

FOSTER CARE APPLICATION

SOUTH ANIMAL CARE CENTER

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Hours: Mon/Wed/Fri/Sat 10-5 , Tues/Thur 12-7

FOSTER INFORMATION FOR APPLICANT TO KEEP

Foster homes are needed for several reasons:

1. Some dogs are too fearful & do not do well in the shelter environment.
2. Injury or medical condition that requires healing time.
3. They develop URI or kennel cough. Some of our animals get sick while they are awaiting adoption and unfortunately we cannot treat them in the facility due to lack of adequate isolation. Any other pets at home should be up to date with all vaccines if you plan to foster but there is always a potential risk of your pet getting sick.
4. Nursing moms
5. Puppies & Kittens too young to leave in shelter for adoption.

We do our best to ensure that our animals are treated for various parasites but there are potential risks to other pets at home of getting parasites such as worms, fleas & ticks. If you have an emergency with your foster and must take to a vet, we cannot reimburse you. We do not always have a vet on site and our services are limited.

When a foster home is needed for an animal, you will either receive a call or email notifying you of that need.

To assist in finding a forever home for your foster animal, we will post your foster on petfinder and our website as fosters available for adoption. You will need to provide us with up to 3 good pictures and as much info about pet as possible. Such as: good with dogs, cats, kids, housebroke, crate trained, fears, bad habits, obedience training, leash walking, age, and ID# (which is located on pet's health record). The email contact for sending this information is tracey.breen@brevardcounty.us

Before making arrangements for a potential adopter to meet your foster, they must get preapproved by filling out an adoption application at the shelter first. Once they are approved we will contact you to make arrangements for an introduction. If you do not think an approved adopter is the right home for your foster, let the shelter staff know & we will inform the adopter. Once a home is found for the pet, the new adopter must come back to the shelter to finalize all paperwork before you can transfer the pet to them.

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Date _____

Name: _____ DL# : _____
 Address: _____ Apt#: _____
 City: _____ Zip: _____
 Home phone () _____ cell() _____ work() _____
 Email: _____
 Do you: _____ own house _____ rent _____ own condo _____ mobile home _____ other
 Name of Landlord: _____ Phone: _____
 Place of employment: _____
 Number of adults in household: _____ Children's ages: _____

List animals currently own or have owned in past 5 years:

Type (dog/cat)	Neutered?	Age	Time owned	Where is pet now
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
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_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Name of your vet: _____ Phone: _____
 Where will pet be kept during day? _____ night? _____ alone? _____
 Fenced yard? _____ Type: _____ Height? _____
 Why do you want to foster? _____
 Pet will be alone for approximately: _____ hours per day _____ days per week

WHAT ARE YOU WILLING TO FOSTER?

DOGS

CATS

Size _____	Nursing moms _____
Breed/Age restrictions _____	Bottle Babies _____
Nursing moms _____	Sick _____
Bottle Babies _____	Kittens/Adults _____
Sick _____	

Additional Comments we should know _____

STAFF:

Approved _____ Date _____