

**Dear FVE member Austria,
Dear FECAVA member Austria,**

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Today, the Federation of Veterinarians of Europe (FVE) and the European Federation of Companion Animal Veterinary Associations (FECAVA) through the generous support of Humane Society International (HSI) and partners, are proud to launch the Vets for Ukraine Pets program. This program will allow veterinarians from 38 countries, including your country, to get reimbursed for veterinary treatment they give to animals of refugees from Ukraine. This way the veterinary profession can give free treatment to these patients.

How does it work?

If a veterinarian treats an animal of a refugee, they can fill in an application form to reimburse their costs.

The Vets for Ukrainian Pets will cover the treatment costs of up to five dogs, cats, horses or other pet animals, up to 250 Euros per animal, e.g. acute care, chronic conditions and medication. More information on how it works is available [here](#) and the terms and conditions are available [here](#).

To get reimbursed they need to fill in the application form.

The application form can be found [here](#).

The password to fill in this application form for licensed veterinarians from your country is **XY772X**.

Please distribute this password to the licensed veterinarians in your country in a safe way (do not make it publicly available!).

The reimbursement will be made by HSI in 4-8 weeks.

Unique program

Extra-ordinary times require extraordinary programs.

FECAVA, FVE, HSI and partners have never done anything like this before.

This program can allow giving free veterinary treatment to pets of refugees. We hope that together we can make it a huge success.

If anything is unclear, do not hesitate to ask us.

The FECAVA/FVE team

