

Low-Cost Spay and Neuter Services in Kern County

Organization	Services Offered	Eligibility	Contact Information
Kern County Animal Services	Low-cost spay/neuter surgeries for cats and dogs. Offers free services during special community events.	Residents of unincorporated Kern County.	Address: 3951 Fruitvale Avenue, Bakersfield, CA 93308 Phone: (661) 868-7100 Website: kerncountyanimalservices.org
Critters Without Litters	Affordable spay/neuter services and low-cost vaccinations.	Open to the public; appointments required.	Address: 4300 Stine Road Suite 720, Bakersfield, CA 93313 Phone: (661) 831-6000 Website: critterswithoutlitters.org
Bakersfield SPCA	Offers low-cost spay/neuter surgeries and vaccinations.	Open to all pet owners.	Address: 3000 Gibson St, Bakersfield, CA 93308 Phone: (661) 323-8353 Website: bakersfieldspca.org
Friends of the Kern County Animal Shelter Foundation	Provides spay/neuter assistance and participates in periodic free clinic events.	Income-qualified pet owners in Kern County.	Contact through Kern County Animal Services or visit local community event postings for updates.
The Cat People	Offers free or low-cost spay/neuter services for cats, as well as assistance with feral cat colonies.	For feral cats and pet owners facing financial hardship.	Phone: (661) 327-4706

Nearby Options

Organization	Location	Services Offered	Contact Information
Victor Valley Animal Protective League (VVAPL)	Victorville, CA	Low-cost spay/neuter services for cats and dogs, with special discounts for low-income families.	Phone: (760) 247-2102 Website: vvdailypress.com/vvapl
San Bernardino Humane Society	San Bernardino, CA	Affordable spay/neuter and vaccination services.	Phone: (909) 386-1400

Pet Assistance Resources in California and Nevada

Organization	State	Services Offered	Eligibility	Contact Information
The ACME Foundation	California	Veterinary care assistance for senior and disabled pet owners.	Seniors and disabled pet owners in need.	Location: Clearlake, CA Website: Search for ACME Foundation veterinary assistance programs.
Actors and Others for Animals	California	Pet food, spay/neuter assistance, and help with necessary veterinary medical care.	Low-income pet owners in the Greater Los Angeles area.	Location: Los Angeles, CA Phone: (818) 755-6045
Animal Assistance League of Orange County	California	Pet food, transportation, and veterinary care assistance.	Residents of Orange County with financial need.	Location: Orange County, CA Phone: (714) 893-4393
Animal Health Foundation	California	Veterinary care assistance for individuals in need.	Low-income residents in Los Angeles and Orange Counties.	Location: Los Angeles and Orange Counties, CA Website: Search for Animal Health Foundation assistance.
Animal Welfare Assistance Group	California	Veterinary care, spay/neuter services, and pet food for seniors, disabled veterans, and service dog owners.	Seniors, disabled veterans, or service dog owners in Monterey County.	Location: Monterey County, CA Phone: (831) 783-0818

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Marin Humane Society	California	Pet care assistance for low-income seniors, individuals with HIV/AIDS, and those receiving hospice services.	Residents of Marin County meeting eligibility criteria.	Location: Novato, CA Phone: (415) 883-4621
Keep Your Pet (Sacramento)	California	Provides behavioral assistance, veterinary care assistance, and services for seniors.	Sacramento County residents in financial need.	Location: Sacramento, CA Phone: Contact local animal services for more information.
LA Animal Services	California	Spay/neuter, vaccination, and microchip assistance.	Residents of Los Angeles; financial need may apply for some programs.	Location: Los Angeles, CA Website: laanimalservices.com
Nevada Humane Society	Nevada	Low-cost spay/neuter services, vaccinations, and pet food assistance.	Residents of Nevada; income-based eligibility for some services.	Location: Reno and Carson City, NV Phone: (775) 856-2000
Hearts Alive Village	Nevada	Pet food pantry, low-cost veterinary services, and support for seniors with pets.	Open to residents of Clark County, NV.	Location: Las Vegas, NV Phone: (702) 870-0065

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SPCA of Northern Nevada	Nevada	Low-cost spay/neuter and vaccinations.	Residents of Northern Nevada; no income requirements for most services.	Location: Reno, NV Phone: (775) 324-7773
Vegas Pet Rescue Project	Nevada	Emergency pet food assistance and limited financial help for veterinary services.	Clark County residents facing temporary financial hardships.	Location: Las Vegas, NV Phone: (702) 582-7534
Pet Food Bank at Nevada SPCA	Nevada	Free pet food distribution for low-income families.	Clark County residents in financial need.	Location: Las Vegas, NV Website: nevadaspca.org
AnimalSave	California	Pet food assistance and low-cost spay/neuter services.	Open to residents of Nevada County, CA.	Location: Grass Valley, CA Phone: (530) 477-1757
Mercy Crusade Spay & Neuter Clinic	California	Low-cost spay/neuter and vaccination services.	Open to all pet owners.	Location: Oxnard, CA Phone: (805) 278-4433
Nevada County Pets In Need	California	Financial assistance with pet food and veterinary care.	Residents of Nevada County, CA.	Location: Grass Valley, CA Phone: (530) 270-2065 Website: ncpetsinneed.org

