

# Help Us Make a Difference: Part-Time Shelter Veterinarian

The **Bitter Root Humane Association (BRHA)** in beautiful Hamilton, Montana, is seeking a compassionate, skilled, and community-minded **Part-Time Veterinarian** to join our team. If you are passionate about shelter medicine, high-quality care, and supporting the human-animal bond, we want to hear from you.

As we expand our community medical care capacity and enhance our mission-driven programs —including our burgeoning **Community Cat Program** initiatives and animal rescue operations —this role offers the chance to make a tangible impact in the Bitterroot Valley.

## The Role

This position focuses on providing essential medical care to our shelter population and supporting our community outreach efforts. You will work closely with a dedicated staff committed to progressive shelter management and animal enrichment.

### Key Responsibilities:

- **High-Volume Spay/Neuter:** Perform high-quality, high-volume spay/neuter surgeries for shelter animals and community TNR programs.
- **Medical Assessments:** Conduct intake exams, diagnose and treat illness/injury, and manage "herd health" protocols to maintain a healthy shelter environment.
- **Community Clinics:** Support our low-cost community wellness and vaccination clinics.
- **Forensic & Specialized Care:** Provide medical evaluations for animals entering through specialized rescue operations or cruelty investigations.
- **Collaboration:** Work with the shelter leadership to refine medical protocols and support enrichment programs like *Dogs Playing for Life*.

### What We're Looking For

- **Education:** DVM or VMD from an accredited veterinary school.
- **Licensure:** Current Montana Veterinary License (or ability to obtain one) and DEA registration.
- **Experience:** Experience in shelter medicine or high-volume surgery is preferred, but we welcome passionate practitioners dedicated to animal welfare.

- **Skills:** Strong surgical skills, ability to work efficiently in a fast-paced environment, and a collaborative spirit.

## Why BRHA?

- **Mission-Driven Work:** Join a well-established but growing organization looking for new and innovative ways to build a community where pets and people thrive.
- **Quality of Life:** Located in Hamilton, MT, you'll be surrounded by world-class outdoor recreation and a supportive, animal-loving community.
- **Impact:** Play a pivotal role in our 2026 strategic expansion of medical services and foster support.

## How to Apply

Please submit your resume and a brief cover letter outlining your interest in shelter medicine to **brhaboardofdirectors@gmail.com**.

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