



Michelle Dally, DVM, JD

Dr Michelle Dally, JD, DVM earned her law degree at Georgetown Law and her Doctor of Veterinary Medicine at Colorado State University. In between the two, she spent 15 years writing for major newspapers and magazines on politics and poverty and in 2000 shared in a Pulitzer Prize for coverage of the Columbine Massacre.

As a DVM, Dr. Dally sits on the governing board of the national nonprofit, The Street Dog Coalition, as well as serving as "Team Leader" for the Brevard County Chapter of SDC.

During Florida's peak COVID months in 2020, Dr. Dally joined homeless outreach workers on weekly missions into woods and vacant lots in Central Florida to meet with the homeless (who were ordered to shelter in place) and vaccinate and care for their animals.

As the country emerged from lockdown, Dr. Dally held vaccination clinics for veterans and the general homeless population in both Melbourne and Cocoa, Florida, treated heartworm cases, arranged SDC subsidized spays and neuters, dentals and major surgeries including sarcoma resection and a peritoneal hernia.

When not volunteering, Dr. Dally works as a veterinarian for Lap of Love in Melbourne, Florida, as well as serving as a Florida State Representative for HSVMA.