



Florida 501 (C) (3) Not-for-Profit Rescue Organization

Destiny for Dogs

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Destiny for Dogs FOSTER HOME APPLICATION

A foster home is a temporary home for a dog until our organization finds a permanent home for the dog. If you are interested in potentially providing a foster home for one of our dogs you should fill out the application below.

Thank you for offering to become a foster home for our organization! To be considered as a foster home for our organization, you must:

- Be 21 years of age or older
- If you rent your home you must have consent from your landlord to have a dog.
- Have all dogs and cats in the home spayed or neutered, if they are 6 months or older, unless medical reasons for not doing so.
- Have all dogs in the home up to date on vaccinations.
- Agree to have a home visit done by one of our volunteers. The volunteer will need to see the areas of the home where the dog will be allowed and also visit with family members and current pets. Distance is a factor in whether or not the required home visit can be completed. We are a 100% volunteer run organization. Although we do have volunteer contacts in many areas, some areas may be difficult for us to locate a volunteer to conduct the home visit. We will let you know ASAP if your application needs to be denied due to our inability to find a volunteer to conduct the home visit.

You must also agree to the following conditions, which are included in the foster home agreement contract:

- Agree to never allow the foster dog to be off leash when it is outdoors, unless it is in a securely fenced in area.
- Agree to have the foster dog reside in the home, not outside. The foster dog may not be left outdoors if you are not at home. This includes outdoor kennel runs.
- Agree to never allow foster dog to be left unattended with young children.

Our rescue organization is an all (unpaid) volunteer organization. For each application we receive it takes us approximately 3 hours to review, contact all personal and veterinary references, and make a decision on approval of it. Depending upon volunteer availability, this can take us several days to accomplish especially when we receive many applications or if we have difficulties reaching references.

To continue with the foster home application process initial here _____ to indicate that you have read, understand and agree to the above.

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FOSTER HOME APPLICATION

Owner's Name:			
Address:			
City, State, Zip:			
E-mail Address:			
Phone #	Home #	Work#	Cell#

DO YOU REGULARLY MONITOR THIS EMAIL ADDRESS AND AGREE TO PROVIDE US WITH TIMELY RESPONSES TO OUR EMAILS? You may need to monitor your email's spam folder for emails from our organization.

Yes No

IF WE NEED TO FOLLOW-UP WITH YOU ABOUT YOUR APPLICATION, WHAT IS THE PREFERRED METHOD(S) FOR CONTACTING YOU?

HOME PHONE WORK PHONE CELL PHONE E-MAIL

OCCUPATION: _____

EMPLOYER'S Name/Address/Phone: _____

ARE YOU 21 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER? NO YES

TYPE OF HOME YOU LIVE IN:

HOUSE CONDO/TOWNHOUSE TRAILER APT.

DO YOU HAVE A FENCED YARD: YES NO

IF YOU ANSWERED YES LIST TYPE:

WOOD CHAIN LINK OTHER HEIGHT OF FENCE _____

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DO YOU RENT OR OWN YOUR HOME: OWN RENT

IF YOU RENT OR ARE A ROOMMATE OR CHILD OF THE HOME OWNER, PLEASE PROVIDE THE LANDLORD'S OR OWNER'S NAME AND PHONE NUMBER. You must have approval to have a dog from your landlord, rental agency or home owner. We also need to know if there are any restrictions, such as size or breed of dog, etc. Please provide the below information so that we may contact them.

NAME: _____

PHONE # _____

PERSONAL REFERENCES: Please provide contact information for 3 personal references (someone that knows you and can provide insight on you character, how you feel about pets, how you treat pets, etc). These references cannot live in your home.

Please contact your references and let them know that someone from our organization will be contacting them and ask them to return our calls if we leave a message.

1st PERSONAL REFERENCE:

NAME: _____

PHONE: _____

E-MAIL: _____

HOW THEY KNOW YOU: _____

2nd PERSONAL REFERENCE:

NAME: _____

PHONE: _____

E-MAIL: _____

HOW THEY KNOW YOU: _____

3rd PERSONAL REFERENCE:

NAME: _____

PHONE: _____

E-MAIL: _____

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HOW THEY KNOW YOU: _____

VETERINARIAN REFERENCE: Please provide the contact information for the Vet's clinic that can verify the vaccination/spay/neuter status of current or recent pets.

