



Foster Care Agreement

Foster Name

Age (must be 18+)

Phone Number

Address

City

Zip Code

Email Address

Driver's License #

State

Please select other members of your household: Circle all that apply

Spouse/Significant Other

Roommate(s)

Parent(s)

Children Under 6

Children Over 6

Housing Information- You currently reside in a:

and you:

House Apartment Townhome/Condo Duplex Other

Rent

Own

*If you rent, please provide your landlord's name and phone number: _____

Personal Pet Information:

What animals and how many of each currently reside in your home?

Dogs: _____ Cats: _____ Other: _____

Are your pets up-to-date on vaccinations? YES NO

Are your pets currently on any medications? If so, please list:

Do you have a current vet we can contact as a reference?

Name of Clinic: _____

Phone Number: _____

Please describe the area in which your foster(s) will be living:

Please describe any skills or experience that you have related to animal care:

Do you have any preferences when it comes to foster animals you would like in your home:

Please read through each item and initial indicating you accept these terms and conditions.

As a Foster for HSNU, you hereby agree to:

- Provide a foster home for a foster animal until he or she has been adopted.
- Provide shelter, fresh water, wholesome food, adequate exercise and loving attention to the foster animal.
- Keep all HSNU identification tags and microchip on the foster animal for the entire foster period.
- Track the foster animal and its weight, appearance, and overall health.
- Alert their Foster Coordinator immediately if the foster animal becomes ill or injured.
- Return the foster animal to HSNU when the foster period ends. If the Foster Parent must or is required to return the foster animal before the foster period has elapsed, the Foster Parent will contact HSNU and keep the foster animal until HSNU arranges to retrieve the animal or place the animal in another foster home.
- When a foster dog is outdoors, provide the dog with a secure fenced area, including shelter from the elements.
- Never tie up or chain the foster animal at any time.
- Never leave the foster animal in a car for an extended period of time, and never in the hot summer months for any amount of time without air conditioning.
- Provide transportation to veterinary appointments adoption events once the animal is approved. You must find transportation for your fosters if you can't get them to the adoption event and vet care.
- Keep the foster animal under control, either on a leash or within the confines of a fenced area, when the foster animal is outdoors.
- Keep a foster cat indoors at all times.
- All HSNU property must be returned to HSNU at the end of the foster period.
- In the event a foster animal is impounded by an animal care and control agency, the Foster Parent agrees to ask the officers to scan the animal immediately for a microchip and to call HSNU.

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HSNU agrees to:

- Pay the fees for care at a pre-approved veterinary clinic.
- Supply food to the Foster Parent for the foster animal if the Foster Parent is unable to do so.
- Support the foster in their endeavor to successfully prepare foster animals for adoption.

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LIFETIME COMMITMENT AND EUTHANASIA:

HSNU makes a lifetime commitment to its animals. If the Foster Parent should be unable or unwilling to care for the animal, he or she shall contact HSNU immediately so that HSNU may take possession of the animal. The Foster Parent shall not under any circumstances abandon, give away, allow to run away, surrender to a shelter or animal care and control or law enforcement officials, or euthanize or have euthanized any animal that he or she has received from HSNU. If a licensed veterinarian recommends euthanasia, the Foster Parent agrees to notify HSNU before the euthanasia and speak directly with their coordinator.

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SEIZURE AND IMPOUNDMENT OF THE ANIMAL:

If the animal shall, for any reason, be picked up by local law enforcement or animal control, the Foster Parent will immediately contact HSNU and inform them that the animal has been picked up and impounded and give the animal's location. The Foster Parent shall also inform the authorities holding the animal that the animal is the property of HSNU and provide contact information for HSNU to the authorities, and request that the authorities contact HSNU immediately. Under no circumstances will the Foster Parent agree to or allow the euthanasia of the animal.

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NO REPRESENTATIONS:

The Foster Parent understands that HSNU does not guarantee the health, temperament, or training of the foster animal.

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TERMINATION:

The agreement may be terminated by HSNU at any time, and by the Foster Parent in which case the foster animal must be returned to HSNU. Upon notice of termination by either party, the Foster Parent will keep the animal safe and continue to house and care for the animal as required by this agreement until arrangements can be made for return of the animal to HSNU. The Foster Parent agrees to cooperate in these efforts, including helping with necessary arrangements for the safe return of the animal to HSNU.

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NOT ASSIGNABLE:

This agreement is not assignable by the Foster Parent to any persons or organizations.

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PHOTOGRAPHIC AND AUDIO RELEASE:

The Foster Parent expressly grants HSNU permission to make photographic, video or audio recordings of the Foster Parent with the foster animal or during participation in an event sponsored by HSNU or any other event. This includes, but is not limited to, any royalties, proceeds or other benefits derived from such photographs or recordings. The Foster Parent understands and agrees that HSNU may use these photographs or recordings to promote HSNU and its mission, including for HSNU events and work for fundraising and other purposes that HSNU decides is appropriate.

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RELEASE:

The Foster Parent, and for his/her spouse, heirs, executors, personal representatives and assigns, agrees never to bring a claim or suit against the Humane Society of Northern Utah. The Foster Parent releases HSNU and its directors, founders, employees, officers, agents, representatives, contractors, volunteers, successors and assigns from all liability arising from the behavior or actions of the foster animal.

The Foster Parent understands that this agreement discharges HSNU and its directors, founders, employees, officers, agents, representatives, contractors, volunteers, successors and assigns from any liability to the Foster Parent and his/her spouse, heirs, executors, and assigns, with respect to bodily injury, personal injury, illness, amputation, scarring, death, property damage or other loss that may result from the behavior or activities of the foster animal. The Foster Parent releases HSNU and discharges HSNU and its directors, founders, employees, officers, agents, representatives, contractors, volunteers, successors and assigns from any liability for HSNU's own negligence or liability that may result in bodily injury, personal injury, illness, amputation, scarring, death, property' damage or other loss to the Foster Parent.

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INDEMNITY AGREEMENT:

The Foster Parent, and for his/her spouse, heirs, executors, personal representatives, and assigns, agrees to indemnify and hold HSNU harmless for all bodily injury, personal injury, illness, amputation, scarring, death, property damage or other losses, including attorney's fees and costs of litigation, that result to anyone else or any other entity because of the Foster Parent's negligence or liability. This includes lone acts or omissions by the Foster Parent as well as the combined acts of the Foster Parent with others.

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CHANGE OF ADDRESS:

If the Foster Parent moves, he or she agrees to contact HSNU with change of address information, so that all records can be updated and microchip information can be changed.

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OTHER:

The Foster Parent expressly agrees that the releases and indemnity agreement are intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by law. The Foster Parent agrees that in the event that any clause or provision of this agreement shall be held to be invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, the invalidity of such clause or provision shall not otherwise affect the remaining provisions of this agreement. This is the entire agreement between the parties and supersedes any other verbal or written statements, representatives, or promises.

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Signing below indicates that you hereby agree to the terms and conditions of this contract and release your information to be used exclusively for the purposes of this organization. HSNU will not release or use this information for any other purpose or organization. Your signature confirms that the information provided is accurate and complete to your knowledge.

Signature: _____

Date: _____