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### **American Red Cross organizes Pet First Aid Class on August 10 in Hyannis**

Hyannis, MA July 25, 2008- American Red Cross, Cape Cod and Islands Chapter will organize a Pet First Aid class on Sunday August 10th, 2008 from 1:00 pm - 4:30 pm. The course will be held at the Cape Cod and Islands Chapter location at 286 South Street, Hyannis MA 20601.

Many people all over the Cape and Islands own pets, but do they know how to take care of a pet emergency? The American Red Cross wants to create awareness of pet emergencies and prepare owners of dogs and cats for any emergency. The course provides valuable information on how to keep your pet safe and how to act with confidence during an emergency. After the course you will feel prepared and confident to go to your pet's rescue in case of any emergency.

The cost of the class will be \$45 and it will include the instruction as well as a dog or cat First Aid textbook, written by the American Red Cross and the Humane Society of the United States. Our pets love and care for us. It is important that we learn how to care for them and keep them safe and healthy.

To register for the class call the Cape Cod & Islands Chapter at (508) 775-1540 or go online to our website, [www.capecodandislandsredcross.org](http://www.capecodandislandsredcross.org). You can also write to 286 South Street, Hyannis, MA 02601.

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