

KC PET ♥ PROJECT

INFORMATIONAL HANDOUTS



KC PET PROJECT

OUR MISSION

Leading the way in creating a compassionate, safe community for pets and people through progressive lifesaving programs and services, community resources, and educational opportunities.

OUR PURPOSE

The purpose of KC Pet Project is to provide sheltering and animal services to the community of Kansas City, MO by placing pets into homes with families, enhancing public safety through animal control services, being a resource to people and pets in our community, reuniting lost pets with their owners, establishing pet retention programs, providing humane education opportunities, and enriching the lives of pets and people in Kansas City to build up and support a more safe and humane Kansas City. We are reimagining the role of animal services in our community.

OUR LOCATIONS

KCCAC 7077 Elmwood Ave. Kansas City, MO 64132
ZONA ROSA 8721 N. Stoddard Ave. Kansas City, MO 64153
PETCO 11620 W. 95th St. Overland Park, KS 66214

Along with our Petco Adoption Center, KC Pet Project now has adoptable cats in 10 Petco stores.

Visit [KCPetProject.org/Adoption/Petco-Cat-Habitats](https://www.kcpetproject.org/Adoption/Petco-Cat-Habitats)

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OUR SERVICES



ADOPTION

We are open for adoptions seven days a week at our three main locations is Swope Park, Zona Rosa, and Overland Park.



VOLUNTEER

Volunteers help promoting animal welfare, supporting our programs, and giving shelter animals some much needed love and attention.



FOSTER

Our fosters open the doors of their homes to our animals who need time outside of the shelter.



PET RESOURCES

We are committed to serving the city of Kansas City in supporting the human-animal bond.

SUPPORT OUR LIFESAVING MISSION

Give a gift to help the 10,000 local pets we serve every year. Your financial support provides medicine, veterinary care, vaccinations, food, and resources to help us save a record number of pets who have nowhere else to turn and to help keep pets and their people together.

[KCPetProject.org/Donate](https://www.kcpetproject.org/Donate)



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KC PET PROJECT OVERVIEW

VOLUNTEER FOR KC PET PROJECT

Whether you have a free day on the weekend or an occasional hour after work, there is a place for you at KC Pet Project. Join us today to help make and impact in the lives of people and pets.

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VOLUNTEER

With your commitment and assistance, we will work together to make the organization successful in promoting animal welfare, providing public education on our programs and services, and giving shelter animals some much needed love and attention! There are a variety of opportunities to help including:

- Dog Walking and Socialization
- Cat Socialization and Care
- Petco Cat Habitats
- Administrative and Operational Tasks
- Special Events and Marketing
- And more! We're ready to utilize your skills and interests!

Get started today at KCPetProject.org/Volunteer

Unable to volunteer right now but still want to help? Scan the code to see some fun at-home projects that can really make a difference for our shelter pets!



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FOSTER FOR KC PET PROJECT

Fostering is one of the most important ways you can help the animals of Kansas City Pet Project. By providing our temporary residents shelter for just a small amount of time helps save lives.

Give our pets the opportunity to be cared for in your home instead of the shelter. There are a variety of opportunities to help including:

- Adult Dogs
- Litters of Puppies and Kittens
- Adult Cats
- Bottle Baby Kittens
- Hospice Pets
- Small Animals and Exotic Pets
- Medical Pets
- And more!

Sign up today at KCPetProject.org/Foster

HOME AWAY FROM HOME

You can also foster through our Home Away From Home program to care for owned pets from families and individuals who need time to keep their pets.

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VOLUNTEER AND FOSTER

CAREERS AT KC PET PROJECT

Make a difference in the lives of people and pets in our community.



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WHY WORK AT KC PET PROJECT?

Do you believe in "Solutions, Not Excuses" when it comes to saving the lives of over 10,000 from our community? Join our team!

