

Half-Way Home Animal Rescue – Contract for Fostering



Please complete this application/contract and send to: Info@hwhanimalrescue.com

Thank you for considering the Fostering of an animal from Half-Way Home Animal Rescue (HWHAR).

So that we may be assured that the pet you wish to Foster is best suited for you, we require that the following questions be answered as fully and honestly as possible. Fostering may not be approved if application/contract is incomplete, not legible or if home/parent is not classified as best suited for said pet.

Rules of Fostering

1. Complete application and profile honestly, legibly, and completely.
2. Have adequate time and facilities to care for the animals(s) per contract and county/state laws.
3. Have the consent of all adults owning & residing in the household and be at least 21 years of age
4. Understand animals are not perfect; be prepared to provide animals with time to adjust and put forth effort transitioning the animal into its new environment.
5. This IS A FOSTER Contract; we reserve the right to postpone/refuse fostering that is not in the best interest of an animal.
6. Understand, you are fostering a pet 'AS IS'. HWHAR offers no guarantees on pet's health, breeding & behavior.
7. Foster parents must comply with the rules and regulations of this organization at all times (*see page 3)
8. **Foster Parents are not permitted to adopt the pets that they foster through HWHAR – It is our intention to have people continue to foster and thereby saving more lives.**

TODAYS DATE _____

THIS APPLICATION MUST BE LEGIBLE

FOSTER Information

Name(s)

Driver's License / State ID #

Street Address

City / State / Zip

Home Phone

Cell Phone

Email Address

Have you ever adopted/Fostered from our organization before? _____ **YES** _____ **NO**

If Yes, When and What? _____

Part of our commitment to successful Fostering, is that we keep in touch with foster parents at all times.

Do you object to a HWHAR rep contacting you at your home? _____ **YES** / _____ **NO**

If yes; then why? _____

Household Facts: Check all that apply

Do you have children under the age: _____ 5yrs old / _____ 10 yrs old / _____ 15 yrs / Only visit? _____

Rate your household activity level: _____ **Quiet** / _____ **Active** / _____ **Hectic**

Do you live in a: House _____ Own / _____ Rent / _____ Live with Parents?

_____ Apartment-Condo / _____ Mobile Home *Note: If you rent, a copy of your lease is required*

Do you have a fenced-in Yard: _____ **Yes** _____ **NO**

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Personal Pet History and Experience

First Time Dog Owner: _____

Currently have Cat _____

What is your Experience with Pets ("X" All That Apply)

First Time Cat Owner: _____

Currently have Dog _____

Had Pets as Child _____

Currently have "Other Pet" _____

Please list animals YOU HAVE BEEN FINANICALLY RESPONSIBLE FOR & have lived with you in the past (5) Five years

If you have/had pets - If you do not complete this section with all information requested – we cannot process your application

Pet TYPE(s) Name(s) and Breed	Spayed/Neutered	Age of Pet	REQUIRED Vet Clinic Name, City & Phone #	Still Have	Ownership Length
EXAMPLE CAT / "MOLLY"	YES or NO	EXAMPLE 14 YEARS	EXAMPLE MIDWEST ANIM HOSP. 708-123-4567	Y / N	EXAMPLE 12 YRS
	____ YES/ NO ____			____	
	____ YES/ NO ____			____	
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	____ YES/ NO ____			____	
	____ YES/ NO ____			____	

Where will you keep this animal during the day? _____ at night? _____

How long will the animal be without human contact during day? _____

What type of protection and shelter do you have outside for animal? _____ N/A or Please explain: _____

Are there any behavior problems that you feel would be unable to live with? _____ YES / _____ NO

If yes; please describe: _____

If you go out of town / vacation – what arrangements would you make for the foster pet to be cared for while away? _____

How much time do you have to interact with your foster-pet? ("X" all that applies)

_____ Will be at home or work

_____ Minimal interaction during week

_____ Lots of time on the weekends

_____ Will be my constant companion

CAT/KITTENS: How will you resolve problems such as clawing on furniture or failure to use litter box? _____

DOG/PUPPIES How will you resolve problems such as behavior issues, chewing or house-training issues? _____

How will foster pet get exercise: (CAT) _____

(DOG: "X" what applies) _____ Leash Walks / _____ Running Loose in Fenced in Yard

_____ Tie Out (lead) Other: _____



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FOSTER PARENT AGREES TO THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS:

Foster Parent (to be known as “FP”) shall provide the animal with humane care and maintain it in accordance with all current and future state, county, and municipal laws, and ordinances where the Foster Parent resides (the animal shall reside at the Foster Parent’s address, inside the home).

Half-Way Home Animal Rescue (to be known as “HWHAR”) shall provide to the FP a collar/leash for the animal to wear at all times.

By signing this contract – you understand that HWHAR will provide foster pet with veterinary treatment at no cost to the FP provided the FP takes foster animal to vet/medical location advised by HWHAR and with the permission of HWHAR; If a FP takes the animal for medical care without contacting HWHAR and without HWHAR’s consent – then the financial responsibility result will be at the FP’s own expense. HWHAR will not provide any reimbursement and will not provide any veterinary care to foster parent’s personal pets. Foster Parent will NOT make MEDICAL Decisions for the foster animal without consulting HWHAR first. FPs must follow any and all medical direction given to them by HWHAR at all times. This also includes feeding amounts and could possibly include type or brand of food given to the pet.

The FP MUST provide food (food brand/type must be approved by HWHAR), water, shelter, throughout its time in the FP’s care. The FP shall provide the animal with a fully fenced yard or other humane means of exercise. The animal shall not be kept constantly chained or left outside without human supervision. The FP shall keep the animal as a household pet and shall not use it for breeding or exclusively as a guard dog. Foster Parent will never leave the dog unattended in a car; the animal shall never be kept outdoors for extended periods of time, at no time will the pet be housed outdoors. (Felines: No felines are allowed to be outdoors. Call Felines are indoor pets only)

If the FP cannot continue to foster the animal, the FP shall notify HWHAR immediately. The foster pet shall not be sold, transferred, relinquished to a shelter or rescue group other than the HWHAR, or given to any individual or to any retail or wholesale establishment for the purpose of sale or resale to the public or to any research institution where medical experimentation or other experimental practices take place. If HWHAR incurs any costs to retrieve the foster pet from the Foster Parents care, then the cost shall be reimbursed back to HWHAR from the FP or legal action can ensue.

Foster Parent understands that animals are unpredictable. Therefore, waive and release all claims, past, present, and future, against Half-Way Home Animal Rescue, its officers and staff for any damages and/or injuries to persons or property which arise from ownership of this animal.

The FP understands that HWHAR and its representatives have limited information regarding the temperament or habits of the animal described.

Rescue may make inquiries, make inspections of the home, and examine the animal at any time, upon reasonable notice. If rescue determines that the FP is not providing adequate food, shelter, or is otherwise in breach of any of obligations herein, Rescue will remove animals from the FP care. Should such an event occur you will no longer be allowed to foster/adopt with our organization.

Foster Parents must inform Rescue group of any changes of address or phone numbers – If a Foster Parent moves, and new home-check must be performed.

Foster Parents for Half-Way Home Animal Rescue are not permitted to adopt pets that are being fostered. It is the organizations’ thoughts that fostering saves more lives.

Note: When fostering commitment concludes, all supplies provided by HWHAR must be returned is same condition

Foster Parent(s) Signature(s)

Date

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