

All Applicants must read Take Paws Rescue's Adoption Process and Adoption FAQs PRIOR to completing an Adoption Application. Applicants under the age of 21 and/or third party Applicants will NOT be considered.

Today's Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Home Phone: _____

Work Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Age of Applicant _____

Occupation _____

Co-Applicant Name if applicable _____

Age of Co-Applicant if applicable _____

Co-Applicant's Occupation if applicable _____

Age of all other residents in the home _____

Do they or other family members live with or visit you? Yes No

Who is the dog primarily for? (Adult, Child, Elderly) _____

Does anyone in your household have allergies? Yes No

If Yes, to what allergens? _____

Please tell us a little of your lifestyle and your family including any special activities in which your dog would be included. If you have any special requirements or requests for a dog, please let us know so that we can more carefully match a dog to your lifestyle _____

Please tell us why you want a dog _____

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Is there a specific animal from our website that you are interested in? Yes No

If so, which one? _____

Why are you interested in this particular dog? _____

If you are not selected to adopt this particular dog, do you want Take Paws to evaluate your application for consideration of other dogs currently with the rescue or future rescue intakes? Yes No

Age Desired Example: Any / Specific Age / Young / Senior (8 yrs+) _____

Gender preference Male Female No preference

What size dogs are you interested in adopting (when full-grown)? Small (25 lbs. and under) Medium (26-60 lbs.) Large (61-100 lbs.) X-Large (Over 100 pounds)

Desired Activity Level High Medium Calm

How soon are you looking to adopt? ASAP Next Few Months Not Sure Yet

Would you consider adopting a Heartworm positive dog? Yes No Maybe Not Sure

Would you consider one with Special Needs? Such as one who requires medication for a permanent but controlled condition Yes No

Would you consider adopting a bonded pair of dogs? Yes No Maybe Not Sure

Do you own or rent? Own Rent

If you rent, please provide landlord's name and phone number: _____

Do you have the permission of your landlord to have a dog? If yes, up to what size? _____

Type of Dwelling? Single Family Home Multi-family Home Townhouse Apartment
Trailer Home Military

Exercised in a fenced yard? Yes No

How long have you lived at your current address? _____

Will the dog be allowed in the house? Yes No

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How long daily will the dog be left alone (without humans)? _____

Where will the dog stay when you are away from the house? _____

Is your yard fenced? Yes No

Type of fence? _____

If you do not have a fence, will you install one? _____

Approximate size of dog's yard area _____

Please list all current pets in the household (include names, species/breed, age): _____

Please list all prior pets you have owned in the past five years and explain what happened to them if you no longer have them. If deceased, please provide cause of death and age at death. _____

Past pets continued: _____

Are all your current dogs and/or cats spayed or neutered? Yes No N/A

Are all your current pets up-to-date on vet recommended vaccinations? Yes No N/A

Are all your current dogs on Heartworm Preventative? Yes No N/A

What do you know about Heartworms? _____

Where do you currently purchase Heartworm prevention from? If you don't currently purchase it, would you and if so from where? _____

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Have you ever or would you ever, elect to have cosmetic surgery performed a pet, such as ear cropping, tail docking, or cat declawing? If so, under what circumstances? _____

Have you ever sold a pet, given away a pet, or surrendered a pet to a shelter? If yes, please specify why? _____

Please provide the full name, address and phone number of your current veterinarian _____

Please identify all other veterinarians that you have used within the last five years _____

Will your dog receive formal obedience training? Yes No

Are you familiar with use of a dog crate to train your pet during your absence/at night? Yes No

In the event that issues arise as your young puppy/dog ages, are you prepared to confront the problem with assistance/a trainer before looking to surrender back to the rescue? Yes No

Allowed to run free without supervision? Yes No

Are you aware that dogs are active? Yes No

Who will care for, train and exercise the dog? _____

Does your immediate family share your interest in adopting a dog? _____

How much do you think it will cost you to care for your dog annually? _____

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When you move, or evacuate due to a hurricane, what will you do with your dog? _____

Do you understand the state and local ordinances concerning licensing and/or leashing? Yes No

Have you, or any member of your family/household been cited for leash law violations or cruelty to animals in the past? Yes No

If YES, please specify _____

If you were referred to Take Paws Rescue by a previous adopter or volunteer, please provide their name(s): _____

I have reviewed my application and certify that everything is accurate to my knowledge. I understand that if ANY information is found to be FALSE or INCOMPLETE at ANY time during the application process, my application will be DENIED without notification. Yes

I understand that all animals adopted through Take Paws Rescue are required to be spayed/neutered prior to adoption or at 6 months of age if adopted as a puppy. I understand there are NO EXCEPTIONS.
Yes

I understand that while the Take Paws Rescue Adoption Coordinators may contact me via phone or e-mail, further contact is NOT guaranteed, nor is placement of requested dog or any future dog. Yes

If your vet records are under an alternate name than the primary applicant on the application (spouse, maiden name, ex-spouse, parent, etc.) please list the name or names here. If we cannot obtain vet records based on the information provided, your application will be declined without further notification. _____

I accept that the Take Paws Rescue Adoption Coordinators have the right to REFUSE my application for ANY REASON and WITHOUT notification and WITHOUT explanation. Yes

I agree to allow the Take Paws Rescue Adoption Coordinators to obtain any pertinent information regarding my home situation and care of animals. This includes, but is not limited to, obtaining a vet reference from current/past veterinarians, and doing a home visit and inspection with the applicant and household members.
Yes

I understand that ALL Household members, including children, must be present during the home check evaluation, if one is scheduled. Yes

You will be required to have an in-person home check or facetime home check done prior to application approval.

What are the best days of week & times to schedule a home visit? _____

Other information you'd like us to consider: _____
