Job Title: Relief Spay/Neuter Veterinarian Compensation Type: Per Diem Job Type: Relief Location: Chatsworth, CA Reports to: Medical Director

Introduction:

Are you a professional that believes the quality of life for cats and dogs can be improved through access to high-quality high-volume spay/neuter services?

Are you dedicated to providing high-quality high-volume spay/neuter services to reduce killing and increase live outcomes for dogs and cats in shelters?

Are you a positive, enthusiastic, and productive individual who is excited to join a dedicated team of life-savings professionals who work hard and have fun while making the world a better place for animals and people?

We are Heaven on Earth Society for Animals, a team of hard-working dedicated professionals who are committed to saving lives by providing high-volume high-quality spay/neuter services, rescuing and rehoming cats and kittens, and providing a sanctuary home to elderly and special needs cats.

Now has never been a more exciting time to be part of the life-saving movement for animals in Los Angeles!

Join our team. Play a part. Be the change.

Organization Background:

Founded in 2000, Heaven on Earth began with humble beginnings. To this day, the mission of Heaven on Earth remains consistent: to transform the lives of homeless cats through rescue, sanctuary, and new beginnings.

We fulfill our mission through our many life-saving programs; by rescuing cats and kittens from Los Angeles City and County shelters; by providing expert medical care, socialization, and enrichment to each cat that enters our care; by placing cats and kittens into loving homes through our flourishing adoption and foster programs; by providing low-cost surgeries and other vital medical services to companion cats and dogs at our Heaven on Earth Animal Clinic, located within the West Valley shelter; by providing free transportation and trapping assistance for community and companion cats in the San Fernando Valley through our SpayShip Program.

Position Summary:

Seeking a relief veterinarian to perform high volume, high-quality spay/neuter surgeries and assuring the daily care of all surgical patients. This veterinarian would also oversee vaccination appointments to ensure the animal is healthy enough to receive preventative care.

Staffing:

We have a team consisting of two registered veterinary technicians and a number of veterinary assistants/receptionists. You would be joining two other veterinarians who enjoy collaboration when discussing medical and surgical cases.

Essential Job Functions:

- 1. Perform high volume, high-quality spay/neuter surgeries, including the possibility of in-heat, pregnant, cryptorchid, and pediatric animals
- 2. Perform all care related to the surgery including: preoperative, perioperative, and postoperative care
- 3. Oversee vaccinations appointments as needed
- 4. Oversee any postoperative rechecks, as needed, and provide appropriate medical care
- 5. Make reasonable and sensible medical decisions and be a critical thinker
- 6. The ideal person will be a team player, personable, patient, flexible, proactive, enthusiastic, and able to interact well with a variety of people
- 7. Ability to work independently and use judgment within established guidelines
- 8. Excellent verbal and written communication skills
- 9. Other duties as assigned

Education and Skill Requirements:

- 1. License in good standing to practice veterinary medicine in the state of California
- 2. Must maintain current and correct licensure to practice veterinary medicine
- 3. Eligible to work in the United States and have a clean background check
- 4. Valid identification
- 5. Ability to work by standing or sitting for 8 hours
- 6. Ability to lift up to 50lbs

Hours/Pay:

- 1. Per Diem pay rate of \$625-\$750 (pending experience and number of surgeries/day)
- 2. Hours would be primarily 8:00 am 3 pm
- 3. Days needed can be flexible

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