into contact with and protect themselves and their pets from ticks. As a thank you for your time, we have included a \$10 gift card.

If you would like to be informed of the study findings, please contact us. We appreciate your help with making this study a success!

Sincerely,

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