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Halloween is fast approaching, which means you're probably busy helping your kids put together last-minute details for their costumes, trying to find the best deals on the biggest bags of candy, and decking your house so it's the spookiest on the block. But there's something else that you may not realize you need to be prepped for.

The chance that your four-legged critter might try to join in on the festivities. And while this is okay, and often normal, you need to take precautions when helping your pet enjoy Halloween.

And surprisingly, it's not just the candy you should keep an eye on.

The ASPCA and ASPCAPro have provided tips in the links below to help you keep your furry friends safe on this spooky holiday. It's also a good idea to have your vet's contact information, a nearby emergency vet's contact information, and the Animal Poison Control Hotline number close at hand coming into the Halloween season.

Share with your friends and family that have pets, and have a safe Halloween!

ASPCA: <https://www.aspcapro.org/pet-care/general-pet-care/halloween-safety-tips>

ASPCA Pro: <http://www.aspcapro.org/resource/top-5-halloween-safety-tips-vets-and-pets>

Animal Poison Control Hotline: (888) 426 - 4435