



What kind of animals can be enrolled in the program?

We focus on dogs, cats and pocket pets. Other animals will be considered on request but, unfortunately, we cannot consider exotic pets, such as parrots and reptiles, due to their special care requirements.

If you have bonded pets, we will do everything we can to ensure they are rehomed together.

How much does the program cost?

We do not ask for any payment for this service. All we ask is for you to consider leaving a gift in your Will. RSPCA NSW is a not-for-profit organisation, and a gift like yours can help ensure that no animal in the state has to go without a safe and loving home.

“Thank you so much. I can sleep at night now knowing that, if something happens to me, Millie will be looked after by the Home Ever After program.”

– Alisa, Charlestown

Next steps

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IF SOMETHING HAPPENS TO YOU, WHAT HAPPENS TO YOUR PET?



Pets are cherished family members. It's important to safeguard their future should something happen to you.

It's unbearable to think of your beloved pet being abandoned or ending up in a pound if they outlived you. However, without proper planning, you are unwittingly exposing your pets to an uncertain future.

Under Australian law, pets are deemed property. If there are no plans for your pet's care in the event of your passing*, they would be transferred to the beneficiaries of your estate. If this concerns you, enrolling your pet in the RSPCA Home Ever After program may be your answer.

Our trusted and tailor-made Home Ever After Program gives you reassurance that your pet will live happily with a suitable guardian, should they ever lose you. It's the ultimate peace of mind.

* Physical incapacity to care for your pet is also covered in this program

How does the Home Ever After program work?

An appointment is made to visit you and your pet at home. We learn everything there is to know about your pet, from likes and dislikes, to favourite toys, treats, sleeping habits and everything in between – all those unique details that only you would know. That way, if we ever need to rehome your pet, we do so by using the information provided by the person who knows your pet best – you!

This is how we look after your pet if something happens to you:

- 1 Your pet is taken into immediate care and will be seen by an RSPCA veterinarian
- 2 The information that you provided is used to find your pet a new home
- 3 Your pet is safely partnered with a new family and regularly visited by our Home Ever After Coordinators



“Thank you for providing such a valuable service. I can't tell you how much this means to me.”

– Susan, Bowral