**Applicant Information**

Your name: **Click to enter text** Phone number: **Click to enter text**

Address: **Click to enter text** County: **Click to enter text**

Email: **Click to enter text**

Date of Birth (you must be 18 years or older to foster animals: **Click to enter text**

Do you have medical and/or accident insurance? **Click to enter text**

Have you had a tetanus (sometimes a Tdap or Td combo) shot in the last 5 to 10 years? **Click to enter text**

Have you had a rabies shot or booster and if so, how recently? **Click to enter text**

Do you have medical restrictions that may impact the kind of animal you can foster, such as being limited in how much you can lift, food or animal allergies, or other things that should be considered when choosing an appropriate animal to foster? **Click to enter text**

Have you been convicted of a crime other than minor traffic violations? If so, please explain. **Click to enter text**

Do you have reliable transportation or the ability to quickly arrange transportation if your foster animal needs immediate care? **Click to enter text**

**Family and Home Information**

How many people live in your home? **Click to enter text**

Please list the ages of all children who live in your home or are frequent visitors (such as grandchildren or kids you babysit): **Click to enter text**

Do you own or rent your home? **Click to enter text**

If you rent, are there restrictions on the number or kind of animals you can keep? **Click to enter text**

If you rent, please provide contact information for your landlord so we can verify you are allowed to house the foster animal(s). We will not contact them until you have agreed to foster a specific animal(s) for A Critter’s Chance, Inc. **Click to enter text**

Does everyone in your household agree to having a foster animal on the premises? **Click to enter text**

Do any household members have medical restrictions such as food or animal allergies or other things that should be considered when choosing an appropriate animal to foster? **Click to enter text**

Has anyone in your household been convicted of a crime other than minor traffic violations? If so, please explain. **Click to enter text**

**Current and Former Animals**

Please list all current animals in your care (indoor and outdoor): **Click to enter text**

Please list any rescue groups you have worked with previously, how long you volunteered/worked there, and your responsibilities: **Click to enter text**

**Foster Ability**

Please state your general interest in fostering the following types of animals (this does NOT commit you to fostering, it just gives us an idea of what needs you may be able to fill):

[ ]  Farm birds, such as ducks and chickens

[ ]  Larger farm animals, such as pigs and goats

[ ]  Snakes

[ ]  Dry-habitat lizards or tortoises

[ ]  Wet habitat turtles

[ ]  Small animals like guinea pigs, rats, and mice

[ ]  Rabbits

[ ]  Other **Click to enter text**

Please list your available enclosures/habitats: **Click to enter text**

Please acknowledge that you understand the following:

1. **Proper Care**. An animal foster is expected to care for the animal as follows:
	1. Not harm the animal physically, verbally, or mentally, nor allow anyone else to do so. This includes supervising the animal in the presence of children.
	2. Provide non-cosmetic grooming, such as nail/hoof trims and brushing or trimming of fur to prevent mating and skin irritation or notify ACC within a reasonable time for assistance.
	3. Provide safe, comfortable (and weather and temperature appropriate for outdoor animals) shelter.
	4. Provide safe exercise time, which may include animal-proofing areas where the animal will be free.
	5. Provide a healthy diet appropriate to the species and age of the animal.
2. **Medical and Health Agreement**. An animal foster is expected to care for the animal as follows:
	1. Not to breed the animal or allow it to be used for breeding or for experimentation.
	2. To arrange for transportation to necessary vet appointments, including spay/neuter surgeries.
	3. Not to make medical decisions for the animal other than to identify that the animal may need medical care and promptly notify ACC.
3. It is within ACC’s sole discretion to decide when to remove the animal from a foster’s care because adoption is imminent or for another reason ACC deems appropriate. A foster will make every effort to coordinate with ACC to **return the animal to an ACC representative within 24 hours** or as requested by ACC.
4. If the foster cannot or will not continue to care for the animal, they must notify ACC immediately and surrender the animal **within 24 hours** or as mutually agreed with ACC. **THE FOSTER CANNOT EUTHANIZE THE ANIMAL OR REHOME, ABANDON, OR RELEASE IT**.

Add your initials here to acknowledge that you understand these foster conditions: Click to enter text

Emailing this application to ACrittersChance317@gmail.com will be considered your digital signature on this application.

Date: Click to enter text