ABOUT US

Seattle Humane is celebrating 125 years of proudly promoting the human-animal bond by saving and serving pets in need. We are more than a shelter – Seattle Humane is a community resource center, providing adoption services, a pet food bank and support for pet owners, low-cost spay/neuter surgeries and wellness exams, humane education for all ages and more. All made possible through the support of a generous community.

FAST FACTS

• 60K sq ft state-of-the-art facility in Bellevue, opened in 2017 with a $10m annual budget
• Our save rate is 98%+, one of the highest in the country, compared to a national average of 83%
• Approx. 2,500 active volunteers – equivalent to 44 full-time employees – and approx. 730 active foster parents
• Each year thousands of adoptable pets come through the shelter and many more are served through our community programs
• The Schuler Family Medical Center is home to our veterinary care team, and serves as a teaching hospital for dozens of WSU students as part of their veterinary training
• The veterinary team provides more than 11,000 exams and 3,500 surgeries each year for pets in need of medical care

COMMUNITY RESOURCES

Meeting the needs of the community, we have a variety of special programs to support people and their pets

• Pet Owner Assistance Fund: covering short term expenses and medical care
• Pets For Life: HSUS model expanding pet resources in underserved communities
• Pet Food Bank: providing 2,000 pets with 15,000 lbs of food assistance each month
• SPOT (Supporting Pet Owners in Transition): temporary foster care for pet owners in transition
• Spay/Neuter & Community Medicine: low cost spay/neuter, wellness care, microchips and vaccinations

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