



West Suburban Humane Society

**Ready to Adopt? Start Here!**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (check one – Home/Cell/Work): \_\_\_\_\_ Are you under 21? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

**What type of pet are you interested in adopting? Check all that apply!**

\_\_\_\_\_ Dog \_\_\_\_\_ Puppy \_\_\_\_\_ Cat \_\_\_\_\_ Kitten

**How experienced do you feel caring for this type of pet?**

- \_\_\_\_\_ No experience – but excited to learn!
- \_\_\_\_\_ Some experience – have had a pet or two before.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Lots of experience – my friends and family consider me an expert!

**How experienced do you feel with providing veterinary care for this type of pet?**

- \_\_\_\_\_ No experience – but looking forward to learning!
- \_\_\_\_\_ Some experience – I have or have had a veterinarian I know I can call.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Lots of experience – I am comfortable giving medication and love my vet!

**VET REFERENCES ARE ALWAYS VERIFIED. IF YOUR PAST OR PRESENT PET DOES NOT HAVE A HISTORY OF ROUTINE VET CARE, PLEASE DO NOT APPLY. ROUTINE VET CARE CAN INCLUDE ROUTINE VACCINES & TESTS, HEARTWORM TESTING, AND MEDICATIONS.**

Who is your veterinarian? \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please list current pets and any pets you've had in the last 10 years**

Dog(s)

Name	Breed	Age Acquired	Length of Ownership	Still with you? If no, please explain

Cat(s)

Name	Breed	Age Acquired	Length of Ownership	Still with you? If no, please explain	Declawed? Check One
					No 2-Paw 4-Paw
					No 2-Paw 4-Paw
					No 2-Paw 4-Paw

Do you (c\ YW one) rent or own an (c\ YW one) apartment, condo, townhome or house? Are you aware of any restrictions (rules from landlord, condo association, etc) that would prevent you from adopting a pet?

No dogs allowed       No cats allowed       Size or breed restrictions  
 Limited number of pets       I don't know       I can have any pet       N/A I own my own house

Landlord Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**How would you describe your household?**

Very quiet – only a few residents and not too many guests.  
 Average – not too quiet but not party animals.  
 Very busy – lots of people are coming in and out!

Total Adults: \_\_\_\_\_ Total Children: \_\_\_\_\_ Ages of Children: \_\_\_\_\_

Hours per day on average that your pet will be alone: \_\_\_\_\_

Where will you keep your pet (check all that apply):  Inside       Outside       Basement       Garage  
 Crate       Other(please explain) \_\_\_\_\_

**FOR DOG ADOPTERS**

**What energy level are you looking for in a new dog?**

High energy (needs lots of exercise, running, etc)  
 Medium energy (daily walks, moderate exercise)  
 Low energy (senior or coach potato – yard time is sufficient)

Describe your yard:  Fenced yard       Invisible Fence       Tie-out       No Fence

**FOR CAT ADOPTERS**

**What activity level are you looking for in a new cat?**

Very active – a cat that will zoom around the house and need lots of playtime!  
 Medium energy – a cat that will enjoy playtime and catnip, but also enjoys naps!  
 Not active – a cat that will spend most of the time napping and snuggling!

**Scratching is a natural behavior for cats. What options will you provide for your cat? Check all that apply!**

Cat Tree/Scratching Post       Catnip/Toys       Trimming Nails/Nail Tips  
 Training       Declaw

*I certify that the information provided is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge. The undersigned, along with those persons accompanying me, assume any risk of injury which may incur as a result of viewing any animal in the custody of West Suburban Humane Society.*

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

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