

Pets and Pet Care

(Updated November 2020)

Suburb	Notes	Address	Contact
Animal Welfare League NSW	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Foster care network <p>Open for surrenders and adoptions 10.00am-3.30pm by appointment.</p>	<p>Kemps Creek Shelter, South West Sydney, between Liverpool and Penrith</p> <p>1605 Elizabeth Drive</p>	<p>Ph: 02 8899 3333</p> <p>Email: helpingpets@awlsw.com.au</p>
Sydney Shelter RSPCA	<p>Provides care, shelter and veterinary treatment to abandoned, injured, neglected or sick animals.</p> <p>Open 9.30am-7.00pm seven days a week (closed public holidays)</p> <p>Vet hospital: Mon-Fri- 9:30am-7:00pm Sat-Sun- 9:30am-12:30pm Appointments are necessary</p>	<p>201 Rookwood Road, Yagoona 2199</p>	<p>Ph: 9770 7575</p>
Community Aged Care Program (previously POOPS – Pets of Older Persons)	<p>Services Provided:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> temporary foster accommodation and/or emergency pet boarding assistance with veterinary treatment home visits to assist 		<p>Ph: 02 9782 4408</p> <p>Online inquiries: https://www.rspcansw.org.au/what-we-do/working-in-communities/community-aged-care-program/</p>

	<p>with basic pet care</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• assistance with pet grooming• assistance with transport to and from the local veterinarian• a volunteer network to assist with dog walking and short periods of in-home care if the owner requires medical treatment, respite or other assistance <p>Eligibility for services:</p> <p>Any person 65 or over, or Indigenous pet owners over 50, who:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Cannot access veterinary assistance due to age or disability- Have no relatives or friends willing to help or care for the pet- Palliative care patients of any age <p>Costs involved:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Clients are asked to contribute what they can- Costs are subsidised through fundraising		
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RSPCA Community Domestic Violence Program	<p>Offers a safe solution for pets owned by women and children escaping domestic violence by arranging secure and affordable emergency accommodation and financial assistance with veterinary treatment, impound fees and transport fees</p>		<p>Ph: 9782 4408</p> <p>Online inquiries: https://www.rspcansw.org.au/what-we-do/working-in-communities/community-domestic-violence-program/</p>
Community Homelessness Program (previously known as Living Ruff)	<p>Assists homeless people and their pets with temporary foster accommodation and/or emergency pet boarding, financial assistance for veterinary treatment and impound fees</p> <p>Education and outreach services</p>		<p>Ph: 9782 4408</p> <p>Online inquiries: https://www.rspcansw.org.au/what-we-do/working-in-communities/community-homelessness-program/</p>
Cat Protection Society of NSW Inc	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assists with foster care and adoption of cats. • Offers discounted desexing for cats. • Feline health and wellbeing advice and education. 	<p>103 Enmore Road Newtown NSW 2042 (opposite Enmore Theatre)</p>	<p>Welfare office: 02 9519 7201 Monday to Friday 9am-4pm</p> <p>Adoption Centre: 02 9557 4818</p> <p>Email inquires: https://catprotection.org.au/contact-us/</p>
Paws and Recover	<p>Sharing the care of pets when people are in a health crisis or difficult times.</p> <p>Offering practical help such as dog walking, respite petcare, fostering,</p>		<p>pawsandrecover@gmail.com</p> <p>Inquiry form: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScuUUg0zR0vTsJLi1X0Jc bOmPjzYn26Z4L61Jwi</p>

	dog and cat grooming, transporting pets to vets and support in assisting people care for animals. Service depends on the availability of volunteers.		ENR2URUpJA/viewform Facebook page: https://www.facebook.com/pawsandrecover/
Maggie's Rescue	Care for animals through a network of foster homes.	Address: Hut 43, 142 Addison Rd, Marrickville 2204	General enquiries email: admin@maggiesrescue.org
Pets in the Park	<p>Cares for pets owned by people who are homeless or at risk of homelessness</p> <p>Free pet health clinics in Sydney, Darlinghurst (last Sunday of every month 2.00 – 4.00pm) and Parramatta providing health checks, vaccinations, flea treatment, worming treatment and basic medication</p> <p>Referral letter required (available from Newtown Neighbourhood Centre)</p>		Ph: 1300 017 979 Online enquiries: http://www.petsinthepark.org.au/#!/page_mail