



## Adoption Questionnaire

STAFF ONLY	
Date & Time Rec'd:	P#:
Circle one:      V Yes      V No	Initials:
Appt:	Pager #:

First Name:	Last Name:	
Phone Number:	Email Address:	
Street Address:		Apt #:
City:	State:	Zip Code:
County (e.g. Montgomery, Prince George's, etc):		

Are you 18 or older?    ☐ Yes    ☐ No

Do you have a copy of your driver's license or another government-issued photo ID?    ☐ Yes    ☐ No

I am interested in adopting a...

☐ ONLY a Kitten    ☐ Kitten    ☐ Cat    ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ ONLY a Small Dog    ☐ Small Dog (under 30 lbs.)    ☐ Medium Dog (30- 50 lbs.)    ☐ Large Dog (50+ lbs.)

What size, age, weight, and personality you are looking for? Any deal breakers?

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Are you interested in a specific pet? What about them interests you? (We are first come, first served).

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Have you owned this type of pet before? Describe your experience with them.

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Do you need a pet who is...

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Good with many people/strangers | <input type="checkbox"/> Good with cats and/or small animals |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Good with kids                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Good with dogs                  |  |

How many adults and children will live with your new pet? What are the ages of the children?

# Adults: \_\_\_\_\_ # Children: \_\_\_\_\_ Ages: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you currently own any pets?    ☐ Yes    ☐ No

How many of the following pets do you own? Cats \_\_\_\_\_ Dogs \_\_\_\_\_ Ferrets \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

## RABIES CERTIFICATES FOR CURRENT PETS REQUIRED BEFORE MAKING AN APPOINTMENT

### All Cat, Dog, and Ferret Owners:

Please provide rabies certificates for each cat, dog, and ferret you own. Rabies certificates may not expire within 60 days. If your certificate is about to expire, please contact your veterinarian and vaccinate your pets before making an appointment. We must confirm vaccination of current pets before making an appointment for you to adopt a new one.

### Montgomery County Residents Who Own Cats or Dogs:

All cats and dogs in Montgomery County are required to be licensed, with the exceptions of The City of Gaithersburg and Rockville City. If your pets are not licensed, you will need to purchase licenses before making an appointment. You may license your pets online or in-person with a rabies certificate that does not expire within 60 days. We must confirm licensing of your current pets before making an appointment for you to adopt a new one.

### Select one:

- ☐ I do not own any cats, dogs, or ferrets.
- ☐ I live outside Montgomery County, in The City of Gaithersburg, or in Rockville City and I will provide a rabies certificate for each cat, dog, and ferret I own.
- ☐ I live in Montgomery County and will provide or purchase licenses for each cat and dog I own and provide rabies certificates for each ferret I own.

### Anything else?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Food: how much, how often, and what kind? | <input type="checkbox"/> Introducing your pet to other pets       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Leaving your new pet home alone           | <input type="checkbox"/> Exercise, toys, and fun activities to do |
| <input type="checkbox"/> House-training/litter box training        | <input type="checkbox"/> Grooming/nail trimming                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Puppy/kitten-proofing your home           | <input type="checkbox"/> Flea/tick prevention                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Crate-training                            | <input type="checkbox"/> Heartworm prevention                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Declawing                                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Finding a veterinarian                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pulling on-leash                          | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____                             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Finding a trainer                         | _____   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> General training tips                     | _____   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Introducing your pet to new people        |   |

### What to Expect

We do same-day adoptions by appointment. Once we receive and review all your information, you will be asked to schedule an appointment to meet potential new family members. You may adopt and take home anyone available for adoption at the time of your appointment. Bring a leash, collar, and/or carrier if you can!

### We do not place animals on hold.

We are first come, first served by appointment time in the interest of finding as many homes as possible. There is no guarantee that any particular animal will be available for adoption at the time of your appointment, but we will try to find someone similar (who might even turn out to be a better fit!).

### Adoption Checklist

To schedule an appointment, please present the following to a customer service representative at the Adoption Center front desk. If you don't have what you need right now, that's okay! Return anytime we are open.

- ☐ This adoption questionnaire.
- ☐ A copy of your driver's license or another government-issued photo ID.
- ☐ Rabies certificates or pet licenses for all dogs, cats, and ferrets you own.