

TNR resources in Horry County

Most vets will spay/neuter kittens as young as 8 weeks old in order to end the homeless cycle. Cats can get pregnant at 4 months of age. For homeless cats that will be returned to the outdoors, **cats MUST be brought to the clinic IN A TRAP. Staff cannot sedate a cat in a carrier and you will be turned away.** Best case scenario of bringing a homeless cat in a carrier is that if they can sedate the cat for surgery, you will be charged the house cat surgery rate not the feral cat rate. **All feral cats will have their ears tipped to indicate they have been fixed.** All clinics require appointments. Links to these vets is at end of document. Low cost spay neuter services available include:

Fix a Friend on Hwy 17 in Winnabow, NC does low cost spay/neuter with lots of appointments available now. You can also schedule rabies and other annual shots with them. Their web site clearly states it may take as long as 7 days to approve the appointment because they do hundreds of surgeries a week, please be patient with them.

Carolina Spay, Neuter and TNR only works on the cat overpopulation crisis and for a tiny fee above the vet services fee will transport your kitty from Myrtle Beach to Fix a Friend clinic for surgery. Because they do this service regularly, they might have an appointment for TNR before Fixafriend is able to schedule you. So if “urgent” this service might be best for you.

Grand Strand Humane Society-offers reduced cost spay/neuter services and you can also schedule rabies and other annual shots. They are more expensive than Fixafriend in NC.

Humane Society of NMB currently only does shelter animals routinely. They have a wait list. Due to staff limitations they really cannot do non shelter animals other than by wait list so it could be weeks or months to get a TNR appointment. Cost is \$50 per trap.

LoVe Pet in Loris is only open on Wednesday so their appointments book fast and 2-3 months into the future. You must register your pets at the clinic in person. This can be done any Wed. 9am-6pm. For more information call 843-390-2648

Saint Frances Animal Center, as funding and scheduling allows, provides TNR at the lowest possible cost to the public. Located in Georgetown. Please call the clinic at 843- 546-0780 for updated information on TNR opportunities and scheduling.

Horry County Animal Care Center does house cats for a low fee and trapped homeless cats for free. You MUST be an Horry County resident. Because of the homeless cat crisis, appointments are generally booked up 4 months in advance. They do TNR spay/neuters, no charge. Male house cats-\$60 but must have their shots first. For more information, please call TNR 843-915-5171 or email us at clinic@horrycounty.org

South Paw Rescue (spay/neuter transport)- appointments are for DOGS & HOUSE CATS at this time (no TNR right now). They transport animals to Cape Fear Spay/Neuter Clinic in Castle Hayne, NC from Surfside, SC. Cat carriers only, no traps.



Low-Cost Spay & Neuter Program

South Paw Rescue
SOUTH CAROLINA

Dog Spay/Neuter
No Dogs under 4LBS
Or over 80LBS

4-15LBS	\$125
15-30LBS	\$135
30-40LBS	\$145
40-50LBS	\$165
50-70LBS	\$190
70-80LBS	\$220

Drop-off: 6AM
SURFSIDE BEACH

ADDITIONAL SERVICES:

Rabies	\$15
Dewormer	\$25
Fecal Test	\$20
DHLPP	\$30
Bordetella	\$20
Heartworm Test	\$30
Microchip	\$25
E-collar	\$10
FILV/FIV Test	\$40
FiLv Vaccine	\$25

Cat Spay/Neuter
Indoor/Outdoor Only
MUST BE IN CARRIER
\$85
HOUSE CATS ONLY AT THIS TIME.

Who we use:

Drop-off: 6AM
SURFSIDE BEACH

<https://pci.jotform.com/form/253514652243049>

Links to resources:

<https://fixafriendclinic.org/>

<https://www.facebook.com/CarolinaSpayNeuterTNR>

<https://www.grandstrandhumanesociety.com/temporary-veterinary-services-clinic/>

<https://humanesocietynmb.org/clinic/>

LoVe Pet Clinic - <https://www.facebook.com/spayandneuterclinic/>

Saint Frances Animal Center: Georgetown. <https://www.sfanimals.org/>

[Horry County Animal Care Center](#) facebook page

To book a TNR spay/neuter appointment, go to the Horry County website,

<https://www.horrycountysc.gov/departments/animal-care-center/>

then go to “forms and policies” (at top right) → public service requests → Spay/neuter appointment → fill in the information. Look for the box to check to indicate a trapped cat and the box to check for “feral cat”. In the comments, tell them you know they do TNR only on Wednesday and ask them to schedule you for the first TNR Wednesday available. You will get an email indicating your request is pending. Then during their work hours they will email you with a day/time appointment confirmation and some paperwork to fill out and email to them.

South Paw Rescue (spay/neuter transport) <https://www.southpawrescue.net/general-9> Cape Fear is “near” Wilmington, NC, about 1 ½ hours from NMB.