

# Cat Foster Application

**To learn more about fostering, please visit the "Foster A Cat" page at the Donate and Help drop-down menu.**

**Please note that fosters must be at least 25 years old.**

**A safe or virtual home check will be needed prior to approval.**

**NOTE: In lieu of a home check in person, you may be asked to send some pictures of your home to [info@lifelineforpets.org](mailto:info@lifelineforpets.org).**

**Include doors to the outside, balcony, condition of window & door screens, and area where you will have cat/s acclimate.**

Name

Birthdate

Email

Address: Street, City, Zip

Cell Phone

Home Phone, if any

Occupation/Employer

How did you hear about us (our website, petfinder, adoptapet, newspaper, etc.)

Is there a certain cat or cats you saw on our website that interested you, or would you be willing to let us choose for you?

Have you fostered previously? Please explain.

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How long can you foster?

Are you willing to foster adult or senior cats (these are our greatest need)?

Are you willing to foster kittens? If so, how many at one time?

Are you willing to foster shy cats (these may require much one on one time and patience, but the need and reward is great)?

Are you willing to foster cats with special needs?

Are you willing to foster 2 cats who are a bonded pair?

Are you able to isolate your fosters for at least 2 weeks upon arrival, so they can acclimate to your home? Where?

Where will your fosters be kept? Where will they stay when you are not home?

How many hours a day will the foster/s be alone?

How many people currently reside in your household?

How many children in the household or who visit often? If so, please give their ages.

Is smoking permitted in the house? If so, does anyone smoke in the house?

Who will be responsible for the cat's care?

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Please list all current pets:

Were your previous or current cats indoor, outdoor, or both?

If your previous pets are no longer with you, please describe what happened. How old were they when they passed, and from what condition?

Are/were your pets spayed/neutered, tested for FIV, current with vaccines and flea care?

Who is/was your veterinarian's name and address?

Do you own or rent your home? If rent, please give landlord's name and phone.

If renting, does lease allow pets?

Will you allow us and potential adopters to visit the foster cat at your home? (This is only if we approve of the potential adopters. And you will be able to arrange the meeting.)

Would you be willing to take the cat to the vet if and when it may be needed?

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Are you, or someone you know, able to post your foster/s on email and/or social media if we provide you with the content?

Do you know how to send pictures and/or videos of your foster to us when requested? It's important to have good, new pictures to draw people's attention.

Will you abide by all animal control laws?

Will you abide by our rules and policies for animal care?

Please name a responsible emergency contact: name, address, phone, relationship.

This is the foster application: "If I am selected to be a foster, I understand that there will be a Foster Agreement that I will need to sign. I can request a copy of the agreement in advance if I am approved."

Please send pictures of your home to [info@lifelineforpets.org](mailto:info@lifelineforpets.org). Include the area where a cat will acclimate and any doors to the outside and garage and balconies, and let us know the condition of window screens.

By signing the application you certify that the answers provided above are true and that you accept the terms stated above.

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