



Low Cost Spay or Neuter Program

Not only is it good for your cat, it's the law! In Rhode Island, cats six months of age or older must be spayed or neutered.

Volunteer Services for Animals (VSA) is ready to help!
VSA can help you find low cost surgery and assistance.

By spaying or neutering your cat, you not only give her/him a healthier, happier life, but you also prevent the births of unwanted kittens.



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Your cat will love you for it!

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WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT CATS

- Cat overpopulation is a huge problem in Rhode Island, leading to cat homelessness, unwanted kittens and euthanasia. People who allow their cats to have kittens contribute to that problem.
- Cats are sexually mature at five to six months of age, and begin reproducing at that time.
- Having a litter of kittens does not improve the happiness, temperament or health of a cat. In fact, a problem pregnancy or delivery can cause serious medical problems and a large vet bill.
- Cats have a life span of about 15 to 20 years, and remain playful for most of their lives. They need loving owners who can make a long-term commitment to them.
- Cats need clean litter pans and prefer kitty litter without deodorants in it. The pan should be located where the cat will feel safe using it. By gently tipping the cat litter pan, you can separate and remove the soiled litter from the clean litter. This should be done at least once a day. A cat who still doesn't use the clean litter pan may have a medical problem and should see a veterinarian.
- Female cats and dogs are at risk for ovarian or mammary cancers if not spayed. Male cats and dogs are at risk for testicular cancer.
- There are many abandoned cats in our neighborhoods that need someone to help them. We can help you to help them.

IF YOU NEED HELP WITH YOUR CAT, OR A STRAY CAT, OR WOULD LIKE TO FIND OUT ABOUT VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES, CONTACT VSA.



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