



Volunteer Application-Adult

If you need to complete hours for court or judicial affairs, please use the “Community Service” application.

Personal Information for volunteer <u>18 years of age and older</u>			
Last Name	First Name	Preferred name for nametag	Date of Birth (Month-Day-Year)
Email Address (Our preferred method of contact.)		Contact Phone Number	Do you have reliable transportation? (The main shelter is not on a regular bus route.)
Local Address		City	State/Zip
Permanent Address (if not local)		City, State, Zip/Postal Code, Country (if not USA)	
Emergency Contact Name and Phone Number		Employer or School (include year in school)	
Volunteer Positions (Please indicate your preference)			
Are you able to commit to the SPCA for at least six (6) months, volunteering 8-10 hours per month? If no, please explain.			Yes No
Our volunteer positions are listed below. Descriptions are on the reverse side			
Feline Friend	Gardening/Grounds	Animal Care Attendant	
Dog Walker/Canine Companion	Medical Aide		
Tell us about your animal experience.			
Availability			
<p>Feline Friend Shifts are 1pm-4pm Daily and Thursday 5pm-7pm</p> <p>Dog Walker/Canine Companion Shifts are 12pm-2pm and 2:30pm-4:30 pm Daily and Thursday 5pm-7pm</p> <p>Please list <u>all</u> the shifts that would work for your schedule.</p>			

Feline Friend

Feline Friends spend quality time with the cats, socializing them and helping to keep their apartments clean. You will also work with members of the public and help them find a cat that is purr-fect for their home.

Dog Walker/Canine Companion

Dog Walkers/Canine Companions walk the dogs for exercise, provide enrichment using appropriate equipment and help teach the dogs basic obedience. You will also do some light cleaning if dogs have accidents in their rooms during the day, play with them in the play yard, and provide lots of one-on-one petting time in their rooms.

Gardening/Grounds Crew

Many people enjoying being outside getting their hands dirty whether in rain or shine. Be a part of our grounds crew to help take care of the many acres of land that provides our animals with adequate space to run and play. We want to make our facilities look and feel welcoming both inside and out – but it's only possible with your help!

Medical Aide

Do you have experience with the medical aspects of animals? Our medical staff would appreciate your knowledge and help in assisting them when providing medical care to those in need.

Animal Care Attendant – cleaning

For the dedicated few who are able to understand the importance of a clean environment for our animals. This involves cleaning cages, dishes, laundry, sweeping/mopping. This is a fast paced, dirty job. Must be able to lift 50lbs.

Miscellaneous

Have you ever had an animal cruelty or neglect charge brought against you?

Yes No If yes, please explain on a separate page and attach it to this

The SPCA does require staff and volunteers to be vaccinated for COVID-19 and wear a mask while in the building.

Yes No Are you fully vaccinated against Covid-19?

Yes No I understand that the Volunteer Coordinator will email me regarding orientation and/or training.

(You are encouraged to update your email account to prevent any emails from "volunteer@spcaonline.com" from going into your spam folder.)

I hereby state that the information I have provided in this application form is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Signature

Today's Date

Please return application to:

SPCA of Tompkins County, Attn: Volunteer Coordinator, 1640 Hanshaw Road, Ithaca, NY 14850

Email to: volunteer@spcaonline.com

It is our goal to contact all volunteer applicants within two weeks of application submission. If you do not hear from someone in that time, please email the address above, or call 607-257-1822 x 246.