



Volunteering with Animals

Navigation Services



Need more information? Contact our Navigation Services Team at 303-432-5130 or navigation@jcmh.org

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Urban Wildlife Rescue

303-340-4911

PO Box 2001311, Denver, CO 80220

<http://www.urbanwildliferescue.org/services/volunteer.htm>

Foothills Animal Shelter

303-278-7575

580 McIntyre St., Golden, CO 80401

<https://foothillsanimalshelter.org/volunteer/>

- Requirements: Must be 16 years of age, willing to make a 6-month commitment with a weekly shift
 - Volunteers must contribute a fee (\$17) to cover the cost of a volunteer t-shirt and name tag
 - Volunteer must fill out an online application and cover the cost of a background check (\$17.75)
- Get Started: fill out an application, do a phone interview, go through a new volunteer orientation and go through specialized trainings.
- Notes: Court ordered volunteering contact volunteer manager at Kgalles@fas4pets.org
- For general questions about volunteering contact Kristen Galles at Kgalles@fas4pets.org

Angels with Paws

303-274-2264

2540 Youngfield ST., Lakewood, CO 80215

<http://www.angelswithpaws.net/volunteering/>

- Call for information; High need for foster families
- Must be 18+

The Dumb Friends League

303-751-5772 Ext. 7311;

2080 S. Quebec St., Denver, CO 80231

<https://www.ddfl.org/volunteer/>

- Requirements: To volunteer, you must be at least 16 years old (some positions require individuals to be at least 18 years of age) and willing to make a six-month commitment of approximately three hours per week
- Get Started: Complete the application, attend orientation, interview, and attend training classes.
- Notes: Court ordered volunteering available with stipulations and depending on charges

Max Fund

<https://www.maxfund.org>

volunteer@maxfund.org

- Requirements: Volunteers need to be at least 18 years of age (14-15 years must be accompanied by parent or guardian, who also need to complete orientation). Need to be willing to make a 6 month commitment of 4 hours a month.
- Get Started: Complete application, interview, sign up for orientation (\$25 fee), and hands on training
- Notes: Court ordered volunteering contact the volunteer coordinator at 303-595-4917 or volunteer@maxfund.org

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Denver Animal Shelter

720-913-1311

1241 W. Bayaud Ave., Denver, CO 80223

[Volunteer - City and County of Denver \(denvergov.org\)](https://denvergov.org)

- Requirements: Must be 16 or older, (8-15 acceptable with accompanying adult), able to make 2 hour/week commitment for at least 6 months.
- Get Started: Complete application, attend orientation session, complete interview, and complete training
- Notes: Multiple volunteer opportunities (no community service available at this time). Orientations held twice a month at the shelter

The Denver Zoo

720-337-1619

bcronin@dnverzoo.org

2300 Steele St., Denver, CO 80205

<https://denverzoo.org/volunteer/>

- Requirements: Must be 18 or older, willing to give 50 hours of service per year. Must be able to pay \$35 application fee (scholarship available upon request)

Animal Rescue of the Rockies

970-389-8324

admin@arrcolorado.org

[Become an ARR Volunteer - Animal Rescue of the Rockies \(arrcolorado.org\)](https://arrcolorado.org)

- Get Started: Complete Volunteer Interest Survey and Waiver available on website

Cat Care Society

303-239-9680

5787 W. 6th Ave, Lakewood, CO 80214

<https://catcaresociety.org>

- Must be 16 years or older to volunteer
- Please check application on website to either foster or volunteer

Zuma's Rescue Ranch

303-346-7493

7745 N Moore Rd, Littleton, CO 80125

<https://www.zumasrescueranch.com>

- Volunteer orientations held the 3rd Saturday of every month; then must complete 2-hour horsemanship 101 class
- Children under age 16 will need to be accompanied by parent/guardian; children under age 18 will need a liability waiver signed by parent
- Multiple volunteering opportunities available

Praying Hands Ranch

303-841-4043; Parker, CO

<https://www.prayinghandsranch.org/>

- Multiple volunteer opportunities for ages 14+, including in the equine program