



Adoption Policy

Please fill out this application to the best of your ability. We ask that you intend to care and provide for your chosen pet and in turn let us help you in making it a life-long match. We hope to make adding a new addition to your family an enjoyable experience for you.

We are fortunate and excited to be able to offer the following to you:

Dog adoptions include:

Spay or Neuter

Micro-chipping

Vaccinations including Rabies (4 months and older)

Heartworm Tested (1 yr. and older)

Initial De-worming treatment

Free pet insurance for first month

Free follow-up veterinarian exam

Adopter bag of Merrick from Poudre Pet and Feed

Adoption packet w/discounts and coupons

To help us pay for all of the above expenses, our adoption fees are:

Adults \$225 (6mos.+)

Puppies \$275

Animal House strives to make compatible matches. For this reason, if within 14 days from adoption date there are issues that cannot be resolved, the pet can be returned for a refund less \$25⁰⁰ deposit and its microchip registration fee. However, all animals react differently to new environments. Please be prepared to give your new pet anywhere from weeks to months to adjust to its new home and routine.

Animal House does not permit the adoption of an animal for someone else. We reserve the right to refuse any adoption we consider to be unsatisfactory.

I have read and acknowledge the above adoption policy.

Signature of Adopter: _____

Date: _____

Signature of Animal House Agent: _____

Date: _____



Adoption Application

Dog's Name _____ **Sex** M / F **Approximate age** _____ **Breed:** _____

(First) Name: _____ **(Last) Name:** _____
Phone: (H) _____ **(Cell)** _____
Address: _____ **City:** _____ **ZIP:** _____
Email address: _____ **Are you 21 years or older?** Y / N

Please list two personal references:

Reference Name _____ Phone Number _____ Relationship _____
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HOUSEHOLD INFORMATION

How many adults in the home? _____ What age of children live in the home (or frequently visit)? _____
 Do you currently OWN / RENT / LIVE WITH PARENTS at the above address? (circle one)
 If you are not the property owner, Animal House will verify the residence's current pet policy:
 Landlord Name _____ Landlord Phone Number _____
 Does your home have a fenced yard? Y / N How high is the fence? _____ What material? _____

PREVIOUS AND CURRENT PET INFORMATION

Please list all pets owned in the last 10 years, including current pets and those you no longer own.

Name of Pet	Species	Breed	Gender	Altered?	UTD on Vaccs?	Currently in home?	If no longer in home, what happened to them?
			M / F	Y / N	Y / N	Y / N	
			M / F	Y / N	Y / N	Y / N	
			M / F	Y / N	Y / N	Y / N	
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If you have owned a pet in the last 5 years, you must provide a veterinary reference:

Veterinarian _____ Phone Number _____ Pet Name(s) _____
 Animal House requires verification that all past and current pets have been spayed / neutered & kept up to date on vaccinations.

NEW PET INFORMATION

Reason for desiring a new pet? _____
 Where will your new pet be kept when left alone? (check all that apply)
 loose indoors crated indoors garage fenced yard outdoor kennel other _____
 How many hours, on average, will your pet be left alone each day? _____
 Where will your new pet sleep at night? _____
 What will you do if your new pet chews your belongings or shows undesirable behavior? _____

Do you plan on taking your new pet to obedience classes? Yes No If needed Will train myself

If any, under what circumstances would you consider give up your pet? (check all that apply):

- Divorce Does not like a family member Allergies House Soiling
- Moving Does not like other pets Destructiveness Change in lifestyle
- New Baby Behavior problems Health of pet Other _____

Are you willing to spend money on the adopted pet for further medical care such as: updating or completing its course of vaccinations, dental cleanings if needed, heartworm prevention medication and other medical care through the life of the animal?
 _____ If not, please speak to an adoption coordinator.

The adopter agrees to the following (*please initial box*):

- I understand that AH cannot guarantee the adopted animal's breed, age or history.
- I agree to register the adopted pet's microchip with the appropriate microchip registry at time of adoption. _____ charges a registration fee of _____ payable at time of adoption. No animal is adopted without being micro-chipped.
- I agree to keep a current identification tag attached to a properly fitted collar on the animal at all times, and to obtain the required licensing from local authorities.
- I agree to not allow the adopted animal to roam at large.
- I agree to provide the adopted animal with proper shelter, food, and water.
- I agree that this animal will primarily be an indoor pet and will not be kept in an outside run/pen or any fenced area unsupervised. Our intent is that this animal is a part of the family and not be emotionally or physically neglected.
- I agree to provide the adopted animal with proper veterinary care including vaccinations and heartworm prevention as advised by my veterinarian.
- I agree to not physically alter the adopted animal in any permanent manner such as ear cropping or tail docking.
- I agree not to abuse and/or neglect the adopted animal. It is AH's discretion to determine whether or not the adopted animal has been abused and/or neglected. If abuse and/or neglect is found, AH has the right to take back the animal immediately.
- I understand that the adopted animal is in good health as far as can be determined by AH and that AH is not responsible for any medical fees incurred after the adoption date. AH is an animal shelter and like all other humane societies and animal shelters/rescue, AH does not provide post adoption medical care. To help with potential, unforeseen medical expenses, AH highly encourages adopter to enroll for 30 days of free insurance through 24petwatch. It is not required, but encouraged for your protection against unforeseen medical expenses. I understand that if I do sign up for this insurance, it is my right to cancel or choose continued enrollment after the initial 30 days of coverage.
- I understand that AH does not guarantee the temperament of the adopted animal. AH will be happy to refer me to an animal behaviorist to answer any questions. Potty training advice is always free!
- If for any reason, I can no longer care appropriately for the animal, I agree to notify AH to discuss the matter. If it is decided by AH to be in the best interest of the animal, I will immediately release it into their care.
- I agree to give AH visitation rights to ensure that the terms of this adoption contract are being met.
- I agree that any failure in the aforementioned items constitutes a breach of contract. In the event of any such breach, I authorize AH to reclaim immediate possession and ownership of the adopted animal and no monies will be returned.
- If this contract is breached or I choose to return the adopted animal to AH, I agree to pay all associated costs of returning the adopted animal to AH.
- I agree to notify AH of any telephone number and address changes within 30 days of such a change.

Signature of Adopter

Date:

Animal House Agent

Date: