

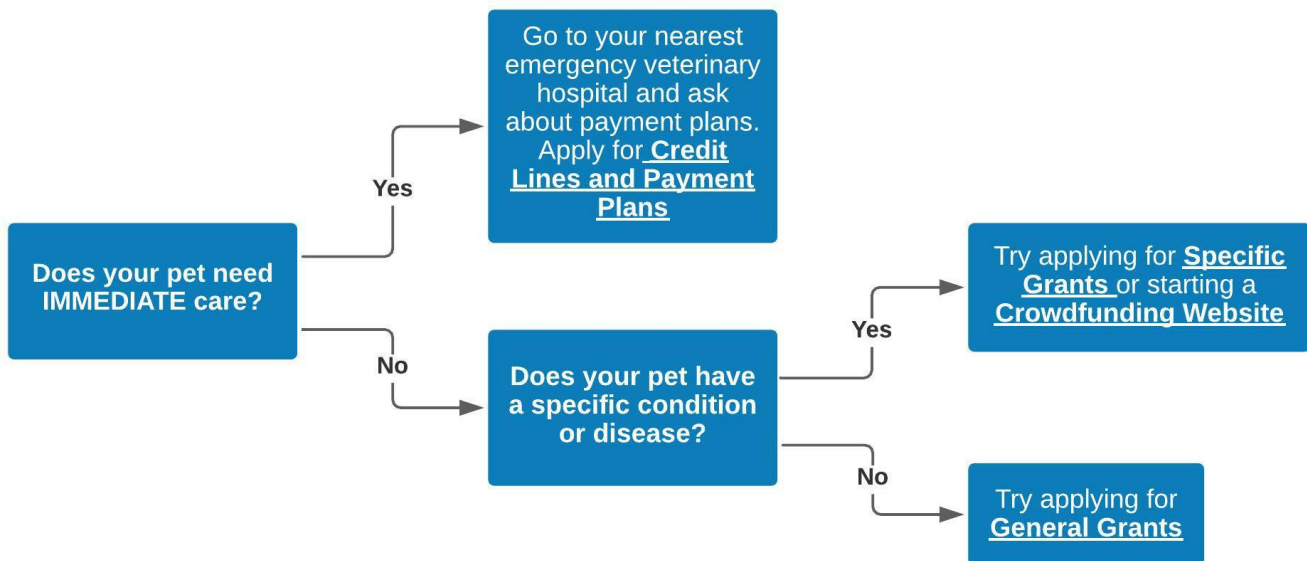
Veterinary Financial Assistance Resources

We are sorry to learn that you and your pet are struggling with a veterinary medical situation. HSC has gathered the following resources below that may be able to provide you with the financial assistance needed.

Follow the flow chart below to see which resources may best apply to your circumstances. Please note that HSC is not endorsing these programs, organizations or websites and cannot vouch for their policies. This list is not all-inclusive and citizens are encouraged do their own research in addition to this list.

Many of the organizations require that your pet be spayed or neutered or are in the process of obtaining the service. Please contact outreach@humanecharlotte.org or 980-313-4472 to make an appointment or for any further assistance understanding options available. Note: our Community Outreach team operates on a Tuesday – Saturday schedule and can be reached during normal operating hours.

(If you are having trouble clicking on a link, try copy-and-pasting it into your browser search bar or searching the name of the organization.)



General Grants (typically money you don't need to repay)

- Brown Dog Foundation** www.browndogfoundation.org
 Email: browndog@browndogfoundation.org

They will consider assisting in cases where treatment (not payment) has already begun or occurred IF the pet's life was truly at risk, provided you complete this questionnaire within 7 days of the onset of the injury/illness. *Does not reimburse if payment has already been made.

- Bow Wow Buddies Foundation** bowwowbuddies.com
 Email: bw buddiesfoundation@cbwcorp.com

Completed grant applications are reviewed on the 1st and 15th of every month. After the review, notifications are sent to the applicants to let them know whether their grant request has been approved. You can apply for a grant up to 30 days after a procedure.

