

Zutilla Has a Heart Application Information

Please read this thoroughly before completing the application!

The mission of Zutilla Has a Heart is to provide heartworm prevention to dogs in low-income families. Any interested pet owners must first complete an application. Incomplete applications will not be considered. There are more pets in need than we have funds to help currently. **Assistance is limited to two dogs per household.** Completing an application does not guarantee assistance, the application must first be approved.

If your application is approved, you will be contacted by phone or email. Please allow up to 14 business days from the time of application submission to hear a response.

Zutilla Has a Heart only aids owned pets. Rescue groups, shelters or other non-profit organizations are not eligible.

If approved, you will schedule a time for your dog to visit Zutilla Pet Clinic, 3011 E. Walnut Ave, Dalton, GA 30721 for a brief exam and heartworm test. You **must** bring a photo ID with you to this appointment. Then your dog will be provided with a 12-month supply of heartworm prevention. Other health concerns are NOT able to be addressed during this visit. If your dog tests positive for heartworms, low-cost subsidized treatment MAY be provided based on fund availability.

Process:

Complete the application and email to info@zutillapetclinic.com or mail to Zutilla Has a Heart, 3011 E. Walnut Ave, Dalton, GA 30721. Remember to include document(s) demonstrating financial need (if applicable).

Wait up to 14 business days for a response via phone or email

If approved:

Schedule a time to come to the clinic with your dog. You **MUST** bring a photo ID with you to this appointment or no services can be provided.

Have heartworm test and exam done and receive heartworm prevention! Reminder...No other medical issues can be addressed during this appointment.

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Pet Owner Information

Name _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____

Zip Code _____

Phone Number _____

Email _____

Preferred method of communication (circle one) Phone/Email

Number of adults in household _____ Number of children under 18 in household _____

Household Income _____ (circle one- weekly, bi-weekly, monthly, annually)

Pet Information

Name _____
Age _____
Sex _____
Breed _____
Approx. Weight _____
Color _____
Spayed/Neutered? Yes/No (circle one)
How long have you owned this pet? _____

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Are you aware that heartworm disease is spread by mosquitoes and can be fatal? Yes/No

Has your dog ever been heartworm tested? Yes/No

Has your dog ever been on heartworm prevention? Yes/No

Are you able to provide documents confirming your financial need (food stamp card, Medicare, disability, recent pay stub, unemployment etc.)? Yes/No

If so, please include with this application

Please further explain your financial need and why you need this assistance for your dog(s). Include the circumstances which led to your hardship and why you feel you deserve assistance. Attach additional pages if necessary.

By signing below, you attest that:

- All information provided on this application is truthful.
- You understand that completing this application does not guarantee care.
- You understand that if accepted, this is for heartworm testing and prevention only. No other health conditions can be addressed.
- You consent for your pet's image to be used for promotional purposes including but not limited to social media, web pages, and printed materials.

Signature _____ Date _____

Zutilla Has a heart is registered as a 501(c) (3) non-profit organization. Contributions to Zutilla Has a Heart are tax-deductible to the extent permitted by the law. Zutilla Has a Heart's Tax ID Number is 82-3699288