

Dr. Carissa Jones is the veterinarian at the Carson Animal Care Center. She has been a Veterinarian with the County of Los Angeles Department of Animal Care and Control since 2012, working in Lancaster, Downey and Carson-Gardena Animal Care Centers.

Dr. Jones holds a D.V.M. from St. George's University and a Bachelor's degree in Biology from University of California, Irvine. Dr. Jones has been educated in Disaster Preparedness, Leadership, Animal Law and Humane Investigation and is certified in the Fair Labor Standards Act. She is also USDA and DEA certified.

Dr. Jones is an active member of the Association of Shelter Veterinarians (ASV), California Veterinary Medical Association (CVMA), and Southern California Veterinary Medical Association (SCVMA).

Her passion is reducing pet overpopulation through spay and neuter advocacy.

She is a mother of two young children and has a 2 year old three legged Pit bull named Indiana.