

CodaPet expands compassionate in-home pet euthanasia services in Buffalo, NY

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.

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CodaPet has added a new licensed veterinarian to expand its services for in-home pet euthanasia in Buffalo. Through its network of compassionate veterinarians, the company provides peaceful, in-home euthanasia that allows pets to pass at home, where they feel most at ease, surrounded by the people they love. [Dr.](#)

[Marissa Weaver](#) plans to serve pets and pet parents in Buffalo and the surrounding areas.

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“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. It is my wish that every family in Buffalo becomes 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,” says Dr. Karen Whala, a co-founder of CodaPet.

Dr. Karen Whala, Dr. Gary Hsia, and Dr. Bethany 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.

Dr. Weaver is a Western New York native who grew up in Elma and has come home to serve the community she knows best. She earned her Doctor of Veterinary Medicine from Cornell University and returned to the region she loves, now living in Pembroke with her fiancé, two dogs, and two bunnies. Her path to veterinary medicine began with family pets and the early realization that with the right knowledge, she could give animals something real: comfort, relief,



and care when they needed it most.

Dr. Weaver approaches her role in the Buffalo veterinary community with both humility and purpose. She knows the region has strong existing veterinary care, and she is clear-eyed about where the gaps are. "Buffalo has many amazing veterinary care options," she says, "but sometimes our 24-hour care facilities are overwhelmed on evenings and weekends, and most general practices have limited ability to provide home visits due to the time it requires. The in-home euthanasia service I offer will give clients more options for end-of-life care without putting more strain on my colleagues in other practices." That kind of community-minded thinking is rare, and it speaks to exactly the kind of veterinarian Buffalo families are gaining.



In Home Pet Euthanasia Mobile Veterinarian

Her belief in in-home euthanasia comes from direct observation of what it offers pets and their families. She has seen firsthand how much more peaceful the experience can be when a pet is allowed to remain in its own environment, surrounded by the people and the familiar sights and smells of home. "I want to offer my patients another option for lower-stress euthanasia," she says, "especially those that struggle getting into the veterinary office." For senior pets, anxious animals, and families seeking a more private farewell, Dr. Weaver is now that option in Western New York.

Dr. Marissa Weaver serves Buffalo, Amherst, Cheektowaga, Clarence, Batavia, Lockport, Grand Island, Rochester, Henrietta, and surrounding communities across Western New York, including much of Erie, Genesee, and Orleans counties and portions of Niagara, Monroe, Wyoming, and Livingston counties.

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 is \$375 in Buffalo. The aftercare and cremation price begins at \$110 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 100 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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