

**Youth Alternatives
Linkage Project
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South Portland, Maine 04106
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Foster Home Programs for Pets of DV Victims

**1.866.83.4Help
1-866-834-4357**

***Please note that these services are available for pets of DV victims when the victim is going into DV housing**

***All requests should go through the hotline – as access to these pet homes is always arranged through the DV agency – contact names are included for problem-solving when needed**

Cumberland County and Sagadahoc County

Family Crisis Services (partnering with Animal Refuge League of Greater Portland).

1-800-537-6066 or 207-874-1973

Contact: Silver Woodward

Lincoln County, Waldo County, Knox County

New Hope for Women

1-800-522-3304 or 207-594-2128

Contact: Tina Tucker

Kennebec County and Somerset County

Family Violence Project (partnering with an area veterinarian)

1-877-890-7788 or 207-623-3569

Contact: Robin Miller

<http://www.linkageproject.org/>

Penobscot County

Spruce Run (partnering with Bangor Area Humane Society)

1-800-863-9909 or 207-947-0496

Contact: Shelley Megquier

Washington County and Hancock County

Next Step Domestic Violence Project

Hancock 1-800-315-5579 or 207-667-4606

Washington 1-888-604-8692 or 207-255-4785

Contact: Julie Mitchell in WC; Edie Moore in HC

York County (not a Linkage Project county but has a well-established formal program)

Caring Unlimited (partnering with Animal Welfare Society)

1-800-239-7298 or 207-324-1802