THE DO’S AND DON'TS OF KITTEN SEASON

Don’t Kit-nap Kittens
If you see a kitten or a litter of kittens by themselves with no mom in sight, the first thing you need to do is wait. Moms will almost always return for their kittens within a few hours. They may be moving kittens to a new den one-by-one or out hunting for food. It is okay for kittens to be alone as long as they are in a safe place and hidden away. Make sure that they are dry, not too cold or warm, and wait at least 24 hours for mom to return.

Pro Tip: If the kittens are clean and silent, then leave them be as long as possible. If they are dirty or crying, it’s a good indicator that they need help after you’ve given time for mom to come back.

Do Become a Foster Parent
When people bring kittens to Pet Alliance, we first ask them if they are willing to foster the kitten in their home until they are 8 week old and 2 pounds. If they don’t feel comfortable, have the time, or if the kittens are too young or need special medical attention we reach out to our volunteer foster parents to help. If you would like to be a part of our fostering family, please fill out our foster parent application on our website.

Do Donate Supplies
We never want to turn away a kitten in need simply because we do not have the resources to help them. You can find Pet Alliance Wish Lists at Amazon and Chewy. We include many high priority items such as Kitten Milk Replacer, bottles/nipples, baby wipes, heating pads and kitten pate style wet food.

To learn more about volunteering, donating or adopting, visit our website at petallianceorlando.org