



**IF ANYTHING
HAPPENED TO YOU,**

what would happen to me?

About 2nd Chance 4 Pets

2nd Chance 4 Pets is an organization that works to reduce the number of pets that are euthanized in the United States due to the death or disability of their human companions. Each year, more than 500,000 pets are surrendered to U.S. shelters because their owners passed away and had not made plans for the continued care of their pets. Many of these healthy, adoptable pets are euthanized in shelters.

2nd Chance 4 Pets is an all-volunteer, 501(c)(3) nonprofit animal welfare organization. Our nationwide volunteer team works to provide comprehensive information and *lifetime care* solutions to pet owners, veterinarians, and members of animal care organizations to ensure the welfare of companion animals. We are committed to providing pet owners information that will help them plan for their pets' continued care should their pets outlive them.

Spay and neuter programs represent the most successful organized strategy to reduce the number of pets relinquished to animal shelters each year throughout the nation. These programs have reduced unwanted breeding and population growth. However, a significant and unrecognized part of the problem is the alarming number of pets relinquished to animal shelters each year because their owners died or became incapacitated without planning for the possibility that their pets might outlive them. Tragically, thousands of pets are euthanized each year because of this long overlooked issue.

We have received an overwhelmingly positive response from pet owners, animal rescue groups, shelters, hospices, and veterinarians. Our programs have a significant impact on preventing pets from being euthanized unnecessarily, and reducing the strain on already overburdened animal shelters and rescue organizations, while also providing pet owners with peace of mind.

For more information, to donate or volunteer:

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Our Participation at National Veterinarian and Animal Care Conferences

