



Hawk Creek Animal Shelter

Foster Care Application

Contact Information

I am 21 years of age or older. ☐Yes ☐No

Name: _____

Street: _____

City, Zip: _____

Phone(s) : _____

Email: _____

What types of animals would you be interested in fostering?

☐Cats and/or kittens

☐Dogs and/or puppies

☐Pregnant Cats

☐Pregnant Dogs

☐Reptiles / Rodents

☐Bottle feeding

Environment Information

Do you currently own a pet? ☐No ☐Yes (*fill in below*)

What kind: _____ ☐Male ☐Female ☐Spayed/Neutered

Are all of its vaccinations current? ☐Yes ☐No Who is your Veterinarian? _____

Are there children in the home? ☐No ☐Yes Ages: _____

Do you have a completely fenced in yard? ☐Yes ☐No

Do you have a completely enclosed, separate indoor area for the animal(s)? ☐Yes ☐No

Please Explain: _____

Do you own or rent? ☐Own ☐Rent Landlord Name and Number: _____

Type of Home: ☐House ☐Apartment ☐Duplex ☐Farm

Have you had any animal care/training experience? ☐ No ☐ Yes

Please Explain: _____

Have you volunteered or been employed at this or another animal shelter? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Where: _____

What were your duties? _____

I agree that the above information is true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that an evaluation of my home may be conducted prior to approval.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Foster Care Agreement

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I wish to be in the foster to adopt program.

Animal Name/ID: _____

Recommend By: _____

I have completed the adoption application and it has been approved. I have also made a deposit in the amount of the adoption fee. I understand that I have 14 days to determine if this is the right pet for me and my family. If the animal is not returned, I understand that the adoption will be finalized. I accept responsibility for the welfare of the animal. Any accidental injuries or death will result in the entire adoption fee be paid to the HCAS.

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I wish to enroll in the foster care program.

I understand that this agreement must be updated annually and that I am doing this on a volunteer basis and will not be compensated. The average length of time that animals are in foster care is 2-3 months. After that point the animal will be re-evaluated, and a possible extension may occur. For young animals, they will be returned to the shelter for adoption when they are 8 weeks old or when they are ready to be spayed or neutered.

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I wish to enroll in the Adoption Ambassador program.

The Adoption Ambassadors program gives adoptable animals a better chance at finding homes by engaging folks as adoption counselors and foster parents at the same time. It lets adopters get more detailed information about an animal's behavior in a home environment and improves quality of life while awaiting adoption. As an Adoption Ambassador, you will handle the promoting and meet & greet with families at the Shelter or at your home safely.

The following guidelines for foster care must be met:

The Foster Home must have adequate room in the home to house animals or an approved shelter in a outdoor building.	All pets that reside in the Foster Home must be current on all vaccination and be known not to harbor any infectious diseases. The Foster Animal must be isolated for at least 7 days, meaning no sharing of bedding, litter boxes. Food dishes or sleeping areas.
The Foster Animal will be examined by a member of the Veterinary Staff before placement into the Foster Home. This will be done by the HCAS.	If any of the Foster Animals become ill, the Foster Parent will notify the HCAS immediately.
The Foster Family understands the HCAS is not responsible for any damage done by the foster animal.	The HCAS is not responsible for the health or medical care of the Foster Family's personal pets.
All veterinary care must go through the HCAS.	All additional guidelines must be followed.

The Foster Family understands that the foster animal is not available for sale or to give away. The Foster Animal will remain up for adoption and will be adopted out according to the policies set by the HCAS. The Foster Animal is not to be transferred to another home without the approval of the HCAS. The Foster Animals at all times belong to the HCAS. If the HCAS determines that the foster animal is beyond treatment or has any serious behavior/temperament problems, the animal will be humanely euthanized.

I agree to all terms and conditions as listed above.

Name (*Please Print*): _____

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____