

Supporting Pet-Assisted Therapy and Activities in Schools Since 2007

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Thank you for your interest in assisting PetPals! Please complete the application form and send to info@petpalsnc.org. We will contact you after the Board has reviewed your submission.

Mission, Values, Impact, and Vision

Mission Statement:

Founded in 2007, PetPalsNC (PPNC) promotes and supports-animal-assisted therapy and activities for K-12 students to enhance academic, social, emotional, and behavioral growth.

Values:

PPNC was established as a school social work program and the following core values continue to be central to the organization, both in business decisions and in service delivery: Service, Dignity and Worth of both People and Animals, Importance of Relationships, Integrity, and Competence.

Impact:

Since its inception, PPNC has provided thousands of students with the mental, physical, educational, social, and motivational support they need to sustain and enhance their daily lives. We currently offer programs in approximately 40 schools in Orange County, Durham, and Chapel Hill/Carrboro school systems. PPNC is powered by more than 50 talented and dedicated certified pet therapy teams.

Vision:

Many more schools and school systems are interested in working with PPNC to make a difference in the lives of even more children. In this complex and often intimidating time in our country, we will strive to be there to support as many children as possible: we are only constrained by our resources. Please consider joining us on this journey!

Summary of Strategic Directions 2022 – 2023

- 1. Continue to deliver and expand purpose-directed, high quality programs to support public school systems and children in K-12 through the use of animal-assisted therapy.
- 2. Ensure that PetPalsNC (PPNC) is a sustainable organization well into the future by growing human, financial, and technological resources to support program goals.
- 3. Enhance communication resources to promote PPNC's unique capabilities to communities and school systems, and to seek feedback to help inform future program development.
- 4. Ensure that PPNC's Board of Directors, staff/volunteers, and pet therapy teams have the tools they need to deliver the highest quality programs to client schools.



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Committee Application Form

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