



PAWS Owner Surrender Intake Form

PAWS makes every attempt to find safe and loving homes for our orphans. The more accurate and detailed you are on this form, the better able we are to make appropriate placements.

General Information

Date _____ Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ Email _____

Pet's Name _____ Age _____ Sex Male Female Spayed/Neutered Yes No

Cat Dog (circle one) Breed or mix _____

Does your pet have a microchip? Yes No If yes, microchip number _____

Any health problems, allergies, or injuries? Yes No

If yes, please describe _____

Is your pet on any medications? Yes No

If yes, please describe _____

How long has the pet been in your care? _____

When was your pet last seen by a veterinarian? _____

What veterinarian? _____ May we contact this veterinarian for records? Yes No

Where did you initially acquire your pet?

shelter/animal control agency pet store friend/family member other _____

What human family members has your pet lived with (check all that apply):

Adult men Adult women Senior citizens Teenagers Children (what ages) _____

Reasons for Relinquishing Ownership

Reasons for surrendering your dog today (check all that apply):

Behavior (jumping, barking, not house trained, destructive, etc)

Financial (food, veterinary care, training, boarding, etc)

Pet illness

Health of owner

Housing

Moving

Allergies

Changes in family (divorce, new baby, homelessness, etc)

If we could help you with the reason you are surrendering your pet today, would you keep your pet? yes no

If we could help you to re-home your pet would you consider housing him/her until a new home is found? Yes No

If yes, what is the maximum time limit you can house your pet during the search? _____

Would you like us to help you keep your pet today? Yes No

If PAWS was unable to take your pet today, what alternatives would you take advantage of to rehome him/her?

another local rescue organization Columbus Animal Care and Control Friend/family



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Family Environment

Describe your pet's behavior around children (check all that apply):

- Gentle
- Friendly/playful
- Nervous/scared
- Unpredictable
- Ignores or indifferent
- Roughhouses
- Too rough for children
- Snappy at times
- Watches over children
- Too active
- Avoids children/hides
- Has never been around children

Please check all the animals your pet has lived with (check all that apply):

- Male dogs
- Female dogs
- Small animals (what kind)_____
- Cats
- Birds
- Farm animals (what kind)_____
- Reptiles
- Rabbits

Describe your pet's behavior around dogs (check all that apply):

- Never been around dogs
- Roughhouses
- Scared
- Other (please explain)_____
- Bossy
- Submissive
- Friendly/playful
- Aggressive when on leash
- Hides
- Aggressive with dogs

Describe your pet's behavior around cats (check all that apply):

- Never been around cats
- Friendly/playful
- Ignores
- Other (please explain)_____
- Scared
- Hides
- Respectful
- Roughhouses
- Aggressive
- Submissive

Home Environment and Behavior

Where was your pet kept when no human members of your family were home (check all that apply):

- Free run of home
- Crated
- Yard
- Confined to one room
- Tied outside on chain or runner

Other (please explain)_____

Is your dog crate trained? Yes No If yes, how long each day?_____

Is your pet house/litter trained? Yes No

What method of housetraining does your pet know?

- Paper trained/wee wee pads
- Doggy door
- Crate trained
- Bells on door
- Litter box
- Other_____

Does your pet have accidents in the house? Never Rarely Occasionally Often

Has your pet ever bitten anyone? Yes No If yes, please explain _____

Has your pet ever bitten another animal? Yes No If yes, please explain _____



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How does your pet react when someone does the following?

	Friendly	Isn't bothered	Afraid	Barks	Growls	Bites	Unknown
Touches food bowl when eating							
Takes bone, rawhide or treat away							
Takes toy or other object away							
Pushes/pulls pet off furniture							
Gives pet a bath							
Trims pet's nails or touches pet's paws							
Brushes pet's coat							
Holds or restrains pet							
Unfamiliar person approaches your home or yard							
Unfamiliar person approaches you or a family member							
Disturbs pet while sleeping or resting							
When you pick up your pet							

Is your pet afraid of anything? (check all that apply)

- Men
 Teenagers
 Vets/groomers
 Women
 Kids
 Strangers
 Cars
 Vacuum
 Fireworks
 Thunder/lightening
 Bikes/skateboards
 Yelling/loud voices
 Other _____

Has your pet had any behavior training? Yes No If yes, what type of training has your pet had? (check all that apply) Puppy class Home training Obedience training Private training

What behavior or tricks does your pet know? (check all that apply)

- Walks well on leash
 Doesn't jump on people
 Comes when called
 Rollover
 Sit
 Shake/paw
 Off
 Stay
 Down
 Fetch
 Drop
 Other _____

Pet Personality Profile

What is your pet's personality like? (check all that apply)

- Likes to cuddle
 Destructive
 Friendly
 Shy
 Affectionate
 Fearful
 Hyper
 Kneads
 Independent
 Active
 Loves to playful
 Couch potato
 Vocal
 Aggressive



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What type of exercise does your pet get on a regular basis? (check all that apply)

- Leash walks
- Dog park
- Hiking
- Playing in yard
- Other _____
- Running/jogging
- Playing with other dogs
- Playing fetch
- Laser pointer
- Feather toy
- None

What is your pet's favorite toy? (check all that apply)

- Ball
- Frisbee
- Other _____
- Stuffed
- Squeaky
- Catnip
- None

Where does your pet sleep? _____

What does your pet eat? (check all that apply)

- Canned food
 - Dry food
 - Other _____
 - Homemade diet
 - Raw diet
 - Prescription diet
- Favorite treats _____

What do you like most about your pet? _____

What do you like least about your pet? _____

Please provide any information, not included elsewhere in this form, that you would feel would be beneficial in finding an appropriate home for this pet.

To the best of my knowledge, this animal has not bitten anyone within the last 10 days immediately prior to the date of surrender and all information about the animal given by me is true. I understand and hereby certify that (i) I am the true and rightful owner of the animal or animals that I have returned this day to PAWS Humane, (ii) no other person has any right of property in such animal or animals, and (iii) I am conveying full and complete right, title and interest in and to the animal or animals of PAWS Humane.

Signature of Owner _____ Date _____

PAWS Humane Representative _____ Date _____