



Foster Care Agreement

Date: _____

I, _____ agree to act as temporary Foster Home for Bunnychick Haven of Navarre. I agree to abide by the following conditions whenever fostering **any** animals. **All animals entering foster care must have gone through protocols prior to leaving Bunnychick Haven of Navarre.**

1. Any animal(s) fostered by me will be kept in a Bunnychick Haven of Navarre-approved facility. I understand that any animal(s) I foster is/are the property of Bunnychick Haven of Navarre, and I agree to turn it/them over to Bunnychick Haven of Navarre immediately upon request. I agree to bring any animal(s) fostered by me to the vet for exams, vaccinations, weight checks, or other reason deemed necessary by Bunnychick Haven of Navarre at a mutually agreed upon date and/or time.
2. I understand that I am responsible for adhering to Bunnychick Haven of Navarre's standards of care and applicable local and state laws dealing with animal welfare.
3. I agree to a premises check upon the request of Bunnychick Haven of Navarre, which can include a visual inspection of the living quarters of all Bunnychick Haven of Navarre foster animals in that environment.
4. Any animal(s) fostered by me will be fed, watered and exercised appropriately. I agree to provide an adequate and nutritious diet, including any necessary supplements, as recommended by regarding the feeding of specific brands or types of supplemental food and/or nutritional supplements to my foster animals. Although Bunnychick Haven of Navarre will make every attempt to furnish food and/or litter for those foster care volunteers who are unable to afford these supplies on their own, I understand that the availability of these supplies is based on donations from the public and limited to stock on hand and that I will be responsible for providing necessary supplies in the event that they are not available through Bunnychick Haven of Navarre cannot and does *not guarantee* to be able to provide free food, litter, or supplies for my foster animal.
5. I agree that animals will not be kept outside unless otherwise discussed and approved by Bunnychick Haven of Navarre.
6. I understand that Bunnychick Haven of Navarre will take every precaution to ensure that any animal(s) I foster are reasonably healthy and that any known health problems will be disclosed to me prior to my taking the animal into my home, but Bunnychick Haven of Navarre cannot be held responsible for any unforeseen health problem that may develop after the animal(s) is/are in my care. I understand that Bunnychick Haven of Navarre may require me to return my foster animal(s) to a staff member to assess or treat any health problem, at their discretion.
7. I understand that I am not authorized to seek outside veterinary care for Bunnychick Haven of Navarre foster animals without approval from Bunnychick Haven of Navarre staff or foster coordination team and may be dismissed from the foster program for doing so. If I choose to treat the animal(s) at a veterinarian of my choice, I understand that I will assume full responsibility for payment of the vet bill, and that Bunnychick Haven of Navarre will be unable to reimburse me for any such payment.
8. I agree to provide adequate, positive socialization for any animal(s) fostered by me to help ensure their temperament will be as sound as possible. I also agree, when requested, to give a progress report to Bunnychick Haven of Navarre. I agree to bring my foster animal(s) into the vet for any required vaccinations, or other medication prescribed and provided by Bunnychick Haven of Navarre at no cost to me. When the foster period is over, I will return the animal(s), and will do so at the agreed upon time.

9. I agree to keep my foster animal(s) separate from my own pets, and that the possibility of foster animals fighting, injuring, or spreading illness to my own pets does exist. I agree that I will keep my own pet up to date on vaccine according to my own veterinarian, while I am fostering any animal(s) for Bunnychick Haven of Navarre. I understand that if I choose to allow my foster animal(s) and my pet(s) to have access to each other, I do so at my own risk, and will not hold Bunnychick Haven of Navarre liable for any illness or injury that may occur to my own pet(s).

10. I agree to keep Bunnychick Haven of Navarre animals safe from harm/illness as a result of contact with resident pets.

11. I understand the potential for contagious illness is high in animals. Therefore, I agree not to mix any of my foster animals or animals more than one litter unless approved by Bunnychick Haven of Navarre. I also agree not to foster animals from any other organization while I am fostering Bunnychick Haven of Navarre, unless granted specific approval by Bunnychick Haven of Navarre.

12. I understand that the Bunnychick Haven of Navarre Foster Coordinator staff have the right to also limit the number of animals in my care at any given time.

13. I assume responsibility for any events that occur in connection with my fostering of an animal for Bunnychick Haven of Navarre. I understand the possibility of my children or others being bitten, scratched, or contracting disease does exist. I agree to be responsible for my children and anyone else handling any animal(s) fostered by me in a safe and hygienic manner, and will not hold responsible for any injuries that may result from my failure to do so. **I AGREE TO NOTIFY A Bunnychick Haven of Navarre REPRESENTATIVE IMMEDIATELY OF ANY BITES OR BAD SCRATCHES** that occur to any person or animal while any foster animal is in my care.

14. Any animal fostered by me is to be adopted to a permanent home only under supervision of Bunnychick Haven of Navarre, to an adopter approved by Bunnychick Haven of Navarre, even if the adopter is me or a member of my household. All foster animals **MUST** be returned to Bunnychick Haven of Navarre for completion of adoption paperwork prior to permanent adoption. I understand that if I find a suitable home for any animal that I am fostering, all of the above conditions must apply, and that the adopter must pay the adoption fee.

15. I understand that Bunnychick Haven of Navarre cannot and does not make any representations or warranties either expressed or implied concerning the temperament, habits, health, pedigree, disposition, age, sex or background of this animal and that I have no right to reimbursement of medical, adoption or other professional fees. Furthermore, I understand that the animal's future reactions to me, my family or any other person are completely unpredictable because animals, like people, have their own personalities.

16. In consideration of receiving any Bunnychick Haven of Navarre foster animal, I, as a foster caregiver, hereby release Bunnychick Haven of Navarre, its officers, agents and employees from all claims of injury or damage that a fostered dog/cat/other may cause me or my property. I agree to hold harmless, defend and indemnify Bunnychick Haven of Navarre, it's officers, agents and employees from any and all claims of liability to other people for injuries.

17. If for any reason, I do not comply with all provisions of this agreement, I agree to return the fostered animal to Bunnychick Haven of Navarre upon demand of the enforcement agent. If I refuse to return the fostered animal to Bunnychick Haven of Navarre upon demand of the enforcement agent, I understand that Bunnychick Haven of Navarre reserves the right to impound them as legal owner of the animal.

18. I acknowledge that a staff member has reviewed documented information about this animal with me and that I have received said documentation in writing. I am fostering with awareness of any documented medical or behavioral history.

I have read and agree to the above terms:

Print Name: _____

Signature: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____