



Loyal Guardians Service Dogs

A Nonprofit Dedicated to Changing Lives — One Dog at a Time

Who We Are

Loyal Guardians Service Dogs (LGSD) is a registered 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization based in Delta County, Colorado.

Founded by Aleisha Largent, a certified canine behaviorist and professional trainer, LGSD was born out of a passion to give back — by training and donating life-changing service dogs to those who need them most.

Our organization is built on the belief that healing comes in many forms, and for many, it comes on four paws.

Through our dedicated training programs, we empower both dogs and humans to find strength, confidence, and independence through teamwork, trust, and compassion.

Our Mission

To train, place, and support highly skilled service dogs that transform lives by providing physical assistance, emotional grounding, and companionship.

We serve a diverse range of individuals, including:

- Veterans recovering from PTSD, trauma, or physical injuries
- Children with disabilities such as autism, cerebral palsy, or diabetes

- Individuals with mental health or medical challenges who benefit from task-trained service dogs

Every dog we train represents hope — hope for safety, confidence, independence, and a renewed sense of life purpose.

What We Do

Our training programs are customized to meet the specific needs of each handler and their lifestyle.

Each dog goes through a carefully structured training process that includes:



Service Dog Development

From 8 weeks of age, our program dogs are hand-selected for temperament, confidence, and stability. Training includes:

- Public access manners
- Task work (such as medical alert, retrieval, DPT, or mobility assistance)
- Social neutrality and calm focus in all environments



Family and Child-Centered Training

We specialize in pairing dogs with children and families, ensuring both the dog and child are guided through the transition process with patience and compassion.

Training focuses on:

- Emotional regulation
- Safety and elopement prevention

- Sensory support and daily living assistance



Veteran Support & Rehabilitation

We honor our nation's heroes by training service dogs that help veterans reclaim freedom and emotional balance.

Our dogs assist with:

- PTSD support and grounding tasks
- Nightmare interruption
- Medical or mobility assistance



Community Outreach & Education

Loyal Guardians regularly hosts and participates in:

- Local community events
- Public education days
- Fundraisers and awareness campaigns
- School visits and therapy outreach

We believe that education is key to building understanding and respect for service dogs and their vital roles in the community.

How We're Funded

Loyal Guardians relies on donations, sponsorships, grants, and fundraising events to continue our mission.

Every contribution — whether financial, in-kind, or volunteer time — directly impacts our ability to train, care for, and place service dogs with individuals who might otherwise be unable to afford one.

Ways to Support:

- Sponsor a dog in training
 - Donate items or services for our annual auction
 - Become a monthly donor
 - Volunteer time or skills
 - Host a community fundraiser
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Our Heartbeat

Each Loyal Guardian is more than a service dog — they are a symbol of faith, resilience, and restoration.


Our work stems from a deep personal mission to turn pain into purpose, to offer healing where there was once hurt, and to remind others that they are never alone.

As our founder, Aleisha Largent, says:

“Every life that’s touched by a service dog represents redemption — a reminder that even broken stories can become powerful testimonies of love and hope.”


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