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### **Petco Love and the Humane Society of North Texas Aim to Stop the Spread of Deadly Preventable Diseases Through Free Pet Vaccination Events**

As part of Petco Love's *Vaccinated and Loved* initiative to provide an additional one million free pet vaccines nationwide, the Humane Society of North Texas will host a yearlong vaccine event from January 1 through December 31, 2025

**Fort Worth, Texas (June 20, 2025)** – The Humane Society of North Texas (HSNT) will offer free pet vaccinations in the Fort Worth metroplex. The free vaccines are made possible through Petco Love's national vaccination initiative, *Vaccinated and Loved*, which is providing an additional one million free pet vaccines to existing animal welfare partners, including HSNT, for family pets in need.

Parvovirus and distemper in dogs and panleukopenia in cats — the most prevalent deadly diseases affecting pets — are preventable with a simple vaccine. An estimated 30% of pet parents do not take their pet to a veterinarian annually for preventative care. To ensure the health and wellness of our beloved pets and to address this critical need, HSNT and Petco Love have partnered to make pet vaccines free and accessible.

Through this national initiative, the Humane Society of North Texas is proud to help protect 5,000 pets in our community by providing free, lifesaving vaccines. Appointments are required — visit [hsnt.org/clinic](https://hsnt.org/clinic), call (817) 332-4768, x112, or email [clinic@hsnt.org](mailto:clinic@hsnt.org) to schedule.

We offer several convenient options to help keep your pets healthy, happy, and safe! The free vaccines distributed at events through the Petco Love initiative will be the DAPPv Canine and HCP Feline vaccines.

“Thanks to Petco Love, we can offer these important vaccine events at no cost to pet parents,” said Cassie Davidson, Senior Director of Communications for the Humane Society of North Texas. “We urge community members to take advantage of this no-cost resource to ensure the health and wellness of our community’s pets.”

“Vaccinations are vital to protecting our beloved pets from life-threatening but preventable diseases,” said [Susanne Kogut](#), President of Petco Love. “Our goal is to make these critical vaccines accessible to as many pet parents as possible, breaking down financial barriers and strengthening the human-animal bond.”

In November 2024, Petco Love's *Vaccinated and Loved* initiative reached its goal of distributing [three million free pet vaccines](#) for family pets, and the organization is determined to reach even more pets in need by providing an additional one million free vaccines. The campaign was launched in August 2021, encouraging Petco Love animal welfare partners to host free vaccine clinics.

For more information about vaccine distribution, contact the Humane Society of North Texas at [hsnt.org](https://hsnt.org). Learn more about Petco Love's lifesaving impact at [PetcoLove.org](https://PetcoLove.org).

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### **About the Humane Society of North Texas**

Since 1905, the Humane Society of North Texas (HSNT) has a mission to save, shelter, protect, and advocate for all animals in need throughout North Texas. As an independent nonprofit organization, HSNT relies on the generosity of the public to help ensure there is a safe place for abused, injured, and homeless animals in the community. To make a lifesaving donation, please visit [hsnt.org/donate](https://hsnt.org/donate). To learn more about HSNT, visit [hsnt.org](https://hsnt.org), [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#), [Threads](#), [TikTok](#), and [LinkedIn](#).  
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### **About Petco Love**

Petco Love is a life-changing nonprofit organization that makes communities and pet families closer, stronger, and healthier. Since our founding in 1999, we've empowered animal welfare organizations by investing nearly \$421 million in adoption and other lifesaving efforts. We've helped find loving homes for more than 7 million pets in partnership with Petco and organizations nationwide. Our love for pets drives us to lead with innovation, creating tools animal lovers need to reunite lost pets, and lead with passion, inspiring and mobilizing communities and our more than 4,000 animal welfare partners to drive lifesaving change alongside us. Is love calling you? Join us. Visit [PetcoLove.org](https://PetcoLove.org) or follow us on [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#), [X](#), [Threads](#), and [LinkedIn](#) to be part of the lifesaving work we lead every day.