



**DUPAGE  
COUNTY**

# ANIMAL SERVICES

## Pet Population Fund (PPF) Low Income Spay/Neuter Program

DuPage County Animal Services works with local veterinarians to help families participating in the food stamp program and/or receiving Social Security Disability (SSDI) Benefits throughout Illinois to sterilize their pets. Participation in the program is voluntary. Any DuPage County veterinarian who chooses to participate in the program must abide by the program standards and be licensed in good standing to practice veterinary medicine in Illinois.

### PPF Reimbursement Schedule

Service	Fee
Cat Neuter	\$150.00
Cat Spay	\$200.00
Dog Neuter	\$200.00
Dog Spay	\$300.00
Vaccinations/Microchip/ SNAP Test/Fecal	\$100.00

#### Highlights of the program:

- ❖ There is no cost to the client to participate in this program.
- ❖ Clients are approved for participation in the program by DCAS and are given a voucher to bring with them to the spay/neuter appointment with the participating veterinary hospital of their choosing.
- ❖ Vaccinations, microchipping, and fecal exam must be completed the day of surgery for full reimbursement.
- ❖ All medical records and vaccination certificates must match the information on the voucher. If they do not match, then the clinic may not receive a reimbursement for that client/service.
- ❖ Original dated invoice with the voucher number will be sent to DCAS for reimbursement showing a minimum of client's name and contact information, pet's name and information (including microchip number), all services performed, invoice number, date of appointment and total due for reimbursement.
- ❖ Rabies Vaccination Certificates are sent to DCAS, along with the invoice, for issuing of rabies tag to the client (veterinary hospitals do not issue rabies tags to PPF clients directly).

