Alwaleed Alabdali

CAT ENGINEER / FELINE CARE, BEHAVIOUR & WELFARE

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Hands-on feline care and behaviour practitioner with [3]+ years supporting rescue, shelter and community cats. Designs low-stress handling routines, structured enrichment and clean health records that reduce illness, aggression and returns after rehoming. Experienced in TNR fieldwork, neonatal and geriatric care, medication administration and daily coordination with veterinarians and volunteers.

CORE SKILLS

FELINE HUSBANDRY & WELFARE	Nutrition and feeding plans, hygiene protocols, intake and quarantine, enrichment design, stress and pain signal recognition, geriatric and neonatal care
BEHAVIOUR & HANDLING	Low-stress restraint and towel wrapping, positive-reinforcement and clicker training, carrier and vet-visit desensitisation, multi-cat integration, scratching redirection
HEALTH SUPPORT	Temperature, pulse and respiration monitoring, oral and topical medication, subcutaneous fluids assistance, parasite control, wound care, post-operative and isolation protocols
PROGRAMMES & OPERATIONS	TNR coordination, rehoming assessment and matching, shelter record-keeping, supply forecasting, volunteer rostering, SOP documentation
TOOLS	Excel and Google Sheets trackers, [shelter management software], intake and outcome reporting, photo documentation for rehoming profiles

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Feline Care & Behaviour Lead

VOLUNTEER

[Shelter / Cat Cafe Name] · [City, Oman] · [Mon YYYY] – Present

- Managed daily care for [30]+ resident cats — feeding, litter, enrichment and medication rounds — with zero missed treatments over [12] months.
- Cut stress-related illness and inter-cat fighting by [~40%] by redesigning intake-to-population flow and adding vertical space, hiding spots and scheduled play.
- Built the behaviour assessment and adoption-matching checklist now used at every rehoming, lowering returns from [X] to [Y] within [6] months.
- Trained [20]+ volunteers in low-stress handling, PPE and cleaning protocols, holding care consistent across [15] weekly shifts.

Feline Care Assistant

[Veterinary Clinic Name] · [City, Oman] · [Mon YYYY] – [Mon YYYY]

- Supported veterinarians through examinations and minor procedures for [40]+ feline patients weekly, restraining safely with minimal stress.
- Administered oral, topical and injectable medication and kept treatment charts current for [25] in-patient cats.
- Prepared surgical packs and recovery pens, maintained isolation compliance, and briefed owners on aftercare and feeding plans.

Community Cat Caretaker / TNR Volunteer

[Community Group / NGO Name] · [City, Oman] · [Mon YYYY] – [Mon YYYY]

- Fed and monitored [3] managed colonies of about [45] cats, logging weight loss, injuries and new arrivals weekly.
- Trapped, transported and recovered [80]+ cats through TNR, cutting new litters in the area by an estimated [60%].

EDUCATION

BSc [Biology / Animal Science]

[University Name] · [City] · [YYYY] – [YYYY]

LANGUAGES

Arabic	Native
English	Professional working proficiency

CERTIFICATIONS

- Feline Behaviour & Welfare — [Issuer], [Year]
- Cat Friendly Handling & Low-Stress Restraint — [Issuer], [Year]
- Animal First Aid & CPR — [Issuer], [Year]
- TNR & Colony Management — [Issuer], [Year]