NAME: _____

PHONE: _____

NUMBER OF PEOPLE LIVING IN HOME: _____

NUMBER OF PEOPLE UNDER 21 YEARS OLD: _____

IF CHILDREN UNDER 21 LIST THEIR AGES: _____

DOES ANYONE LIVING IN THE HOME HAVE ALLERGIES? YES NO

IF YES WHAT ARE THE ALLERGIES AND ARE THEY BEING CONTROLLED AT THIS TIME WITH MEDICATION _____

ARE ALL IN HOME IN FAVOR OF FOSTERING A DOG FOR OUR ORGANIZATION YES NO

IF NO LIST THEM AND THEIR REASON: _____

HAVE YOU BEEN A FOSTER HOME FOR ANOTHER RESCUE ORGANIZATION BEFORE:

YES NO

If yes please list organization _____

WHY DO YOU WANT TO BE A FOSTER HOME FOR US? _____

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IS THERE A PARTICULAR DOG(S) THAT YOU ARE INTERESTED IN FOSTERING? PLEASE LIST THE NAME OF DOG:

LIST THE SIZE OR BREED PREFERENCE AND THE QUALITIES IN A DOG THAT WOULD BEST SUIT YOUR HOME:

LIST ANY QUALITIES IN A DOG THAT WOULD NOT SUIT YOUR HOME:

DO YOU HAVE PETS LIVING IN YOUR HOME NOW? DOGS CATS OTHER

ARE ALL YOUR PETS CURRENT ON VACCINATIONS? YES NO

ARE ALL YOUR DOGS/CATS SPAYED OR NEUTERED? YES NO

HAVE YOU EVER GIVEN AWAY, SOLD, ABANDONED, SURRENDERED, OR PUT A PET TO SLEEP? YES NO

IF YES PLEASE EXPLAIN:

WHERE WILL YOUR FOSTER DOG BE WHEN EVERYONE HAS LEFT THE HOUSE?

CRATE KENNEL GARAGE OUTSIDE OTHER

HOW MANY HOURS A DAY WILL THE ANIMAL BE LEFT ALONE: _____

WHERE WILL YOUR FOSTER DOG SLEEP? _____

HOW WILL YOUR FOSTER DOG BE EXERCISED AND HOW OFTEN? _____

ARE YOU WILLING TO WORK WITH YOUR FOSTER DOG ON ANY ISSUES IT MAY HAVE:

YES NO

HOW LONG DO YOU FEEL A NEW PET AND PETS ALREADY LIVING IN THE HOME SHOULD BE GIVEN FOR AN ADJUSTMENT PERIOD? _____

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DO YOU ACKNOWLEDGE THERE CAN BE DISAGREEMENTS AND WILL YOU STRIVE TO EASE THE TRANSITION AND PROVIDE CARE AND GUIDANCE AS NEEDED? NOTE: Small disagreements are expected and typical behavior when a new dog is brought into a home where a dog or cat is already living. There can be fear and anxiety and you must be willing to work with your new dog during the transition time (which can be anywhere from days to weeks to months) until the dog is comfortable in your home. At that time you'll be able to see your dog's true personality.

YES NO

HOW LONG WILL YOU BE ABLE TO PROVIDE A FOSTER HOME FOR A DOG? (Dogs can find their new homes in as little as few weeks to several months and more. We need foster homes for the long haul and even emergency foster homes for a week or two while we set up transport of a dog to another rescue):

AS LONG AS IT TAKES 6 MONTHS TO A YEAR SEVERAL MONTHS
EMERGENCY FOSTER ONLY 1 - 2 WEEKS

I HAVE ANSWERED ALL QUESTIONS AND PROVIDED ALL NEEDED REFERENCES TRUTHFULLY AND HONESTLY TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE. I WILL DO MY BEST TO COMPLY WITH HOMELESS PETS LIFELINE ORGANIZATION FOSTER HOME REQUIREMENTS, WHICH INCLUDE PROVIDING A LOVING AND SAFE ENVIRONMENT FOR MY FOSTER DOG.

YES NO

Indemnification: Adopters, Fosters, Volunteers and Caregivers agree to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless Rescue's owners, directors, officers, employees, volunteers, representatives and agents, and defend any action brought against same with respect to any claim, demand, cause of action, debt or liability, including reasonable attorneys' fees, to the extent that such action is based upon a claim that: (i) if true, would constitute a breach of any of Adopters, Fosters, Volunteers and Caregiver's representations, warranties, or agreements hereunder; (ii) arises out of the negligence or willful misconduct of Adopters, Fosters, Volunteers and Caregivers; or (iii) arises directly or indirectly out of or in connection with the operation of the Adopters, Fosters, Volunteers and Caregivers, and from liability for injuries suffered by any person relating to the Adopters, Fosters, Volunteers and Caregivers, excluding, however, claims or demands arising out of the intentional misconduct or sole negligence of Rescue.

SIGNATURE:

PRINT NAME: _____

DATE: _____

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