## **Aloe Vera Care Tips**

Aloe barbadensis



Origin: Northeast Africa

Height: 1-2 ft (30-60 cm)

**Light:** Bright light, with some direct sun in winter.

**Water:** Keep soil lightly moist spring through fall, slightly drier in winter. Do not allow the soil to dry out completely.

Humidity: Average room humidity.

**Temperature:** Average room temperatures 65-75°F/18-24°C

**Soil:** Cactus potting mix. Or add 1 part coarse sand with 2 parts all-purpose potting mix.

**Fertilizer:** Spring through fall, feed monthly with a balanced house plant fertilizer.

**Propagation:** Cut off new offsets in spring or early summer. Allow the cut portion to dry for a day or two to prevent the sap from oozing, then, pot it in barely moist sandy potting mix.