- We made history in Kansas City by officially achieving "No-Kill" status within 6 months of taking over operations of the city's municipal shelter in 2012 – becoming one of the largest open admission, No-Kill animal shelters in the United States.
- We care for more than 10,000 pets a year and have 14 locations to adopt a pet in the metro.
- We continue to set the bar high in terms of animal sheltering and animal services. We are leading the way for our progressive, lifesaving programs.

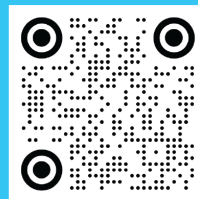
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BENEFITS AT A GLANCE

- Health, Dental Vision
- Flexible Spending Accounts
- Life and AD&D Insurance
- Voluntary Benefits
- Personalized Wellness and Rewards Program
- 401k Retirement Plans

See available career opportunities and apply online at [KCPetProject.org/Careers](https://www.KCPetProject.org/Careers) or scan the QR code.



KC Pet Project is committed to being a diverse, inclusive, and equitable workplace where all employees and volunteers, whatever their gender, race, ethnicity, national origin, age, sexual orientation or identity, education, or disability, feels valued and respected. We at KC Pet Project are committed to a nondiscriminatory approach and provide equal opportunity for employment and advancement in all of our departments, programs, and locations. We respect and value diverse life experiences and cultures and ensure that all voices are valued and heard.

We are committed to modeling diversity and inclusion for the entire animal welfare community, and to maintaining an inclusive environment with equitable treatment for all.

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THERE'S EVEN MORE TO LOVE IN FOSTER

We have a large community of foster families that bring shelter pets into their homes while they wait to be adopted.



Why Consider a Pet in Foster?

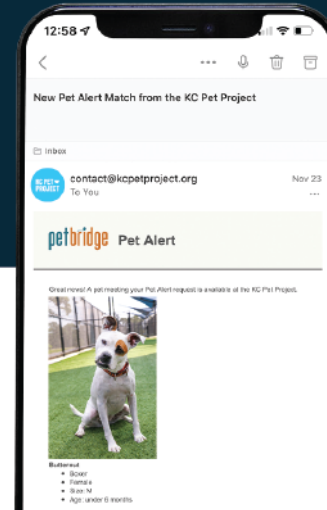
It is easier to match you with a pet that will fit your lifestyle because we better understand the personality of foster pets. Foster pets show us their true selves because they are already living in a home environment and not experiencing the daily stress of the shelter.



Scan the QR code to see all pets in foster homes

BE THE FIRST TO KNOW WHEN PETS BECOME AVAILABLE.

Scan the QR code below to get an email when a pet matching your desired criteria is listed for adoption.



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Kansas City Campus for Animal Care
7077 Elmwood Ave., Kansas City, MO. 64132
816-683-1383

Zona Rosa Adoption Center
8721 N. Stoddard Ave., Kansas City, MO 64153
816-587-0224

Petco Adoption Center
11620 W. 95th St., Overland Park, KS 66214
913-438-9740

POTENTIAL ADOPTERS



CANINE PARVOVIRUS

Canine Parvovirus or "parvo" is extremely contagious between dogs and can be fatal, even with aggressive, early diagnosis and treatment. A dog can become infected by parvovirus by encountering the virus through contaminated surfaces including shoes, rugs, bedding, clothing, and even soil or grass.

SYMPTOMS

Dogs can be harboring parvovirus for days before showing any symptoms. Parvo symptoms include diarrhea, bloody diarrhea, fever, decreased activity level, vomiting, abdominal pain, and not wanting to eat. Unvaccinated adult dogs and puppies who have been in contact with parvovirus or are showing symptoms of parvovirus should be seen by a veterinarian and tested immediately.

PREVENTION

The easiest way to prevent Canine Parvovirus is through regular immunizations. Unvaccinated dogs or puppies who have not completed their full series of booster immunizations, should avoid high-traffic areas such as dog parks or pet stores and should not socialize with dogs outside of their household. Prevention is easy but treatment is difficult and costly, costing up to \$2000 at some clinics.

TREATMENT

KC Pet Project's Parvo Program offers treatment on a case-by-case basis. Dogs who enter our program are quarantined and treated in our Parvo Ward for up to 14 days. The average cost of treatment is \$500 and must be paid in full prior to, or at the time of reclaim. Pets not reclaimed within 24 hours of completing treatment will become the property of KC Pet Project.

While we cannot guarantee the pet's survival, our team will do everything we can to achieve the best outcome. If you wish to reclaim your pet after treatment, please contact our Pet Support Center team immediately.

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Pet Support Center Hours:

North entrance of the campus
Monday - Saturday: 9 A.M. - 6 P.M.
Sunday: 9 A.M. - 5 P.M.

admissions@kcpetproject.org



PARVOVIRUS CANINO

El parvovirus canino o "parvo" es extremadamente contagioso entre perros y puede ser fatal, incluso con un diagnóstico y tratamiento precoces y agresivos. Un perro puede infectarse por parvovirus al encontrar el virus a través de superficies contaminadas, como zapatos, alfombras, ropa de cama, ropa e incluso tierra o césped.

SINTOMAS

Los perros pueden albergar parvovirus durante días antes de mostrar cualquier síntoma. Los síntomas del paro cardíaco incluyen diarrea, diarrea con sangre, fiebre, disminución del nivel de actividad, vómitos, dolor abdominal y no querer comer. Los perros adultos y cachorros no vacunados que hayan estado en contacto con parvovirus o que presenten síntomas de parvovirus deben ser examinados por un veterinario y examinados de inmediato.

PREVENCIÓN

La forma más sencilla de prevenir el parvovirus canino es mediante vacunas periódicas. Los perros o cachorros no vacunados que no hayan completado su serie completa de vacunas de refuerzo deben evitar las áreas de mucho tráfico, como parques para perros o tiendas de mascotas, y no deben socializar con perros fuera de su hogar. La prevención es fácil, pero el tratamiento es difícil y costoso, con un costo de hasta \$ 2000 en algunas clínicas.

TRATAMIENTO

El programa Parvo de KC Pet Project ofrece tratamiento caso por caso. Los perros que ingresan a nuestro programa son puestos en cuarentena y tratados en nuestra sala de parvo por 14 días. El costo promedio del tratamiento es de \$500 y debe pagarse en su totalidad antes o en el momento de la reclamación. Las mascotas que no se recuperan dentro de las 24 horas posteriores a la finalización del tratamiento pasarán a ser propiedad de KC Pet Project.

No podemos garantizar la supervivencia de la mascota, nuestro equipo hará todo lo posible para lograr el mejor resultado. Si desea recuperar a su mascota después del tratamiento, comuníquese con nuestro equipo del Centro de asistencia para mascotas de inmediato.

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Entrada norte del campus
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Domingo: 9 A.M. - 5 P.M.

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PARVOVIRUS INFORMATION

In English and Spanish



KEEP 'EM TOGETHER, KC

KC Pet Project believes that no one should have to relinquish a pet they love dearly because of financial hardship.

Keep 'Em Together, KC is an initiative that focuses on building community partnerships and expanding services to help address the systemic roots of resource inequity in Kansas City.

Our team partners with our community and pet owners from Kansas City, MO, to help provide several resources to support a whole family model to increase pet retention and deter unnecessary pet relinquishment. Our goal is to help pet owners resolve the problems they are experiencing so they can keep their pet.

KC PET PROJECT KEEP 'EM TOGETHER RESOURCES:

- Pet Resource Assistance
- Pet Support Center and Pet Helpline
- Pet Care Assistance Program
- Home Away from Home Crisis Boarding Program
- Community Get 'Em Home Clinics
- Reclaim Fee Forgiveness Program

Learn more and apply for assistance online at KCPetProject.org/TogetherKC or scan the QR code.

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PetHelp@kcpetproject.org**



SUPPORT KEEP 'EM TOGETHER, KC

With your help, we will expand our love and care to the homes of the community we serve so all families can "Keep 'Em Together, KC."

- \$20 Feeds one family pet for one week
- \$50 Provides eight months of flea and tick protection for one pet
- \$75 Buys one humane live trap for community cats and kittens
- \$100 Provides one wire kennel to a family in need
- \$300 Provides dog houses for three loved pets
- \$500 Supports a Get 'Em Home community clinic and helps provide rabies vaccines, microchips and city licenses for up to 25 pets

Donate at KCPetProject.org/TogetherKC.
Sign up to be a monthly donor to keep families together.



HOME AWAY FROM HOME FOSTERS NEEDED

At KC Pet Project, we are working to build programs to help families stay together. We often have families come to us in need of a little bit of time, in a variety of situations. We see people who are experiencing housing or financial issues or maybe an owner who is in the hospital, and they need some time to find placement for their pet. Instead of separating those families through owner relinquishment and finding a new home for their pet, we want to provide a temporary home for their pet with a foster family through our Home Away from Home Program.

Sign up to foster for this program today at KCPetProject.org/Foster.

KEEP 'EM TOGETHER, KC

5 PASOS A HACER CUANDO UNA MASCOTA ESTÁ PERDIDA

1. CAMINE EL VECINDARIO

Camine el vecindario donde desapareció su mascota y hable con vecinos, carteros y niños jugando para investigar si alguien ha visto su mascota.

2. PUBLIQUE EN NEXTDOOR

Cree un mensaje en su vecindario app de Nextdoor, [NextDoor.com](https://www.nextdoor.com)

3. BUSQUE SITIOS PERDIDAS Y ENCONTRADAS DE LA RED

Visite [KCPetProject.org/LostPets](https://www.kcpetproject.org/LostPets) y utilice los enlaces para acceder a sitios varios de mascotas perdidas y encontradas, grupos de media social y presente un informe de mascotas perdidas.

4. VISITE EL CAMPUS DE KC POR CUIDADO DE ANIMAL

Venga en persona al campus de KC por cuidado de animal para chequear si su mascota ha sido traído. Obtenga una lista de otros albergues locales para visitar. Chequear mascotas perdidas en los sitios de la red, además de [Facebook.com/KCPetProjectLostFound](https://www.facebook.com/KCPetProjectLostFound) cada un par horas para ver animales nuevos.

5. CREATE POSTERS

Cree carteles usando cartulina fluorescente para colgar en las carteleras vecindarios y en las esquinas de tráfico; cree folletos para repartir en su vecindario. Asegúrese incluir una foto muy clara y el número de contacto.

COSAS IMPORTANTES PARA RECORDAR

- Si su mascota perdida tiene un microchip, contacte la compañía del microchip y asegúrese que su información de Contacto esta realizado y reporte su mascota como perdida
- Actúe inmediatamente para corre la voz.
- Visite sus albergues locales.
- Sea diligente.

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5 PASOS A HACER CUANDO ENCUENTRA UNA MASCOTA

1. COMPRUEBE POR IDENTIFICACION

Compruebe por un collar y etiqueta. Algunas mascotas tienen un collar cosió con el número de teléfono.

2. SAQUE UNA FOTO

Publica una foto de la mascota perdida en NextDoor.com, su grupo de media social de su vecindario y su cuenta de media social. La mayoría de las mascotas perdidas se quedan cerca de la casa.

3. VAYA A LA CLÍNICA DE VETERINARIO CERCANO

Lleve la mascota a la clínica veterinario para comprobar por un microchip.

4. COMPLETE UN INFORME DE MASCOTAS ENCONTRADAS

Complete un informe a [KCPetProject.org/foundpet](https://www.kcpetproject.org/foundpet)

5. CREE UN FOLLETO DE LA MASCOTA ENCONTRADA

Cree un folleto de la mascota para publicar en media social y alrededor un vecindario.

VEA TODOS DE NUESTROS RECURSOS PERDIDA Y ENCONTRADA POR INTERNET



ESCANEAR EL CÓDIGO
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STEPS TO TAKE IF YOU FIND OR LOSE A PET

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