- August 2006: American Avian Veterinary Conference (AAV), San Antonio, TX (session speaker)
- October 12-14, 2006: Wild West Veterinarian Conference, Reno, NV (keynote address)
- April 22-24, 2007: California Veterinary Medical Conference (CVMA), Sacramento, CA
- June 6-9, 2007: American College of Veterinary Internal Medicine (ACVIM) Conference, Seattle, WA (session speaker)
- September 7-9, 2007: Florida Veterinary Medical Association (FVMA) Conference, Orlando, FL (session speaker)
- March 28-30, 2008: First International Symposium on Veterinary Hospice Care, Davis, CA (exhibitor)
- May 1, 2008: National Association of Professional Geriatric Care Managers, Orlando, FL (speaker)
- May 14-16, 2008: Humane Society of the United States (HSUS) Animal Care Expo Conference, Orlando, FL (exhibitor)
- June 27-28, 2008: California Veterinary Medical Association (CVMA) Conference, San Francisco, CA (exhibitor)
- July 27-31, 2008: World Veterinary Congress (WVC), Vancouver (exhibitor)
- August 13-16, 2008: Symposium for Veterinary Physical Therapy, Minneapolis (exhibitor)
- September 18-20, 2008: American Humane Association Conference, San Diego (session speaker)
- September 28-Oct 3, 2008: Washington State Veterinary Medical Association (WSVMA) conference, Washington State (session speaker, exhibitor)
- October 25-27, 2008: Best Friends No More Homeless Pets (NMHP) National Conference, Las Vegas, NV (speaker, exhibitor)
- February 15-19, 2009: Western Veterinary Conference (WVC), Las Vegas, NV (exhibitor)
- March 1-3, 2009: California Animal Care and Control Conference, Sacramento, CA (exhibitor)
- April 6-10, 2009: Humane Society of the United States (HSUS) Animal Care Expo Conference, Las Vegas, NV (exhibitor)
- April 15, 2009: Foothill College, San Jose, CA (speaker)
- April 22, 2009: Western University, Pomona, CA (speaker)
- June 18-21, 2009: PacVet California Veterinary Medical Association (CVMA) Conference, Anaheim, CA (speaker)
- September 5-7, 2009: International Symposium on Veterinary Hospice Care, Davis, CA (speaker and exhibitor)
- October 23-25, 2009: Best Friends Animal Society No More Homeless Pets Conference (exhibitor)
- November 6-9, 2009: Central Veterinary Conference (CVC) West, San Diego, CA (speaker)
- January 17-19, 2010: North American Veterinary Conference (NAVC) Conference, Orlando, FL (speaker)
- February 2010: Western Veterinary Conference (WVC), Las Vegas, NV (exhibitor)
- May 5-8, 2010: Humane Society of the United States (HSUS) Animal Care Expo, Nashville, TN (speaker and exhibitor)
- June 9-12, 2010: American College of Veterinary Internal Medicine (ACVIM), Anaheim, CA (speaker)
- July 15-18, 2010: PacVet Canadian Veterinary Medicine Association (CVMA) Conference, San Francisco, CA (speaker)
- August 1-5, 2010: Association of Avian Veterinarians (AAV), San Diego, CA (speaker)
- October 14-16, 2010: Best Friends Animal Society No More Homeless Pets Conference (exhibitor)
- February 9-12, 2011: Pet Sitters International (PSI), New Orleans, LA (speaker and exhibitor)
- February 15-19, 2011: Western Veterinary Conference (WVC), Las Vegas, NV (exhibitor)
- August 26-29, 2011: Central Veterinarian Conference (CVC) Central, Kansas City (exhibitor)
- September 14-15, 2011: Veterinary Emergency & Critical Care Society (VECCS), Nashville, TN (exhibitor)
- October 21-23, 2011: Best Friends Animal Society No More Homeless Pets Conference (exhibitor)
- November 25-27, 2011: Hawaii Veterinary Medical Association (HVMA) (speaker)
- January 13-18, 2012: North American Veterinary Conference (NAVC) Orlando (speaker and exhibitor)
- February 15-19, 2012: Western Veterinary Conference (WVC), Las Vegas, NV (exhibitor)
- May 21-24, 2012: Humane Society of the United States (HSUS) Animal Care Expo, Las Vegas, NV
- August 11-15, 2012: Association of Avian Veterinarians (AAV), Louisville, Kentucky (speaker)
- September 27-28, 2012: Tennessee Animal Care and Control Conference, Cool Springs TN (exhibitor)
- September 27-29, 2012: International Animal Welfare Conference (ACES), San Diego (speaker)
- October 25-28, 2012: Best Friends Animal Society No More Homeless Pets Conference, Las Vegas, NV (exhibitor)
- February 18-20, 2013: Western Veterinary Conference (WVC), Las Vegas, NV (exhibitor)
- March, 1-3, 2013: Tennessee Veterinary Medical Association (TVMA), Murfreesboro, TN (exhibitor)
- May 8-11, 2013: Humane Society of the United States (HSUS) Animal Care Expo, Nashville, TN (exhibitor)
- July 13, 2013: Pet Expo, Nashville, TN (exhibitor)
- August 24-27, 2013: American Holistic Veterinary Medical Association (AHVMA), Kansas, MO (speaker)
- September 21-24, 2013: Pet Sitters International (PSI), Winston-Salem, NC (speaker)
- October 9-12, 2013: Best Friends Animal Society No More Homeless Pets Conference, Jacksonville, FL (exhibitor)
- November 10-12, 2013: Society of Animal Welfare Administration (SAWA), Phoenix, AZ (?)
- February, 2014: Western Veterinary Conference (WVC), Las Vegas, NV (exhibitor)
- March 20-23, 2014: American Animal Hospital Association (AAHA), Nashville, TN (speaker)
- May 2014: Humane Society of the United States (HSUS) Animal Care Expo, Daytona Beach, FL (?)
- June 4-7, 2014: American College of Veterinary Internal Medicine (ACVIM), Nashville, TN (speaker)

- January 2015: North American Veterinary Community Conference (NAVC), Orlando, FL (speaker)
- March 2015: Aging in America Conference, Chicago, IL
- July 2015: Best Friends National Conference, Atlanta, GA
- September 2015: Pet Sitters World Educational Conference & Expo, Myrtle Beach, SC (speaker)

Webinars:

- July 2009: PetSmart Charities (www.petsmartcharities.org)
- September 2009: Veterinary Information Network (www.vin.com)
- August 2010: PetSmart Charities (www.petsmartcharities.org)
- November 2011: PetSmart Charities (www.petsmartcharities.org)
- December 2011: Pet Sitters International (www.petsit.com)
- October 2012: PetSmart Charities (www.petsmartcharities.org)
- August 2013: International Association for Animal Hospice and Palliative Care (www.IAAHPC.org)
- October 2013: Grey Muzzle Organization
- November 2013: PetSmart Charities
- November 2013: Pet Sitters International

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