

Dog Adoption Application



Date: _____ Dog Name: _____

Your Name: _____

Home Address: _____

E-mail address: _____

Telephone: _____ **YES, Please Include me on the Stray Haven e-mail list!**

Do you Own or Rent? _____ Landlord's Phone Number: _____

If Rent: House Apartment Mobile home park Other: _____

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Reviewed by: _____

Date: _____

Status: _____

Please answer the following questions honestly, circle the answers that best apply to your situation.

1. Have you owned a dog before?

YES NO

2. When was the last time you owned a dog?

- a. Currently
- b. Within the last year
- c. 2-10 years ago
- d. More than 10 years ago

3. What pets do you currently own?

- a. Cat
- b. Dog
- c. Bird
- d. Rodent
- e. Fish
- f. Other _____

4. If you have a current dog(s), please list:

Breed Age Sex

5. My dog needs to be good with:

- a. Children under 8
- b. Children over 8
- c. Senior Citizens
- d. Cats
- e. Other animals

6. Will your dog primarily be an inside dog or an outside dog or both? _____

7. How many hours will your dog spend outside per day? _____

8. I want a guard dog? YES NO

9. Any given day, my dog will be alone:

- a. 2 hours or less
- b. 4 hours or less
- c. 8-10 hours
- d. 12 hours or more

10. When I am not at home, my dog will be:

- a. Loose in the house
- b. Confined to one room in the house
- c. In a crate in the house
- d. In the garage
- e. In the yard
- f. Other: _____

11. I want my dog to be playful?

- a. Very playful
- b. Somewhat playful
- c. Not at all playful

12. I want my dog to be laid back?

- a. Very laid back
- b. Somewhat laid back
- c. Not at all laid back

13. I am comfortable doing training with my dog to improve manners such as jumping, stealing food and pulling on the leash:

- a. A lot of training
- b. Some training
- c. No training

14. Are you interested in dog obedience classes? _____

15. On average, how much do you think you will spend for care on your dog yearly? (Food, medical care, toys, etc)

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Is anyone in your home allergic to pets? YES NO

If yes, please explain: _____

Who will be responsible for your new pet? _____

Do you have a fenced yard? YES NO _____

Are your current pets spayed/neutered and current on vaccinations? YES NO

If no, please explain: _____

Please list your vet's name and telephone number: _____

Do we have permission to contact your vet? YES NO

Are you employed and if yes, where? _____

Can you afford food and routine veterinary care for your new pet? YES NO

Please provide the name and telephone number of (1) Personal Reference we may contact:

By signing below, I certify that all the information provided on this 2 page application is true.

Signature _____

Date _____

When you adopt an animal from Stray Haven, you must have the pet spayed or neutered if it isn't already altered at the time of adoption. Failure to do so will result in the animal being reclaimed into Stray Haven possession. Adoption fees are non-refundable donations. Adopted animals may be exchanged within 14 days for another pet.

Stray Haven makes no claim or representation as to the temperament or health of animals available for adoption. We can only make an educated guess by our limited interaction with them as to how they may behave. Unfortunately, many of our animals are strays without a history and for those with previous owners, we relay the information given to us by their former owners.

Stray Haven welcomes your calls for advice to help you and your new pet adjust. Please remember many of the shelter animals have been here for an extended period of time, and will need time to adapt to a home environment and become acclimated to their new family and surroundings. Please give them time to settle down and don't expect a perfectly calm, well behaved animal overnight.

We will keep your personal information as provided on this adoption application confidential.