

Surrendering Cats or Dogs:

If you are looking to surrender a cat/kittens or a dog/puppies to Cattitude Inc please contact us at 732-491-5696 or send an email to njcattitude@gmail.com

Cattitude Inc does not have a shelter or a facility of any kind. We are an All-Volunteer Foster-based rescue organization. That means that all of the cats/kittens, dogs/puppies that we rescue are in foster care in the home of a volunteer. When our foster homes are full we cannot take in other animals.

Be aware that Cattitude Inc usually does not take cats from homes. For more information about our efforts to assist homeless and abandoned cats & kittens who are in danger, please see our Mission Statement on the Home Page of this website.

Also, be aware that we receive many calls and many emails every day asking for our help with cats and dogs. As much as we hate to say NO we are a small All-Volunteer, foster based, rescue organization and we are not able to help even 50% of the people who contact us.

I FOUND A KITTEN:

If you have found a young kitten, a new-born kitten, a litter of kittens, a pregnant cat, a nursing cat with kittens, a homeless or abandoned cat, an injured cat or kitten, please be aware of the following:

- Do Not Feed cats or kittens milk! If you need to feed kittens make sure you use KMR or Just Born formula only.
- If you have found an injured cat/kitten please **TAKE IT TO A VET OR VET HOSPITAL IMMEDIATELY.** Cattitude Inc does not provide Vet services of any kind. If you do not have a vet, Cattitude Inc can advise you of the vet service closest to your location. We may not be able to respond immediately to any emergency.
- If you have found a young kitten, a litter of kittens, a pregnant cat, a nursing cat with kittens, a homeless or abandoned cat Cattitude Inc volunteers will assist you when we are able to do so.
- If you have found a tiny baby kitten please be aware that the mother cat is probably close by even if you have not seen her. Tiny kittens need to be with their mothers whenever possible.

The best strategy to reunite a kitten with its mom is to put a piece of towel under the kitten and make sure it is not in full sunlight or freezing cold or damp, then watch for an hour or more from a considerable distance to see if the mom cat returns for the baby. Only after you have given the mother cat a lot of time to retrieve her baby should you remove the kitten.

Tiny "bottle babies" require a lot of attention and assistance from an experienced individual. They die very easily and very suddenly. Cattitude Inc volunteers will provide assistance or advice when possible.

- There is much good advice on-line about how to care for a baby kitten. Basically you will need a baby bottle and KMR formula for feeding. You will need a heating pad because a kitten cannot maintain it's own body heat. You will need to stimulate the genitals every time you feed the kitten because they are not able to urinate or defecate on their own. And you will need a lot of luck!