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DID YOU KNOW THAT ANIMAL ABUSE AND DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ARE INTERCONNECTED?

Signs of an Abusive Relationship

1 THREATENED

You, your pet, other animals or your child(ren)? To get rid of or hurt your pet to intimidate or scare you?

2 NEGLECTED

Your pet by refusing to feed or provide vet care for her or him?

3 HARMED, TOLD OTHERS TO HARM OR MADE YOU HARM

Your pet by smacking, kicking, beating, torturing or killing him or her?

You are not alone. If you feel that you may be experiencing abuse or are afraid to leave an abusive situation, scan the QR code or call the National Domestic Violence Hotline at 1.800.799.7233. If you are unable to leave an abusive relationship because of concern for your pets, visit SafePlaceforPets.org for a list of domestic violence shelters with pet safekeeping programs.



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