

CodaPet expands compassionate in-home pet euthanasia services in Denver, CO

The veterinarian-owned startup empowers a network of veterinarians who provide in-home euthanasia to ease the passing of pets at home, surrounded by loved ones.

DENVER, CO, UNITED STATES, September 18, 2024 / EINPresswire.com/ -- CodaPet has announced the addition of a licensed



veterinarian to its network in Denver, CO. The company provides <u>peaceful in-home pet</u> <u>euthanasia</u> through a network of compassionate and licensed veterinarians who offer end-of-life care for pets at home. In-home pet euthanasia is the best experience for dogs and cats and their

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families because their home is where they feel most familiar and comfortable. <u>Dr. Lori Schmalz</u> joins Dr. Sara Gardhouse and Dr. Katie Simpson to service Denver and surrounding cities.

"As an in-home euthanasia veterinarian, I repeatedly hear the heartfelt gratitude and the relief a family feels when they have been able to grant their pet this gift," says Dr. Karen Whala, a co-founder of CodaPet. "It is my wish that every family in Denver become aware of at-home pet euthanasia so they may provide a peaceful and

compassionate end-of-life experience for their beloved pets when their time comes."

Dr. Bethany Hsia, Dr. Karen Whala, and Dr. Gary Hsia are co-founders and veterinarians of CodaPet. They share a passion for increasing both customer access and awareness by empowering a network of veterinarians who provide compassion and professional care to more pets and their families in a familiar environment.

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of the business details.," says Dr. Lori Schmalz. Dr. Schmalz spent most of her childhood in Colorado, where her family's love for animals, especially horses and dogs, shaped her passion for veterinary care. After earning her biology degree from Bowling Green State University and her DVM from Ohio State University, Dr. Schmalz initially focused on farm animal medicine in rural Ohio. In 2007, she transitioned to small animal medicine, and her first at-home euthanasia experience was a turning point in her career. Since then, Dr. Schmalz has been dedicated to providing peaceful, compassionate inhome euthanasia, returning to Colorado in 2011 to make this the cornerstone of her practice. She shares her love for animals and deep respect for the human-animal bond in every aspect of her work.

Dr. Schmalz services Denver, Aurora, Littleton, Arvada, Englewood, Broomfield, Parker, Castle Rock, Golden, Westminster, Thornton, Morrison, Wheat Ridge, and Larkspur.



In Home Pet Euthanasia Mobile Veterinarian

How In-home Pet Euthanasia Works

Through CodaPet's website, pet parents can easily book in-home pet euthanasia performed by a licensed vet.

Before the appointment, the vet contacts the family to address any questions or concerns they might have.

The vet assists the family by going over the diagnosis and applying a quality-of-life assessment to objectively assess the pet's health and ensure there is no uncertainty about the need for euthanasia.

For those who need support with aftercare, CodaPet can also assist with transportation and cremation services.

The visit takes, on average, one hour. Pet parents have a window of time to be with their pets privately before and after the euthanasia procedure, which lasts about 15 minutes. The vet only starts the euthanasia process when everyone is ready. This helps bring closure to all family members involved in the end-of-life care of a pet.

Benefits of In-home Pet Euthanasia include:

1. Compassion: In-home pet euthanasia allows for a more compassionate approach to end-of-life care. Pets can be surrounded by their loved ones, receive individual attention and care, and

pass away peacefully in a familiar environment.

- 2. Comfort: One major benefit of in-home pet euthanasia is the comfort it provides to both the pet and their owners. The familiar surroundings of home can help reduce anxiety and stress for pets, making the process more peaceful. In addition, being surrounded by loved ones can provide a sense of support and comfort during a very difficult time.
- 3. Control: In-home pet euthanasia also allows pet owners to have more control over the experience. They can choose the time and place of the euthanasia, as well as who will be present. In addition, in-home euthanasia allows owners to personalize the experience, including choosing the location, music, lighting, and other factors that can make the experience more meaningful.
- 4. Closure: Being able to say goodbye in a meaningful way can be an essential part of the grieving process. In-home pet euthanasia allows for a more intimate farewell, which can provide closure and help with the healing process.

In-home Pet Euthanasia Costs

The starting price of in-home euthanasia starts at \$300 in Denver. The aftercare and cremation price begins at \$100 and varies depending on factors such as the driving distance, the pet's size, and the option for private or communal cremation.

About CodaPet

CodaPet is expanding quickly and currently supports a network of veterinarians that offer peaceful at-home pet euthanasia services in over 70 cities. Our network of compassionate and licensed veterinarians are available to help your beloved pet pass peacefully surrounded by family and all the safety and comforts of home. For more information or to schedule an appointment visit www.codapet.com or call 1-833-CodaPet. CodaPet is expanding rapidly; if you are a veterinarian interested in learning more or offering this service in your area, please visit https://www.codapet.com/vets.

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