Dear Supporter,

Let's talk about the spay neuter facts of life!

Iowa Humane Alliance will spay 5,000+ female cats in 2022. This will prevent some 125,000 new kittens from entering our local animal shelters and rescues and adding to the pet overpopulation crisis.

February is Spay Neuter Awareness Month and World Spay Day is February 22nd! Help Iowa Humane Alliance raise $5,000 that's $1 for every female cat spay in 2022) and impact pet overpopulation.
Now in its tenth year, the Iowa Humane Alliance Regional Spay/Neuter Clinic has performed 78,859 spay or neuter surgeries since opening in January 2013. That comes to...

- 30,110 Female Cats
- 26,581 Male Cats
- 10,243 Female Dogs
- 10,314 Male Dogs
- 531 Female Rabbits
- 991 Male Rabbits

Donations during the month of February will be used to assist with the cost of spay or neuter surgery for kittens and puppies under six months of age.

Get all the spay neuter facts of life by staying tuned to our social media sites this month! We'll be posting adorable photos along with important information about the benefits of spay neuter and debunking common myths.

IHA partners with local businesses to raise awareness

1997 - 2022

Can Shed will be joining IHA this month to raise awareness about spay and neuter and this recycling program. Cans and bottles can be dropped off in the bins located on the Southwest corner of the clinic, next to our dumpster. You can also bring your Iowa deposit containers directly into any of the 5 Can Shed locations and they will add your redemption value to IHA's account!

For more information visit iowahumanealliance.org

Hy Vee Reusable Bag Program
89 Rodents
The first step toward change is awareness.

Happy Spay Neuter Awareness Month! Go to the Hy Vee located on Mount Vernon Road in Cedar Rapids and purchase a $2.50 red "My Heart" Reusable Bag. Hy Vee will contribute a $1 donation to Iowa Humane Alliance during February!

We will be there on Saturday, February 19th to greet shoppers and talk about spay neuter! Stop by to pick up your reusable bag and say hello!

Save the Date

Print a flier and help spread the word!

IHA Partner's Corner
Johnson County Humane Society Florence Unash Neuter Program

Thanks to a generous bequest from the estate of local animal lover Florence Unash, the Johnson County Humane Society Unash Neuter Program helps pay for the spaying and neutering of cats and dogs belonging to residents of Johnson County who financially qualify.

In 2021, the Unash Program provided assistance for 305 patients, contributing over $12,000, for the spay or neuter surgeries performed at the IHA Regional Spay Neuter Clinic.
This is great news for Johnson County pet owners and community cat caretakers!

How does Iowa Humane Alliance reduce barriers to spay and neuter?

High-Quality. IHA veterinarians and staff are caring professionals. All animals receive a high-quality surgery, with injectable and gas anesthesia, multimodal pain control and continuous surgical monitoring.

High-Volume. We are able to perform 50+ surgeries per day, five days a week, due to our specialized focus on spay neuter. We are making the greatest impact on pet overpopulation in the region.

Low-Cost. As a nonprofit organization, we raise donations to provide assistance for under-resourced clients and colony caretakers. We also apply for grants in support of our additional lifesaving programs.

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