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**Essentials PetCare Proudly Celebrates Thanksgiving with Cindy's Pets to Help Bring Needed Pet Food to Seniors in Pasco County.**

*Essentials PetCare sets a goal to collect 100 pounds of pet food for Cindy's Pets in November.*

LARGO, FL – Thanksgiving is a time to give thanks for our blessings. It is also a time to give back to others that need help. This year, Essentials PetCare is teaming up with Cindy's Pets, a nonprofit organization that brings pet food and supplies to senior pet parents who participate in Meals on Wheels in Pasco County. Currently, the group delivers 2,000 pounds of pet food to over 400 pets each month.

"Cindy's Pets is happy to have Essentials PetCare join us on our mission," says Melissa Nurrenbrock, President of Cindy's Pets, "Together we can help the seniors in our community by making sure their adored companions are well fed." Essentials PetCare, the walk-in veterinary clinic located in the front of the Port Richey Walmart, will collect dog and cat food donations in November with a goal of donating 100 pounds. The community is encouraged to stop by with food donations between November 13th and 27th . Participants will receive a collapsible pet bowl giveaway as a thank-you for donating to the food drive.

"Before Cindy's Pets, Meals on Wheels participants would often share their own food with their pets due to financial reasons," says Christine Battista, COO and co-founder of Essentials PetCare, "We are proud to join in Cindy's Pets' mission to make sure seniors in Pasco County are able to give their pets the food they need."

Essentials PetCare opened its doors in September 2016 and was the first retail veterinary clinic to be located within a Walmart store. Pet parents can bring their dogs and cats to the clinic for affordable vaccinations and routine veterinary care seven days a week, no appointments necessary.

To learn more about Essentials PetCare, visit [EssentialsPetCare.com](http://EssentialsPetCare.com).

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### **About Essentials PetCare**

Established in 2015, Essentials PetCare, LLC provides affordable and accessible veterinary care for dogs and cats. The company's mission is to expand veterinary care to a greater number of U.S. pet-loving families who would otherwise not seek basic and preventative care because of cost. Essentials PetCare believes that no animal should ever suffer or put their family at risk of contracting diseases due to affordability. For more information, visit [EssentialsPetCare.com](http://EssentialsPetCare.com) and follow us @EssentialsPetCare on Facebook and @EssentialsPet on Twitter.

### **About Cindy's Pets**

Cindy's Pets is an all-volunteer 501c3 that was founded in 2010 in memory of Cindy Allgood. Cindy's Pets delivers pet food for the pets of seniors who participate in Pasco County's Meals on Wheels program, thereby assuring that both the seniors and their companions have plenty to eat. Cindy's Pets volunteers purchase, pack, and deliver pet food to the homes of needy seniors. Currently, the group delivers 2,000 pounds of cat, dog and bird food to over 400 pets each month. For more information, including volunteer opportunities with Cindy's Pets, please visit <https://www.cindypets.org>.

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