

MEDIA EVENT ADVISORY - SUNDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2023

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HUMANS AND THEIR COMPANION ANIMALS SAVE LIVES DURING NATIONAL PET WELLNESS MONTH

WHAT: In honor of National Pet Wellness Month, San Diego Blood Bank and Veterinary Specialty Hospital are hosting a blood drive and pet blood donor screening. The public is encouraged to donate blood and screen their dog or cat to see if they're eligible for blood donation.

WHEN: Sunday, October 15, 2023, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

WHERE: Veterinary Specialty Hospital, 10435 Sorrento Valley Road, San Diego, CA 92121

NOTES: Just like human patients, local dogs and cats sometimes need blood transfusions to survive.

Event includes a dog photo booth, free pizza for donors and raffle prizes. Appointments will be honored first, walk-ins welcome. Visit sandiegobloodbank.org/ethos or call 619-400-8251.

Veterinary Special Hospital Veterinary Criticalist Saya Press and representatives from San Diego Blood Bank are available for interview.

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