



FOUND KITTENS?

If you've found kittens in your area, here's how you can help them!

START HERE:

Are the kittens in crisis?
(Cold, injured, sick or in a dangerous location?)

YES

Bring the kittens to the shelter responsible for the area where they were found.

Visit sspca.org/foundkitten for a list of appropriate shelters

NO

ESTIMATE THE AGE OF THE KITTENS



0-2 WEEKS OLD

Eyes closed, or barely open
Umbilical cord may still be attached



2-4 WEEKS OLD

Eyes open and alert
Becoming mobile



4-6 WEEKS OLD

Mobile, talkative
May be interested in wet food



6-8 WEEKS OLD

Active, playful
Approximately 1-2 pounds



8+ WEEKS OLD

Active, playful
2 pounds or more

STOP! DO YOU SEE THE MOM CAT OR NEST?

YES

DON'T KIT-NAP!

A kitten's best chance of survival is with mom. Leave the kittens where they are.

Want to help the family? Provide food, shelter, and contact the Sacramento SPCA to have mom and kittens spayed and neutered when ready: sspca.org/spayneuter

NO

ARE YOU SURE?

Mom may have fled when you arrived or may be out hunting for food. Watch for her to come back for a few hours.

Pro Tip: Leave a ring of flour around the kittens. Check in a few hours if you see mom's foot prints in the flour!

If the kittens are friendly... You'd be a great foster parent!

If you are willing to foster kittens you have found, visit sspca.org/fosterdeferment to enroll in our Foster Deferment Program where we provide assistance with vaccinations, spay/neuter and placement!

If you are unable to foster the kittens, bring the kittens to the shelter responsible for the area where they were found.

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MOM CAME BACK

STILL NO MOM