Feeding Pets of the Homeless is the first national nonprofit providing pet food and emergency veterinary care to pets that belong to people experiencing homelessness.

From 2008—December 2022, Feeding Pets has delivered more than 2 million pounds of food, medically treated 30,000 pets and provided over $3.5 million in veterinary care, crates and support.
MISSION STATEMENT

Feeding Pets of the Homeless believes in the healing power of companion pets and of the human/animal bond, which is very important in the lives of people experiencing homelessness.

They find solace, protection and companionship through their pets. They care for their pets with limited resources so they themselves have less. Our task, nationwide, is to feed and provide emergency veterinary care to their pets and thus relieve the anguish and anxiety of homeless guardians who cannot provide for them.

Evidence shows that animal companionship is fortifying and contributes to the emotional well-being of people experiencing homelessness, including encouraging owners to obtain sobriety, leave abusive relationships, and avoid incarceration.

-National Alliance to End Homelessness
BY THE NUMBERS

2.5 to 3.5 million Americans experience homelessness each year according to The National Law Center on Homelessness & Poverty.

5 to 10% of people experiencing homelessness have pets. In some areas of the country, up to 25% have pets.
THE TEAM

**Officers**

Genevieve Frederick – President & Founder
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Laura Brown – Executive Director
Kristen Furleigh, MBA – Marketing Director
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We prefer to say, "people experiencing homelessness," as opposed to labeling people homeless. Please do not say, "the homeless."

Feeding Pets of the Homeless in first reference, then Feeding Pets in second and subsequent reference.

Give a Dog a Bone Week is our annual Nationwide pet food drive held in the second week of August.
CERTIFICATIONS

Rating 100 out of 100 by Charity Navigator

Platinum Transparency 2023 by Candid.

A 2023 “Platinum” GuideStar-rated transparent nonprofit.
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