



1852 North Stevens Street – Rhineland, WI 54501 – 715-362-5992

### FOSTER HOME Application

The Oneida County Humane Society Adoption Center (OCHS-AC) is always in need of foster homes to care for pets until they are adopted. Volunteering to foster requires a commitment of time, love, patience and a desire to help abandoned and unwanted dogs and cats become properly socialized and find permanent, loving homes. It is also a financial commitment to provide appropriate food (puppy/dog/cat/kitten, dry/canned), exercise for dogs, fresh litter for cats, and a healthy, happy environment (warm bedding, toys, attention, etc).

Foster placements may be as short as a few days or a week, or as long as a few months, depending on the age and health of the foster animal and how soon they are adopted. If you prefer shorter or longer stays for your foster animals, or have any other special requests or questions, please let us know.

Applicants that currently have other pets must have a veterinary reference. All members of the prospective foster family must be present or spoken to by an OCHS-AC employee or volunteer either at the home visit or sometime before they pick up the foster animal. All applicants must live in Oneida County and be willing to transport the fostered pet to veterinary appointments and adoption days, if possible. (If a foster cannot transport an animal the OCHS-AC will try to accommodate and provide transportation.) If you rent, you must have written consent from your landlord and provide a copy of the lease agreement stating that you are allowed pets. The OCHS-AC will not allow an animal to be fostered if that person will be or already is over the number of animals allowed at the rental property.

#### **Section I. Foster Home Profile:**

Last Name:		First Name (incl middle initial):	
Last Name:		First Name (incl middle initial):	
Address:		D.L. #	
City, Township, State:		Zip:	
Home Phone:		Work Phone:	
Cell Phone:		Email:	
Please indicate where you live: <input type="checkbox"/> Apartment <input type="checkbox"/> House <input type="checkbox"/> Condo/Townhouse <input type="checkbox"/> Trailer/Mobile Home			
How long have you lived at this address?		Do you..... <input type="checkbox"/> Rent <input type="checkbox"/> Own	
Landlord's Name:		Landlord's Phone:	
# of All Adults Living in Home		Ages:	
# of All Children Living in Home		Ages:	
Is someone home during the day?		Who?	
Who cares for the pets when you are not at home?			



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Fostering is as much fun as it is work! Do you have any concerns, preferences, etc. that you would like to share that will enable us to place foster pets that are best suited to your family/household situation?

Please list other pets currently living in the home:

Name of Companion Animal	Breed/Species	Indoor/Outdoor/Both	Age	Sex	Spayed/Neutered?	Declawed (please circle one)	How long have you owned?
						None Front All Four	
						None Front All Four	
						None Front All Four	
						None Front All Four	
						None Front All Four	
						None Front All Four	
Veterinarian & Phone #:							

If you do not have any pets, what is your experience with animals?

Please describe the space you have available for fosters. (You must have a space where you can isolate fosters from other pets):


Are you able to travel for vet appointments? Spay/Neuter appointments? To pick up medications?

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Do you have current automobile insurance? Y N

Are you able to bring the foster pets to adoption events once they are ready for adoption?

\_\_\_ Yes, I can drop them off before the event and pick them up afterwards.

\_\_\_ Yes, I can bring fosters in for adoption and would like to stay for all/part of the time to help with adoptions.



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**Section II. Foster Animal Profile:**

I am willing to foster (check all that apply):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> A pregnant cat (requires special care)   | <input type="checkbox"/> Mother cat w/ litter of kittens |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A pregnant dog (requires special care)   | <input type="checkbox"/> Mother dog w/ litter of puppies |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Orphaned kittens (require special care)  | <input type="checkbox"/> Injured or ill cat/kitten       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Orphaned puppies (require special care)  | <input type="checkbox"/> Injured or ill dog/puppy        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Kittens requiring a lot of socialization (stressed, semi-feral with potential, etc.)             |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Adult Cats   | <input type="checkbox"/> Elderly Cat                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Adult Dogs   | <input type="checkbox"/> Elderly Dog                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cats requiring a lot of socialization (stressed, semi-feral with potential, etc.)                |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dogs requiring a lot of socialization (stressed, behavioral concerns, in need of training, etc.) |  |

How **often** are you available to foster kittens or puppies? (Don't forget about vacations, seasonal out-of-town homes, etc.)

Have you fostered for any other facility or organization? Y N

If yes, where & when? \_\_\_\_\_

I attest that the information I have provided is accurate and truthful. I authorize the Oneida County Humane Society to verify any/all of the information given herein. I also authorize the veterinarian I have listed to release any information necessary for this application. I authorize a volunteer or employee of the Oneida County Humane Society Adoption Center to perform a home inspection.

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Signature of Applicant

Date:

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