- **Dylan's Heart** dylanshearts.com
Email: donna@dylanshearts.com Phone: 843-855-2381
The pet must have a life threatening or critical injury or illness that requires a specific treatment and must have a favorable prognosis.
- **Frankie's Friends** www.frankiesfriends.com
Phone: 888-465-7387
This program is designed to help with the treatment of emergency and specialty medical conditions where the pet would otherwise suffer, be euthanized, or relinquished without proper veterinary care.
*Does not reimburse if payment has already been made.
- **Friends & Vets Helping Pets** friendsandvetshelpingpets.org
Email: info@friendsandvetshelpingpets.org Phone: 859-309-2043
Goal is to solve the problem of families being forced, unnecessarily, to euthanize a family pet solely because of cost restraints. Funds treatment for curable diseases such as tumors, broken bones, ambulatory care, expensive medication, or post-surgical prosthetics (such as a K9 cart). Does not fund diagnostics or preventative measures such as x-ray, ultrasound or MRI tests.
- **Harley's Hope** www.harleys-hopefoundation.org/
Email: petcare@harleys-hopefoundation.org Phone: 719-495-6083
Assists with major or emergency care. Candidates must have already received a diagnosis, treatment plan, and survival prognosis of fair or better to qualify. Pets over 1 year of age must be spayed/neutered to receive assistance.
- **Hearts United for Animals** hua.org/911-emergency-assistance-rescue
Email: hua@hua.org Phone: 402-274-3679
Assists with emergency medical cases. Must be declined for Care Credit.
- **The Onyx & Breezy Foundation** www.onyxandbreezy.org/
Email: info@onyxandbreezy.org
Financial assistance for cats and dogs medical treatment, food or medication. *Does not reimburse if payment has already been made.
- **Paws 4 A Cure** www.paws4acure.org
Focus on assisting cat or dog owners who cannot afford veterinary care. Does not discriminate against breed, age, or diagnosis.
- **Pets of the Homeless** www.petsofthehomeless.org/ (assistance for those facing homelessness)
Email: info@petsofthehomeless.org Phone: 775-841-7463
If you are experiencing homelessness and are needing emergency veterinary care for your pet, please contact us Monday – Friday 9am-3pm PST
- **Red Rover** redrover.org/relief
Email: info@redrover.org Phone: 916-429-2457
For pets with a life-threatening injury or illness that requires urgent treatment. Must have a diagnosis and treatment plan from a veterinarian with a favorable outcome. Pets must be spayed or neutered.
*Does not reimburse if payment has already been made.
- **STAR Relief** starelief.org
Email: care@starrelief.org
For pets in need of medical care, end-of-life services or emergency boarding/ fostering care. Grant ranges from \$100-\$500 based on medical urgency, financial need, available funding and eligibility. Pets must be spayed/neutered.

- **The Mosby Foundation** www.themosbyfoundation.org
Email: info@themosbyfoundation.org Phone: 540-885-2260
Assisting sick or injured cats or dogs. Cannot support emergency situations.
- **The Pet Fund** www.thepetfund.com
Email: info@thepetfund.com
For medical needs pertaining to cancer treatment, heart disease, chronic conditions, endocrine diseases, eye diseases, etc. Will not assist with emergency/ urgent cases. E-mail info@thepetfund.com first and they will reach out if you are eligible for the program.

Specific Grants (typically money you don't need to repay)

- **Feline Veterinary Emergency Assistance Programs (FVEAP)** fveap.org/ (cancer treatment)
Only assists for kittens or cats who are dealing with cancer caused by vaccinations (Vaccine Associated Sarcoma/ Injection Site Sarcoma).
- **Frankie's Friends "Bond Fund"** www.frankiesfriends.org/bonds-fund
Phone: 888-465-7387
Provides grants to assist with the cost of specialty eye care for pets whose families cannot afford the full cost of treatment. Financial support may be given to families who demonstrate requisite financial need and whose pets would have a good prognosis for long-term recovery to a normal quality of life.
*Does not reimburse if payment has already been made.
- **Juniors Fund** <https://www.juniorsfund.org/> (irritable bowel disease)
Email: juniorsfund@gmail.com Phone: 980-239-7892
Specifically assists pets who have been diagnosed with Irritable Bowel Disease (IBD) or are suspected by a veterinarian to have IBD.
- **Magic Bullet Fund** themagicbulletfund.org (cancer treatment)
Email: email@themagicbulletfund.org
Financial Assistance for dogs or cats needing cancer treatment. The review process takes 1-4 weeks, after a pet is in the fund, it will take an additional 1-4 weeks to raise donations needed. *Does not reimburse if payment has already been made.
- **Tipper and Squirt Fund** www.tipper-squirtcushingfund.org/ (Cushing's disease)
Email: tipperandsquirtcare@tipper-squirtcushingfund.org
For testing and treatment related to dog's suffering from Cushing's disease. Typically takes 1-2 weeks after the application is received until you will hear back from the organization.

Credit Lines and Payment Plans (requires repayment, sometimes with interest)

- **CareCredit** carecredit.com
Phone: (new applicants) 800-677-0718 (existing cardholders): 866-893-7864
- **Scratch Pay** <https://www.scratchpay.com/> (No credit score penalty)
Email: support@scratchpay.com Phone: 855-727-2395
- **Vetary** <https://www.vetary.com/>
Email: contact@vetary.com Phone: 855-738-9111

Crowdfunding Websites (typically takes a small portion of funding)

- GoFundMe <https://www.gofundme.com>
- PetFundr <https://fundrazr.com/pages/petfundr>
- Plumfund <https://www.plumfund.com/pet-fund>
- CoFund My Pet <https://cofundmypet.com>
- Waggle <https://www.waggle.org>