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Memphis Veterinary Specialists Give Free Eye Exams To Some Special Dogs

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MEMPHIS, Tenn. (localmemphis.com) - When disaster strikes, man's best friend plays a crucial role in the search for victims. That's why the dogs of Tennessee Task Force One were given free eye exams Thursday at Memphis Veterinary Specialists in Cordova.

In addition to sight proficiency, the deep eye exams can reveal a range of medical problems that, if caught early, can be treated to save the sight, or lives, of these animals whose work helps assure the safety of people who call the Mid-South home.

"You meet the people, you hear their story, the dogs do such amazing things and you want good for those people," said Dr. Jane Ashley Huey. "I think it's really important. They do so much for us, it's a way to give back."

It's not just the dogs of Tennessee Task Force One. Memphis Veterinary Specialists also offered the free exams to a wide number of service animals, including seeing-eye and diabetes-alertness dogs.

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