

# ADOPTION APPLICATION



**WOMEN'S HUMANE  
SOCIETY**  
AMERICA'S FIRST ANIMAL SHELTER • FOUNDED 1869

## OFFICE USE ONLY

Animal ID #: \_\_\_\_\_

Dog:  Cat:  Male:  Female:

Counselor's Initials: \_\_\_\_\_

Adoption Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please fill out this application and bring it with you when you visit our facility. Make sure you live within 50 miles of the Women's Humane Society before completing the application. Applications are considered on animals available at the time of your visit.

### **PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING CAREFULLY:**

Welcome to the Women's Humane Society.

Please print your name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

We hope that we can help you find the right family pet. We ask that you fill out the following application carefully and completely. The application form is designed to help us make a fulfilling placement possible; the right home for each animal and the right pet for your home.

There are some days when the adoption process can take up to 1 hour: talking with our adoption counselors, meeting and socializing with the animal that you are interested in, reviewing the follow-up services we provide and the responsibilities that you will assume. Questions and answers about inoculations, training, food, etc., can take time but is time well-invested when you consider that a well-cared for pet may live 18 years. So we ask for your patience and cooperation in the joyful process of bringing people and animals together.

Before going through the adoption area, please read the following section carefully. In order to be considered as an adopter today, you must:

- Be 18 years of age or older;
- Have current identification showing your age and present address;
- Be willing and able to provide training, medical care and loving attention for a potential pet;
- Ask our Adoption Counselor about fees.

Understand that the Women's Humane Society reserves the right to deny any adoption application.

Although you are welcome to browse through the cat adoption area, you must complete the application and speak to a counselor before visiting with any particular animal. There are health and personality profiles along with the background information on almost every animal in the pet meeting room. Our Adoption Counselors are available to provide additional information and direction in the selection of a shelter animal.

**Please turn this page over and fill in the requested information.**

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a Veterinarian?  Yes  No

If yes, what is the name of your Veterinarian? \_\_\_\_\_

Check your type of housing:

Own Home  Own Condo  Rent House  Rent Apartment  Military Housing  Other

Does your landlord allow pets?  Yes  No

How long have you lived at your present address? \_\_\_\_\_

How many adults in your household? \_\_\_\_\_ How many children? \_\_\_\_\_ Ages: \_\_\_\_\_

Does anyone in the household have animal allergies?  Yes  No

RESIDENT PETS

Below, list any pets currently in your home; please include small caged pets and horses:

Type of Animal	Age	Sex	Spayed/Neutered	Kept where?	How long owned?
			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		

How did you hear about the Women’s Humane Society?

Reputation  Veterinarian  Program  Word of Mouth  Online  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

ALL ANIMALS ADOPTED FROM THE WOMEN’S HUMANE SOCEITY MUST BE SPAYED / NEUTERED. I hereby release to the Women’s Humane Society all veterinary records of any and all animals I own and have owned. I certify that all the information in this application is true and I understand that false information may void this application.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Approved:  Pending:  Denied:  Counselor’s Initials: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_