



Keeping pets  
and families  
together.

Essential pet  
health care  
for Albertans  
in need.





# Who Are We?

Tails of Help is a volunteer-driven registered charity focused on helping Albertans in need. Working with the Alberta Veterinary Medical Association, we provide essential veterinary care for pets of owners who are experiencing financial hardship.



Our goal is to help keep pets healthy and with their loving families.

# Why is Our Work Important?

Research proves that the Human Animal Bond is beneficial to both our mental and physical health. Pets help children to develop relationship skills, learn socialization and empathy. Pets also provide the elderly and disabled with a sense of identity, security, and reduce psychological stress.

When financial hardship strikes, some owners cannot afford the necessary health care for their pet. Animals are often left untreated, suffering, surrendered, or even euthanized.

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# Who Do We Help?

We help seniors, disabled, or low income Albertans with pets in need of essential health care. We offer aid for companion animals of all shapes and sizes – from dogs and cats to birds and ferrets.

# How it Works.

Applications for funding are made on behalf of eligible pet owners by participating Alberta veterinary clinics. Successful applications are determined by several factors including qualified need, available funds, and the veterinarian's expectation of successful recovery. When an application is approved funds are disbursed directly to the treating clinic.



Visit [tailsofhelp.ca](http://tailsofhelp.ca) for details on eligibility criteria and participating veterinarians.



# How Can I Help?

## Give Funds

Your donation helps deliver essential health care to pets in need and keeps pets with their families. Donations can be made online and charitable tax receipts can be issued for amounts of \$15 or more.

## Give Time

Join our growing team of volunteers. Whether you have a few hours or time for a larger commitment, we'd be happy to have you join our cause.

## Corporate Giving

Contact us to see how your company can help. We offer a range of options including:

- Direct corporate donations
- Host or sponsor a fundraising event

## Why Your Help is Important

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