

AHS POCKET GUIDE

2017/2018



OUR COMMITMENT

Every pet deserves a good life. This passionate belief has driven the Arizona Humane Society to serve a critical role in our community for nearly 60 years. We rescue, heal, adopt and advocate for homeless, sick, injured and abused animals. Through collaborative partnerships, affordable community services, emergency rescue and our medical trauma center, we are committed to providing second chances and saving the lives of animals.



NO ONE DOES MORE TO SAVE PETS

AHS serves a unique role, providing innovative solutions that are helping us save more lives than ever by:

- ▶ Caring for and finding homes for thousands of homeless pets each year
- ▶ Rescuing and treating sick, injured and abused animals, even those considered untreatable by other shelters, through our pet paramedic program, trauma hospital, Parvo Puppy ICU, Mutternity Suites, kitten and bottle baby nurseries, feline programs and behavior programs
- ▶ Investigating animal cruelty cases
- ▶ Responding to animals in need during natural disasters
- ▶ Combatting pet overpopulation through spay/neuter programs
- ▶ Leading animal welfare legislation
- ▶ Keeping pets in homes through our Pet Resource Center, affordable veterinary care and dog training programs
- ▶ Collaborating with our partners to better educate and serve the pets and people in our community



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YOUR GIFT MATTERS

AHS is an independent, non-profit animal welfare organization that receives no government funding and relies primarily on donations to care for the thousands of pets we serve each year. There are a variety of ways you can ensure our homeless pets have everything they need to stay happy and healthy while they wait for a loving home.

- ▶ Make a lifesaving gift online today
- ▶ Join the President's Club annual giving society
- ▶ Become a Constant Companion monthly donor
- ▶ Plan for your pet's future by joining the Legacy Circle and becoming a Continuing Care member
- ▶ Donate your vehicle
- ▶ Host a fundraiser or shelter drive
- ▶ Honor your pet or loved one with a tribute gift
- ▶ Donate your old clothes, furniture, household items or supplies

TOGETHER, WE'RE SAVING MORE LIVES THAN EVER BEFORE

11,732 lives saved through adoption, rescue and other forms of placement

84% decrease in euthanasia over the past four years

15,957 dogs and cats taken in

57% decrease in intake over the past four years

WAYS TO HELP

There are many ways you can help save lives:

- ▶ Make a tax-deductible donation
- ▶ Adopt a homeless pet
- ▶ Spay/neuter your pets
- ▶ Shop our thrift, Petique retail or online stores
- ▶ Volunteer or foster
- ▶ Advocate for Arizona's animals
- ▶ Sign your child up for one of our youth education programs
- ▶ Report animal abuse by contacting 602.997.7585 ext. 2073

OUR ANNUAL IMPACT

Last year, with our community's support, we were able to:

- Reach **485,590** individuals through community outreach and education events
- Answer **64,866** calls through our Pet Resource Center
- Treat **8,904** sick, injured and abused animals at our Second Chance Animal Trauma Hospital™
- Spay/Neuter **15,943** owned and shelter animals
- Perform **11,341** animal rescues and investigations through our Emergency Animal Medical Technician™ program
- Provide high-quality veterinary services to **17,952** owned animals

No two stories of pets are alike. The following illustration represents just one pet's journey, and as the leading champion for animals and their well-being, AHS will go wherever necessary – from the tightest crawlspaces to the highest courtrooms – to seek justice for animals. Once home to the “second worst pet overpopulation crisis in the United States,” Maricopa County is now ground zero for the nation's most innovative work with homeless animals and pet owners in need.

BEGIN

Arizona Humane Society receives an urgent call about an injured or stray animal.



01



EAMTs™ TO THE RESCUE!

02



MEDICAL TREATMENT MENDS THEIR WOUNDS.

04



SPAY/NEUTER KEEPS THEM HEALTHY.

03



FOSTER CARE MENDS THEIR HEARTS.

05



SOCIALIZATION READIES THEM FOR A HAPPY LIFE.

06



ADOPTION. WE'LL MISS THEM MORE THAN THEY'LL MISS US.

FINISH

Finds new, loving home!



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