



Welcome to the Laurie P. Andrews PAWS Center! We are happy you have chosen to adopt from us. We sincerely hope we can be of service to you. Each adoption is an individual match of pet and owner. The answers provided on this application will help guide L.P.A PAWS in determining whether a proposed adoption is an appropriate match. This application is designed to help us determine if the adoption is in the best interest of the animal and to assist the potential adopter to find an animal most compatible with his/her lifestyle. **The final decision is based on many factors and not limited to the answers provided on this application. L.P.A PAWS has no obligation to explain or defend its final decision. Remember - we have the animal's welfare as our foremost consideration.**

Responsible pet ownership requires ongoing expenditures of time and money. You should reasonably expect the annual expense for food, housing, supplies and medical care to cost at least \$300-400 a year. The amount of time and money required will likely increase as the animal ages.

In order to be considered for adoption today, I understand and accept that I must:

- Be 18 years or older
- Have a picture ID with current address
- Have the knowledge and consent of all adults living in the household.
- Be willing to spend the time and money necessary to provide the training, medical treatment, proper care, confinement and licensing of the pet.
- Understand that the Palm Valley Animal Center has the right to deny or approve your adoption application.

Signature of Applicant _____ Date: _____

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Counselor: _____ Date: _____

Approved: _____ Disapproved: _____ Pending: _____

Reason for disapproval: _____

Adoption Application

PRINT ONLY PLEASE

Name: _____ Date: _____

Address: _____ City/State/Zip: _____

PLEASE LIST TWO PHONE NUMBERS

Primary Number: _____ Secondary Number: _____

Email Address: _____

1. Place of employment: _____ Phone: _____

2. Name of Spouse/Roommate: _____

3. Number of people in home: Adults _____ Children _____

a. Ages of child or children in the home: _____

4. Type of dwelling: House / Apartment / Condominium / Other: _____

5. Do you: Rent or Own (circle one)

b. Landlord's Name: _____ Phone: _____

c. Does your landlord allow pets? Yes No

7. Have you had pets in the past 3 years? Yes No

a. If so, please list:

Breed	Age	Neutered/Spayed Y or N	Sex	Still Own? Y or N	What Happened to pet?

8. Is your current pet(s) up to date with their vaccinations? Yes No

9. What is the name of your current veterinarian? _____

10. Is anyone in the household allergic to animals? Yes No

11. Name of pet you are applying for: _____

12. Primary reason for adopting a pet: _____
13. What type of pet are you looking for? _____
14. What attracted you to this pet? _____
15. Where would the pet be during the day? _____
16. Where would the pet be at night? _____
17. Is your yard fenced? Yes No
18. Type of fence/height? _____
19. Animals are as individual as people – are you willing to spend the time and effort it will take to help this pet adjust to your home and lifestyle? Yes No
20. Pets often live 10 years or longer – are you willing to take the responsibility for that amount of time? Yes No
21. Under what circumstances would you not keep this pet? _____

22. If the pet became destructive, what would you do? _____

23. How do you plan to help pet adjust to your home? _____

24. Would you allow our staff to inspect your home? _____
25. It may take your new pet two or more weeks to adjust to its new home, especially if other pets are involved. Are you prepared to allow this much time? Yes No
26. How did you learn about us? _____
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I certify that the above is true and correct; any false information may result in the nullification of the adoption.

Signature _____ **Date:** _____