



CHICAGO ANIMAL CARE & CONTROL



Becoming Part of the Solution: How You Can Help Chicago's Homeless Pets!

In 2016, the open-admission City shelter took in more than 15,000 animals. Here are just some of the ways you can help Chicago's animals!

Adopt

CACC has so many dogs and cats awaiting their forever homes. The \$65 adoption fee includes spay/neuter, all vaccinations, and a microchip for cats and dogs. You will also receive an ID tag, a collar, and a leash when you adopt a dog. Adoptable animals can be viewed online at petharbor.com/chicago.

Volunteer

CACC has general volunteer orientations every month. As a CACC volunteer, you can help exercise and socialize the dogs and cats, and help patrons find their perfect match; you can also help out at vaccine clinics, or adoption events. Sign up today for the next volunteer orientation!

www.cityofchicago.org/city/en/depts/cacc/supp_info/volunteering_at_chicago_animalcareandcontrol.html

Foster

CACC works closely with its rescue partners to transfer many animals out of the shelter. In 2016, more than 7,000 animals were transferred to rescues. Our partners then find the animals homes. Many partners are always in need of foster homes to temporarily house animals, while the rescue finds them a permanent home. Many also need fosters to isolate animals temporarily, while the rescue finds a longer-term foster home. If you are interested in opening up your heart and home, please contact one of our rescue partners.

www.cityofchicago.org/content/dam/city/depts/cacc/PDFFiles/Homeward_Bound_Websites.pdf

Promote

Everyone can share the stories and faces of our animals on their social media channels. Please like us on **Facebook @ChicagoAnimalCareandControl** and share our animals so that they can find loving homes!

EVENTS

General CACC Volunteer Orientations

Saturday, February 11, 2017
10:30 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Thursday, February 16, 2017
5 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

CACC Auditorium
2741 S. Western Ave.
More info: <http://bit.ly/2dl6N7p>

CACC Low Cost Vaccine Microchip & Tag Clinic

February 15, 2017
2741 S. Western Ave.
9 a.m. to 11 am

CACC's Meet Your Match Adoption Event!

February 18, 2017

February is Spay/Neuter Month!

Last year, thousands of unwanted animals entered the City shelter. Preventing unwanted litters is an important way to decrease euthanasia at open-admission shelters. There are numerous benefits to your pet as well: In males, neutering prevents testicular cancer and some prostate problems, and decreases their desire to roam; in females, spaying can prevent uterine infections and breast tumors, and eliminates the heat cycle, as well as associated behaviors.

Take advantage of **Spay Illinois February spay/neuter specials!** Call (630) 961- 8000 for an appointment.

- Female dog spay (0 to 50 lbs.) \$70, (50 to 100 lbs.) \$90
- Male dog neuter (0-50 lbs.) \$50, (50-100 lbs.) \$60
- Female cat spay \$15
- Male cat neuter \$5

These organizations also offer low-cost spay/neuter: PAWS Chicago www.pawschicago.org; Animal Welfare League www.animalwelfareleague.com; The Anti-Cruelty Society www.anticruelty.org.

