



HUMANE EDUCATIONAL SOCIETY FOSTER ANIMAL EMERGENCY INFO

Daytime Hours: Tuesday-Saturday 9-6 Emilee 423-290-2908

Sunday-Monday 9-6 Shelby or Chasity 423-290-2908

After Hours Emergencies: 423-290-2908 or if no answer from foster team: 423-624-8353.

Appointments can be scheduled at www.heschatt.org/activefoster

LESS URGENT **Email foster@heschatt.org or text and if an appointment is needed** someone will be in touch within 24 hours. Please text or call if no response within that time or condition worsens

- One episode of vomiting or diarrhea
- Reverse sneezing or regular sneezing
- Itchy skin
- Watery/ goopy eyes
- Dirty/stinky ears
- Hot spot/ skin irritation/hair loss
- Visible worms in poop
- Coughing (urgent if heartworm + dog)
- Fleas on foster pet



URGENT **Send a text to foster coordinator and schedule an appointment**

- Incident of aggression
- Cut or puncture wound
- NEW limping
- Losing weight
- Constipation: hasn't pooped for 48 hours
- Vomiting / diarrhea for more than 24 hours or more than once a day
- Lethargy and low appetite/ not eating
- Colored nasal or eye discharge with severe congestion
- Straining to urinate/ blood in urine



EMERGENCY **Immediate phone call**

- Lost foster animal
- Bite/ Broken skin
- Bleeding profusely
- Unable to stand or walk
- Unresponsive
- Hit by a car or otherwise seriously injured
- Having trouble breathing
- Seizure/ disoriented/ drunk walking/ ataxia
- Ingested a dangerous/ poisonous substance
- Male cat unable to urinate, straining, crying out



*severe diarrhea, weight loss, or vomiting is considered an emergency for neonatal fosters

CHATTANOOGA AREA EMERGENCY CLINICS (MUST HAVE APPROVAL FROM FOSTER TEAM):

Animal Emergency and
Specialty Center (AESC)
6393 Lee Hwy.,
Chattanooga, TN 37421
423-822-8304

Veterinary Care and Specialty
Group (VCSG)
3201 Broad Street,
Chattanooga, TN 37408
423-591-0270

VCA Regional Institute for Veterinary
Emergencies and Referrals (RIVER)
2132 Amnicola Hwy, Chattanooga, TN 37406
423-698-4612