



VOLUNTEER POSITION DESCRIPTION ANIMAL CARE

TITLE:

Pet Bathing Assistant AC-PB

MAJOR OBJECTIVE:

1. To bathe animals in our adoption kennels for the purpose of:
2. Increasing animals' adoptability
3. Minimizing health problems
4. Minimizing animals' discomfort while staying in our center

RESPONSIBILITIES:

1. Basic bathing of dogs
2. Keep sanitary all grooming areas and grooming equipment

QUALIFICATIONS:

1. Ability to lift animals between 10-70 lbs. into bathtub and onto grooming table and handle other strenuous tasks
2. Bending, standing for long periods
3. Desire to have close contact with animals
4. Previous animal handling experience
5. Previous experience in bathing/brushing animals, e.g., your own pets
6. Minimum 18 years of age

TRAINING:

1. Attend MSRPAC's volunteer general informational session
2. One training session with wellness staff
3. Interview with the Volunteer Services manager or designee

TIME AND PLACE:

Shifts available during regular hours of operation.

COMMITMENT:

Minimum six month commitment.

SUPERVISION:

Direct supervision Animal Care Department, indirect supervision by the Volunteer Services manager

BENEFITS:

1. Continuing Education
2. Recognition events
3. Volunteer newsletter
4. 10% discount at Critter Corner Pet Store
5. Personal fulfillment
6. Licks, wags and purrs!