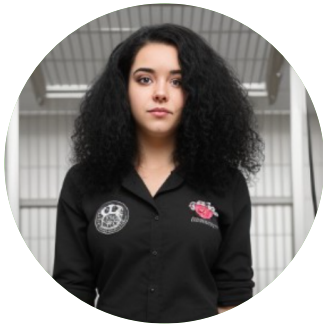




Kennel Grooming Assistant

Sophie Mitchell

Professional summary

Detail-oriented grooming assistant with a solid background in hygiene care and animal handling. Proficient in pre-grooming prep, coat maintenance, and creating low-stress experiences for pets in busy grooming environments.

Experience

Kennel Grooming Assistant

April 2022 - Now

Paws and Claws Pet Grooming / Denver, CO

- Bathe and prep dogs for grooming based on coat type, breed, and owner preferences.
- Assist senior groomers with trims and deshedding, ensuring tools are sanitized and prepared for each pet.
- Provide compassionate care throughout appointments, keeping animals calm during handling and drying.
- Consult with pet owners before and after appointments to discuss coat maintenance and grooming goals.

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January 2020 - March 2022

Denver Animal Boarding / Denver, CO

- Prepped pets for grooming sessions, including brushing out tangles and checking for skin conditions.
- Ensured grooming stations and bathing areas were thoroughly cleaned and organized throughout the day.
- Documented grooming details, noting coat condition, temperament, and any abnormalities for future visits.
- Contributed to a team that increased client satisfaction scores through improved communication and grooming outcomes.

Tools & Equipment Used

- High-velocity dryers
- Grooming tables with hydraulic lifts
- Dematting combs and slicker brushes
- Pet-safe shampoos and conditioners
- Ear cleaning tools and nail grinders
- Non-slip grooming mats

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Education

Certified Groomer

Denver Academy of Grooming, CO |
December 2019

Dog Grooming Safety & Sanitation

National Dog Groomers Association of
America | February 2023

Basic Pet First Aid

Colorado Humane Society | September 2022

Skills

Dog grooming	    
Pet bathing	    
Coat maintenance	    
Animal handling	    
Customer service	    
Attention to detail	    
Time management	    
Animal safety protocols	    