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**a veterinarian's office**



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**a surprise birthday party**



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**security line at an airport, or airport**



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**an ice cream shop**

