Platte Pet Power Registration Form
New Volunteer Orientation Sessions held on 2nd
Tuesdays January, April and September
Platte Resource Center, 11724 NW Plaza Circle
See web page for directions:
www.extension.missouri.edu/platte
Please register at least 1 week in advance.

Name

Address

City    State/Zip

Day Phone

Evening Phone

Fax/E-Mail

Type of Animal

Name of Pet

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Improve Missourian’s lives by addressing
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Animal Temperament Testing is held on the
4th Tuesdays January, April and September.
Locations will vary among the cooperating
agencies and centers.

Fill out and return to:
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Program Coordination

Platte Pet Power is a program of the Platte County University of Missouri Extension Council. The Council coordinates volunteer recruitment, training & support, facilitate community involvement and resource development.

Mission Statement

“To enhance communications and relationships between generations and with those in facilities or in group settings.”

Pet Power Benefits

The unconditional acceptance by animals is excellent therapy for people with physical, emotional, social and mental challenges, as well as those in crisis situations.

Platte Pet Power Animals

- Have appropriate and affectionate personalities and appearance.
- Accept noises, new people, smells and settings and medical equipment.
- Be under full control of volunteer.
- Have completed immunizations and health papers submitted two weeks before certification/temperament testing (this is for both new and returning pets.)

How visits are arranged

Volunteers choose from a dozen or more sites in the Northland that include nursing homes, Board of Services facilities for Developmentally Delayed Adults, Teen and Domestic Violence Shelters and Assisted Living facilities.

A listing of sites that have signed agreements/waivers with Platte County University Extension are provided to Pet Power Volunteers. Volunteers can also recruit sites of their choice.

Positive impact of visits

Cooper has a natural ability to make people happy. We were asked to visit several rooms. He seemed to help and make people very happy. Cathee & Cooper, Pet Power Volunteers

The residents and staff were very happy to see us. Dulce was very welcome and happy to be a guest in the home. Walt & Dulce, Pet Power Volunteers

I get so many thanks from the patients for doing what I do. Relatives also thank me for visiting their loved ones. Angel really likes the petting & attention she gets. Hank & Angel, Pet Power Volunteers

“Awesome!” Synergy Safehaven

The family members of the patients are so glad that I come to see their relatives!

JoAnn & Molly, Pet Power Volunteers

“I found I loved the visits and my dogs loved the visits. I found gratification I can’t begin to explain. Of course, some worked out better than others, but in the 10 years I’ve done this, boy could I tell you stories.”

JoAnn Whitlock & Molly and Abby, Pet Power Volunteers

Health and Immunization Requirements

Dates of immunizations given by a veterinarian. Platte Pet Power Animal Health Record form is required.

Dogs: Kennel cough, DHPPC, Rabies, Negative fecal, year-round flea control
Cats: FVRCP, FELV, Rabies, FIV, Negative fecal, year-round flea control
Other animals: Check with Platte County University of Missouri Extension

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