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Pets of the Homeless	Nationwide	Pet food and emergency veterinary care for pets of individuals experiencing homelessness.	Individuals experiencing homelessness.	Phone: (775) 841-7463 Website: petsofthehomeless.org
The Pet Fund	Nationwide	Financial assistance for non-basic, non-urgent veterinary care such as cancer treatment and chronic conditions.	Pet owners in need; application process required.	Website: thepetfund.com
RedRover Relief	Nationwide	Financial assistance grants and resources for urgent veterinary care.	Pet owners with animals needing urgent care; application process required.	Website: redrover.org/relief
Banfield Foundation HOPE Funds	Nationwide	Financial assistance for income-qualified pet owners whose pets are suffering from immediately life-threatening conditions.	Income-qualified pet owners; treatment must be done at a Banfield Pet Hospital.	Website: banfieldfoundation.org/programs/hope-fund

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Western University Pet Health Center	California	Lower-cost veterinary care provided by veterinary students under supervision.	Open to all pet owners.	Location: Pomona, CA Website: westernu.edu/university-clinics/pet-health-center/
Kern County Animal Services	California	Low-cost spay/neuter surgeries, vaccination clinics, and veterinary care assistance up to \$200 for critical needs.	Residents of unincorporated Kern County; specific requirements apply.	Location: Bakersfield, CA Phone: (661) 868-7100 Website: kerncountyanimalservices.org/pet-resources/veterinary-care-assistance/
Critters Without Litters	California	Affordable spay/neuter services and low-cost vaccinations at their walk-in clinic.	Open to the public; appointment required for surgeries.	Location: Bakersfield, CA Phone: (661) 831-6000 Website: critterswithoutlitters.org
Thurman Veterinary Center	California	Comprehensive veterinary services, including preventive care and emergency services.	Open to the public; fees	

Low-Cost Veterinary Services

These clinics offer affordable veterinary care, including vaccinations, spay/neuter services, and general medical treatments:

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Thurman Veterinary Center	Comprehensive veterinary services, including preventive care and emergency services.	Open to the public; fees apply.	Address: 12816 Jomani Dr, Bakersfield, CA 93312 Phone: (661) 589-9900 Website: thurmanvetcenter.com
Stine Veterinary Hospital	Full-service pet hospital offering a range of essential medical services for cats and dogs.	Open to the public; fees apply.	Address: 4450 Stine Rd, Bakersfield, CA 93313 Phone: (661) 398-7121 Website: stinevet.com
Coffee Road Animal Hospital	Provides expert veterinary care, including preventive and emergency services.	Open to the public; fees apply.	Address: 3534 Coffee Rd, Bakersfield, CA 93308 Phone: (661) 587-1976 Website: coffeeroadanimalhospital.com

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Kern Mobile Vet	Offers complete medical care for pets at the comfort of your own home.	Open to the public; fees apply.	Phone: (661) 496-2883 Website: kernmobilevet.com



Pet Food Assistance Programs

These organizations provide emergency pet food supplies to pet owners facing financial hardships:

Organization	Services Offered	Eligibility	Contact Information
Bakersfield Pet Food Pantry	Provides emergency pet food to help owners continue caring for their family pets despite economic hardship.	Pet owners experiencing financial hardship; limit of one visit per month and six visits per calendar year.	Address: 4500 Shepard St., Bakersfield, CA 93313 Phone: (661) 369-1222 Website: bakersfieldpetfoodpantry.org
Kern County Animal Services - Pet Food Safety Net Program	Offers short-term pet food distribution to Kern County residents in need.	Residents of Kern County experiencing financial hardship.	Phone: (661) 868-7100 Website: kerncountyanimalservices.org

Financial Assistance for Veterinary Care

Several national organizations provide financial aid to pet owners who are unable to afford veterinary care:

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The Pet Fund	Provides financial assistance to pet owners needing non-emergency veterinary care.	Pet owners must contact The Pet Fund by phone before applying; there is a waiting list for funding.	Phone: (916) 443-6007 Website: thepetfund.com
Waggle	A crowdfunding platform dedicated to helping pet owners raise funds for veterinary expenses.	Pet owners facing financial hardship with veterinary bills.	Website: waggle.org
CareCredit	A healthcare credit card that can be used for veterinary expenses, often with promotional financing options.	Subject to credit approval; terms and conditions apply.	Website: carecredit.com/vet med
Scratchpay	Provides payment plans for veterinary care without affecting credit scores during the application process.	Approval based on financial information; terms vary.	Website: scratchpay.com
Paws 4 A Cure	Offers financial assistance for veterinary care for cats and dogs with injuries or illnesses.	Pet owners who cannot afford veterinary care; specific criteria apply.	Website: paws4acure.org
The Onyx and Breezy Foundation	Provides funding for medical treatment, medication, pet food, and spay/neuter surgeries with proof of financial need.	Pet owners demonstrating financial hardship; specific criteria apply.	Website: onyxandbreezy.org