Update: 04/10/20

## \*Mandatory to wear face coverings while volunteering\*

To Our Dedicated Volunteers.

Starting Friday, April 10th, we will require all onsite volunteers to wear a mask, bandanna, or other type of covering over your noses and mouths when at the Best Friends LA Lifesaving Center in Mission Hills.

If you have one of the approved options at home, please be sure to bring that in. If you need a mask, then we will have some available onsite in the front office kiosk. Limited onsite supplies may apply as we try and secure additional masks.

Major kudos to the amazing volunteers that have been sewing masks!

Please let us know if you have any questions. Stay safe and be well!

Best.

Michelle

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## PROTECTING YOUR PETS IF YOU HAVE COVID-19

According to the American Veterinary Medical Association (AVMA), there is currently no evidence that companion animals, including pets, can spread COVID-19 or that they might be a source of infection in the United States. And according to the CDC, "At this time, there is no evidence that the virus that causes COVID-19 can spread to people from the skin or fur of pets." We encourage you to monitor the CDC's webpage on pets for the latest updates.

"Although there have been no reports of pets becoming sick with COVID-19 in the United States, it is still recommended that people sick with COVID-19 limit contact with animals until more information is known about the virus. This can help ensure both you and your animals stay healthy."

For more information click HERE to be directed to the Best Friends COVID 19 Resources page