



## BARRIO DOGS, INC. - FOSTER APPLICATION

All potential foster homes are screened for suitable placement of animals. By submitting this application, you give permission for Barrio Dogs, Inc. to investigate and confirm the information provided. All forms become the property of Barrio Dogs, Inc. Please note that Barrio Dogs, Inc. may refuse placement of an animal for any reason.

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ ("FOSTER")

Address (City, State, Zip): \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Driver's License No. \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby give permission for any veterinarian providing service to me to release medical information on any and all of my animals to a representative of Barrio Dogs, Inc.

Personal Veterinarian (name and phone) \_\_\_\_\_

Have you fostered before? \_\_\_\_\_ For which organization(s)? \_\_\_\_\_

What are your expectations? \_\_\_\_\_

What responsibilities, if any, are you **not** willing to accept? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you willing to commit to fostering the animal until it is adopted? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you understand that Barrio Dogs is unable to project how long the animal may need to be fostered? \_\_\_\_\_

Are there other adults in your household? No \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ (If yes, give their names, ages, occupations, and indicate if each is committed to becoming a foster family:) \_\_\_\_\_

Are there children in your household? No \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ (If yes, give their names and ages:) \_\_\_\_\_

Will any of your children be responsible for caring for your foster dog? No \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ (If yes, please explain:) \_\_\_\_\_

Is anyone in your household allergic to animals? No \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ (If yes, please explain:) \_\_\_\_\_

**Please give a brief history of your experience with dogs:**

How many years have you been involved with dogs? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been bitten or attacked by a dog? No \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ (If yes, please explain:) \_\_\_\_\_

Are you comfortable approaching dogs that you do not know? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ (If no, please explain:) \_\_\_\_\_

Are you willing to assume the risks involved with working with animals who are sometimes frightened and in unfamiliar surroundings may become aggressive? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ (If no, please explain:) \_\_\_\_\_

**Please give a description of your lifestyle:**

Do you \_\_\_ own or \_\_\_ rent your property? For how long? \_\_\_\_\_ (If you rent, do you have permission from your landlord to have pets on the property? yes \_\_\_ no \_\_\_) Does your lease require a pet deposit? \_\_\_\_\_

If so, has this been paid? \_\_\_\_\_ Are there any breed or weight restrictions \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of Manager or Landlord** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone** \_\_\_\_\_

Are there any restrictions as to the number of dogs and /or combination of dogs and cats that you may have at your residence? No \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ I am not aware of any \_\_\_\_\_.

How many pets do you current have in your household? Please provide the age, sex and breed of each. \_\_\_\_\_

Are these pets spayed/neutered? \_\_\_\_\_

Are these pets current on all vaccinations and on heartworm preventative? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you able to keep the foster separated from your personal pets if necessary? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a fenced yard? No \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ (If yes, what type and how high is it?:) \_\_\_\_\_

Does your yard have a covered patio area or shaded areas? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a pool? \_\_\_\_\_ Is the pool area fenced off? \_\_\_\_\_

Are there a lot of children in the neighborhood and/or are you frequently visited by children? No \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_

(If yes, do any of them have access to your yard/kennel/house when you are not at home?) No \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_

(If yes, please explain, taking care to indicate how you intend to prevent them from teasing a dog, letting a dog out either intentionally or by accident, or doing any other thing that might be detrimental to the welfare of a foster dog:) \_\_\_\_\_

Is there anyone home during the day? \_\_\_\_\_

How many hours (approximately) would the foster be alone? \_\_\_\_\_

Where will the foster stay during the day? \_\_\_\_\_

Where will the foster stay at night? \_\_\_\_\_

Do travel frequently? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, how often? \_\_\_\_\_

**Please check the areas of evaluation you are able to provide:**

- \_\_\_\_ Temperament for ordinary household
- \_\_\_\_ Suitability for placement in a home with children ten or older
- \_\_\_\_ With children younger than ten, \_\_\_\_ toddlers, \_\_\_\_ babies \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_ Suitability for placement in a home with other \_\_\_\_ dogs, \_\_\_\_ cats
- \_\_\_\_ Reaction to a variety of experiences
- \_\_\_\_ Suitability for dog sports
- \_\_\_\_ Other (please explain:) \_\_\_\_\_

**Please check the level of training you are able to provide:**

- \_\_\_\_ Socialization (exposing dogs to other dogs, small animals, children, strangers, a variety of experiences, etc.)
  - \_\_\_\_ Housetraining, \_\_\_\_ crate training, \_\_\_\_ walking on a lead
  - \_\_\_\_ Basic training (including sit, down, stay, and heel)
  - \_\_\_\_ More advanced training (such as for a sport, obedience, herding)
- Do you have the experience to handle dogs with severe behavioral problems (such as aggression, separation anxiety, fear biting, etc.)? No \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ (If yes, please explain:) \_\_\_\_\_

Do you understand and agree that adoption of your foster pet MUST go through Barrio Dogs, Inc. adoption process and may not be placed solely by you? \_\_\_\_\_.

Do you agree that if you do find a possible permanent home for your foster pet, you will contact Barrio Dogs, Inc., so that an Barrio Dogs, Inc. representative can contact the potential adopter? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you understand and agree that if you adopt the foster pet you are fostering that you are to pay the applicable adoption fees as set forth by Barrio Dogs, Inc.? \_\_\_\_\_.

Do you understand and agree that if you adopt your foster that you are to carry through with whatever medical attention that your foster requires and you are to also spay/neuter your foster, if not already done so? \_\_\_\_\_.

Do you also understand and agree that Barrio Dogs, Inc. is not responsible or it's members in any way if a foster pet under your care harms or damages you or anyone in your household whether it be family or visitors? \_\_\_\_\_.

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SIGNATURE

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE