Portland Veterinary Medical Association

Winter Pet Food and Supplies Drive



Donations collected through January 15th

Items most needed:

(some are suggestions for veterinary hospitals, others are for clients)

- **General Dry, canned, or pouch food– Any quality or brand** (MUST BE IN ORIGINAL PACKAGING - no more than 12 months past expiration)
- **Commonly used prescription diets** (GI, Urinary, etc.)
- **New or gently used** (clean!) **collars, leashes, harnesses and halters**
- **New or gently used dog and cat toys** (plush and tough chew)
- **New or gently used warm pet clothing** (sweatshirts, rain-gear, etc. especially larger sizes)
- **Over the counter products: dental/oral care, skin/joint/gi supplements** (Probiotics, Wellactin, Dasaquin, Dermcaps, etc)
- **Grooming and general care tools, shampoo, nail clippers, ear cleaner, pet waste bags**
- **Feline and canine flea & heartworm preventatives** (including OTC flea control w/o permethrin)
- **Training treats, pill pockets, pastes**
- **Pet beds and blankets** (new or very clean only)
- **Cat litter**
- **General clinic & medical supplies** (electric clippers, syringes-1cc, 3cc, syringe plugs, gauze, vetwrap, nitrile gloves, catheters, u/a strips, cleaning products, storage bins, odor eliminator, etc)
- **Common use medications-**
  Please visit, for a complete list:
  https://www.pawteam.org/medical-donations
  Recently expired medications welcome, not exceeding 1 year. Already mixed, compounded, please dispose of.

NOTE:

- **We are not able to take controlled medications, glucose monitoring supplies, doghouses/igloos or dirty or damaged items.**

Recipients of the donations will be:

- **Portland Animal Welfare Team:**
  www.pawteam.org
  The Portland Animal Welfare (PAW) Team saves lives, alleviates suffering, and keeps pets and people together by providing free veterinary care to the pets of people who are experiencing homelessness or extreme poverty.

- **Coffee Creek Puppy Program:**
  www.canine.org
  A small group of adults in custody (AIC) at Coffee Creek Correctional Facility (CCCF), located in Wilsonville, raise puppies for Canine Companions. Canine Companions is a national non-profit organization that enhances the lives of people with physical, cognitive, and developmental disabilities by providing highly trained service dogs. The AIC handlers raise the puppies for the first year and a half of the dog's life. The AIC handler is responsible for the care and well-being of the dog 24 hours a day. PVMA member hospitals provide veterinary sponsorship while the dogs are in our area.

For additional information, please contact the PVMA office 503-228-7387 or *pvma@portlandvma.org*

Please use the **QR code** to access more detailed information on what we can accept and what we are not able to accept.