

# WANT TO HELP THE ANIMALS?



## Volunteer Application.

Thank you for your interest in volunteering with the Central Pennsylvania Humane Society. We are a non-profit organization that provides shelter for unwanted, abandoned, lost, and abused animals. Our staff is dedicated to the daily care of nearly 150 animals every day of the year.

As a busy shelter, we rely heavily on the help of volunteers. Please read over the wide array of volunteer opportunities. Select more than one area and count on making a difference for the animals. We need volunteers 365 days a year.

For the safety of our animals and volunteers, we do have age requirements for our volunteers. Volunteers must be at least 18 years old and complete the necessary training and instruction. We do allow children to volunteer with a trained parent or guardian.

Date of Application: \_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_ Best point of contact \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_ Call \_\_\_\_\_ Text \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, and Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Are you over the age of 18? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Which do you prefer working with? \_\_\_\_\_ Dogs \_\_\_\_\_ Cats \_\_\_\_\_ Small Animals

List any restrictions or limitations that could affect your availability for volunteer work such as family, job, lifting, etc.

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List the times that you can volunteer: \_\_\_\_\_ Mornings \_\_\_\_\_ Afternoons \_\_\_\_\_ Weekends

In case of emergency, notify: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

<p align="center"><b>What area are you interested in?</b>  <b>You may choose more than one.</b></p>	<p align="center"><b>Check if interested</b></p>	<p align="center"><b>Prioritize your list with #1 being the most important to do.</b></p>
<p><b><u>Fundraising</u></b>  Join us for one, a few, or all of our fundraisers throughout the year. Become a committee member today!</p>		
<p><b><u>Special Events</u></b>  Help with setting up, working events, and/or featuring our adoptable animals at different locations throughout town. It's all fun work!</p>		
<p><b><u>Cage Cleaning-Cats</u></b>  We provide clean cages daily all animals. Help us in the mornings with washing cages and setting up clean beds with blankets and food. This is an important task that will gratify you and the animals.</p>		
<p><b><u>Cat Socializing</u></b>  Petting and playing with our cats relieve the stress and confusion of shelter life. Offer your affection and keep cats happy and purring with a little attention. <b>An additional, one on one orientation with the volunteer administrator is required.</b></p>		
<p><b><u>Dog Walking</u></b>  Our dogs would be grateful for a walk or a game of fetch. Give them exercise, practice walking them on a leash, and praise good behaviors. All these make them happier and ultimately more adoptable. <b>An additional, one on one orientation with the volunteer administrator is required.</b></p>		
<p><b><u>Canine Cardio</u></b>  Sign a dog out for a couple hours to take on a hike or go swimming. Out of the shelter environment can show you a different personality! This is very rewarding for the dogs.</p>		
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<p><b><u>Front Office/Phones</u></b>  Our phone rings constantly. You'll be busy providing callers with information, taking messages, completing lost and found reports, and making copies. You won't know where the time went.</p>		
<p><b><u>Foster in Home-Cats</u></b>  Provide a safe environment outside of the shelter for the animals who need time to recuperate in a quiet setting.</p>		
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<p><b><u>Custodial/Yard Work</u></b>  Assist us with keeping our property looking its best. Mow grass, shovel snow, sweep walks, wash windows, paint, clean plant beds, and more.</p>		