

## The HSUS Photo Library Keyword List

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### **Animals**

Alligator	Elk	Polar Bear
Amphibian	Ferret	Porcupine
Antelope	Fish (Ocean/Freshwater)	Prairie Dog
Armadillo	Fox	Rabbit
Bat	Frog	Raccoon
Bear (Black/Brown)	Geese	Raccoon Dog
Beaver	Gerbil	Rat
Bird	Goat	Reptile
Bison	Groundhog	Sea Lion
Bobcat	Guinea Pig	Sea Turtle
Burro	Hamster	Seal
Cat	Harbor Porpoise	Shark
Chicken	Horse	Sheep
Chimney Swift	Iguana	Skunk
Chimpanzee	Kangaroo	Snake
Chipmunk	Karakul	Songbird
Cormorant	Lion	Squirrel
Cougar	Lynx	Starling
Cow	Manatee	Swan
Coyote	Mice/Mouse	Tiger
Crocodile	Mink	Toad
Crow	Mole	Tortoise
Crustacean	Monkey	Turkey
Deer	Mountain Lion	Turtle
Dog	Muskrat	Vole
Dolphin	Opossum	Whale
Donkey	Otter (River/Sea)	Wolf
Dove	Owl	Woodchuck
Duck	Pig	Woodpecker
Elephant	Pigeon	

### **People**

Adopter  
Animal Control Officer  
Animal Handler  
Animal Trainer  
Humane Law Enforcement Officer  
Shelter Worker  
Shelter Volunteer  
Veterinarian  
Veterinary Technician

## Issues

Adoption  
Animal Abuse  
Animal Cruelty  
Animal Experimentation  
Animal Fighting  
Animal Hoarding  
Animal Neglect  
Animal Rescue  
Animal Sheltering  
Animal Testing  
Animal Training  
Animals & Religion  
Animals & Research  
Animals in Disasters  
Animals in Education  
Animals in Emergencies  
Animals in Entertainment  
Avian Influenza  
Bear Hunting  
Bear Trophy Hunting  
Biomedical Research  
Bullfighting  
Caged Farm Animals  
Canned Hunts  
Captive Shoots  
Captive Wildlife  
Carriage Horses  
Chaining  
Chimps Used in Research  
Chimpanzees Used in Research  
Circuses  
Class B Dealers  
Cloning  
Coats for Cubs  
Cockfighting  
Commercial Seal Hunt  
Commercial Seal Slaughter  
Contest Kills  
Cosmetic and Product Testing  
Cruel Confinement of Farm Animals  
Cruel Slaughter Practices  
Disasters  
Dissection  
Dog Meat Trade  
Dogfighting  
Dogs and Cats in the Fur Trade  
Don't Buy Wild  
Dove Shooting  
Doves for Target Practice  
Drive Fisheries  
Environmental Impact  
Equine Protection  
Euthanasia  
Exotic Pets  
Factory Farming  
Farmed Animal Flu  
Feral Cats  
Field Coursing  
Fisheries and Shipping  
Force-Fed Animals  
Fur  
Fur Free  
Fur in Fashion  
Fur Production: Caged and Trapped Animals  
Greyhound Racing  
Habitat Loss and Fragmentation  
Habitat Protection  
Hog-Dog Fighting  
Homeless Horses  
Horse Racing  
Horse Slaughter  
Hound Hunting  
Human-Beaver Conflict  
Humane Eating  
Humane Handling, Transport and Slaughter  
Immunocontraception  
Internet Hunting  
Lethal Predator Control  
Lethal Wildlife Management  
Live Bird Markets  
Longline Fishing  
Marine Animals in Captivity  
Marine Mammal Stranding  
Marine Noise  
Marine Pollution  
Marine Stranding  
Marine Aqua Parks  
Maryland Mute Swan Management Policy  
Medical Training Using Animals  
Mercy Release  
Microchips  
Minimum Hunting Ages for Children  
Pain and Distress in Research Animals  
Pets  
Pet Abuse & Neglect  
Pet Cloning  
Pet Overpopulation  
Pet Protection  
Pets as Prizes  
Pets Used in Experiments  
Pheasant Stocking  
Poaching  
Premarin  
Protect Seals  
Protecting Threatened and Endangered Species  
Puppy Mills  
Rattlesnake Roundups  
Religious Statements on Animals

Reptiles as Pets  
Research and Testing  
Save Whales, Not Whaling  
Shark Finning  
Shark Roundups  
Shark Tournaments  
Spay/Neuter  
Species Used in Research  
Street Dog Welfare  
Tennessee Walking Horses  
Tethering  
Threatened and Endangered Species  
Threats to Wildlife  
Trade in Wildlife  
Trophy Hunting  
Turtle Excluder Device

U.S. Military Animal Policies in Iraq  
Whaling  
Wild Animals as Pets  
Wild Horses  
Wildlife Abuses  
Wildlife and Roads  
Wildlife Management  
Wildlife Diseases  
Wildlife Overpopulation  
Wildlife Penning  
Wildlife Trade  
Working Equines  
Yellowstone Bison Hazing and Slaughter  
Youth Hunting  
Zoos and Other Exhibitors

## **Campaigns/Programs/Departments**

Adopt  
All Creatures Great and Small  
Animal Care Centers  
Animal Cruelty and Fighting  
Animal Protection Litigation  
Animal Rescue  
Animals in Research  
Black Beauty Ranch  
Business Development  
Campaigning for Poultry  
Campaigns  
Cape Wildlife Center  
Celebrities  
Central Regional Office  
Chimps Deserve Better  
Companion Animals  
Conferences and Events  
Don't Buy Wild  
Duchess Sanctuary  
Eastern Regional Office  
Emergency Services  
End Animal Cruelty and Fighting  
End Dogfighting  
End Horse Slaughter  
Equine Protection  
Factory Farming  
Faith Outreach  
Field Services  
Farm Animal Welfare  
Fund for Animals Wildlife Care Center  
Fur-Free  
Government Affairs  
Handle with Care

Hollywood Office  
Horse Slaughter  
Humane Society International  
Humane Society Legislative Fund  
Humane Society Press  
Humane Society University  
Humane Society Veterinary Medical Association  
Humane Society Youth  
Humane Wildlife Solutions  
Investigations  
Online Communications  
Pet Abuse and Neglect  
Pets for Life  
Philanthropy  
Pit Bull Training Team  
Protect Farm Animals  
Protect Seals  
Publications  
Public Relations  
Puppy Mills  
Rabbit Sanctuary  
Seal Hunt  
Shelter Pet Project  
Spay Day  
SPCA Wildlife Care Center  
Street Animal Welfare  
Street Dog Welfare  
Victory  
Western Regional Office  
Wild Neighbors  
Wildlife  
Wildlife Abuses  
Wildlife Land Trust