

City & County of Honolulu's
Neuter Now Program

A partnership of the City, Participating Veterinarians and the Hawaiian Humane Society

Why Neuter Now?

1. Sterilized pets live longer and are healthier. Neutered male dogs and cats are less likely to roam and get lost or hurt. Sterilized cats and dogs are less likely to develop some cancers and they make better neighbors.
2. Statistics show that neutered dogs are less likely to bite. Sterilization does not affect a dog's ability to be a good watchdog.
3. Your pet will be a better companion. Male cats are not as likely to spray, and male dogs are not as likely to mark their territory once neutered.
4. Spaying a female eliminates heat periods, confinement, the mess and odor that attract males.
5. It's the law. The cat protection law requires that all cats age 6 months or older that are allowed outside be spayed or neutered.

About Pet Overpopulation

There are more cats and dogs on Oahu than there are loving homes. Every pet owner can help to reduce pet overpopulation by sterilizing their pets. One female cat and her offspring can produce more than 120,000 cats in seven years. One unsprayed dog and her offspring can produce more than 60,000 dogs in a lifetime. Even if you were to find homes for just one litter of puppies or kittens, it makes it even harder for homeless animals to find families.

How it Works

The City and County of Honolulu, the Hawaiian Humane Society and Oahu veterinarians have partnered to provide reduced rate sterilizations for cats and dogs. The City and County funds Neuter Now, the nonprofit Hawaiian Humane Society administers it at no cost to the city or taxpayers and select veterinarians perform the surgeries.

Eligibility

All cats and dogs whose owners are Oahu residents, age 18 or older are eligible. Those younger must have a parent or guardian sign the sterilization certificate. The veterinarian will determine if your cat or dog is fit for this medical procedure.

Neuter Now Fees

<u>Male Cat</u>	- \$40
<u>Female Cat</u>	- \$50
<u>Male Dog</u>	- \$50
<u>Female Dog</u>	- \$75

When looking for a veterinarian, call around to determine if additional fees will be charged. You'll want to know what these are in advance.

Special \$20 rate for EBT card holders

Electronic Benefit Transfer (EBT) card holders pay a \$20 flat rate for Neuter Now certificates for any cat or dog. Veterinarians cannot charge anything additional. Certificates must be purchased in person by the pet owner. Your EBT card and a government issued photo ID are required at the time of purchase. Your card number, printed name, signature and other information must be recorded on the certificate.

Get your Certificate today

Purchase a sterilization certificate from your nearby Satellite City Hall. Or purchase one at the **Hawaiian Humane Society** at **2700 Waiialae Ave.** You can also call **356-2227** to receive an application by mail or fax. Or visit the Web and download the form at www.hawaiianhumane.org. Go to "Other Programs & Services, Neuter Now."

Get spayed right away

Since your certificate is valid for only three months from the time of purchase, don't delay. Call and get your pet spayed right away. If your pet is unable to undergo the surgery, the Humane Society can offer a refund if your certificate has not expired. Visit us weekdays between noon and 8 p.m. Or weekends and most holidays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Services covered

- Pre-surgery Exam
- Anesthesia for Surgery
- Sterilization Surgery
- Removal of Stitches (if needed)

Services not covered

Cost of medication and services required for treatment related to post surgical complications (later than 24 hours post surgery).

Reduced rate dog license fees

Dog owners should ask the veterinarian to complete and since the City's form No. CS-L(SS)81. Submit this original signed form the next time you renew your dog license to qualify for the reduced licensing fee.

Participating Veterinarians: Please call to confirm their participation in the city's Neuter Now Program. The following participating veterinary clinics provide services for cats and dogs at reduced rates as part of the City's Neuter Now program. Call to confirm their participation. (List updated 06/03/2009)

Central/Leeward:

ANIMAL HOUSE VETERINARY CENTER – 689-1797
91-919 Ft. Weaver Rd., Suite 114, Ewa Beach, HI 96706
Celine Hatt, DVM

ANIMAL CLINIC KAPOLEI – 674-9643
91-579 Farrington Hwy, Kapolei, HI 96707

ANIMAL CLINIC MILILANI – 623-2814
95-221 Kipapa Drive, Mililani, HI 96789

ANIMAL CLINIC WAIMALU - 4873607
98-020 Kamehameha Hwy, Aiea, HI 96701

CAT-BIRD VET MOBILE HOSPITAL - 623-5466
94-658 Ialeleiaka Place, Mililani, HI 96789
551-7289 (c) Jill Voeks, DVM

MILILANI MAUKA VETERINARY CLINIC - 626-7600
995-1095 Ainamakua Drive, Suite 5, Mililani, HI 96789
Jamie Wicklund Furutani, DVM

WAIPAHU-LEEWARD VETERINARY CLINIC - 671-4095
94-801 Farrington Hwy., Suite 3, Waipahu, HI 96797
James H. Higa, DVM • Darin K. Hisanaga, DVM • Dawn S. Kimata, DVM • Andrea Tiberi, DVM

HONOLULU

BLUE CROSS ANIMAL HOSPITAL - 593-2532
1318 Kapiolani Blvd., Honolulu, HI 96814
Darrell C. Allison, DVM • Alison W. Jayne, DVM

THE CAT CLINIC - 732-8884
1131 Kapahulu Ave., Honolulu, HI 96816
Nicholas Palumbo, DVM • Sue Sylvester-Palumbo, DVM

ISLAND VETERINARY CARE, LLC - 944-0003
830 Coolidge St., Suite 2, Honolulu, HI 96826
Bertram Lau, DVM

KALIHI PET CLINIC, INC. - 951-8808
2203 South Beretania St., Honolulu, HI 96826
Timothy S. Y. Lau, DVM

OHANA VETERINARY HOSPITAL - 845-1762
1414 Dillingham Blvd., #102-3, Honolulu, HI 96817
Lissa Kam, DVM

THE PET CLINIC - 946-5096
1947 South Beretania St., Honolulu, HI 96826
Scott Harada, DVM • Roy Harada, DVM

THE PET DOCTOR - 733-8828
4400-6 Kalaniana'ole Hwy., Honolulu, HI 96821
Eric Ako, DVM

PETSWELL PET HOSPITAL - 593-9444
537 Pensacola St., Honolulu, HI 96814
Pauline F. Yap, DVM

WINDWARD

KAILUA ANIMAL CLINIC - 263-8863
111 Hekilii Street, Kailua, HI 96734
John D. Haddock, DVM • Bethany Doescher, DVM

MAKAI ANIMAL CLINIC - 262-9621
420 Uluniu Street, Kailua, HI 96734
Thomas Chlebeczek, DVM • Ed Alan Zane, DVM

VCA KANEOHE ANIMAL HOSPITAL - 236-2414
45-608 Kamehameha Hwy., Kaneohe, HI 96744
Jan Chouljian, DVM • Alexandra Garcia, DVM • Charisse Jeters, DVM • Vance Kawakami, DVM • Gregg Levine, DVM • Judy Miura, DVM • Renee Nagata, DVM • Carol Ochiai, DVM • Sandy Rivera, DVM • Ann Sakamoto, DVM • Daniel Severson, DVM