



"Furry Friends" Assistance Program

Program Overview

The Meals on Wheels Texoma **Furry Friends** program provides assistance for companion animals that belong to our elderly and disabled neighbors in need. We believe that the unconditional love of a pet improves the lives of anyone lucky enough to have one.

Pets reduce stress, lower blood pressure, alleviate feelings of isolation and loneliness, and most importantly, they make us smile. Although we would love it if all of our clients had a pet, but also recognize that some seniors may need a little help to keep their **Furry Friends** healthy and happy. That is why Meals on Wheels of Texoma started the **Furry Friends** program. The **Furry Friends** program provides assistance pet-related expenses, such as pet



food, medication, flea and tick treatment, grooming, temporary boarding and veterinary care (excluding spay and neuter services). In



order to request assistance, the applicant must be a current recipient of Meals on Wheels of Texoma services, and the animal must belong to and live with the meal recipient. For more information about the program or to request assistance, please contact one of our caseworkers at (903)786-3351.















