



The Hudson County Animal League Dog Adoption Survey

To be considered for an adoption you must:

- Be at least 18 years old Have the consent of all adults living in your household Have valid ID with current address

Name: (Please Print) _____ Date: _____
Last Name First Name

Address: _____
Street City/State Zip

Phone: (Home) _____ (Cell) _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Do You: Work Work from Home Homemaker Attend School

Do You Live In: House Condo/Townhouse Apartment Dorm

Do You: Rent Own Live with Parents

Landlord's Name/Phone: _____

How Long at Current Address: _____ Years _____ Months

If less than one year, please list previous address:

How Long There: _____ Years _____ Months

Address: _____
Street City/State Zip

Previous Landlord's Name/Phone: _____

Please provide the following information about your household:

Number of adults (over 18 years) _____ Number of children _____ Ages of children _____

Why would you like to adopt a pet from us?

Companion Companion for other pet For children Gift Guard Dog Other _____

Who will be primarily responsible for the care (feeding, grooming, exercise, training) of your new pet?

Adults Children Pet Sitter Other _____

How many pets do you have now? _____ Dogs _____ Cats _____ Other

How many pets have you had in the last 10 years? _____ Dogs _____ Cats _____ Other

Have you ever adopted an animal from the Hudson County Animal League:

No Yes If Yes, please list: _____

Your Name: _____

Please list any pets you now have or have had in the past:

Name	Type	Age	Sex		Spayed/Neutered		Why you no longer have
			M	F	Yes	No	
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
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_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Are your current pets up to date with their shots? Yes No - explain: _____

Are your current pets licensed in your town? Yes No - explain: _____

Veterinarian Contact Information:

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Do any members of your household have allergies? Yes No

How much time will your pet be alone (without human companionship)? _____ Hours _____ Days a week

Do you have a fenced yard? Yes No

If you do not have a fenced yard, are you prepared to walk your dog multiple times a day in all types of weather? Yes No

How much time each day do you plan to devote to exercising your new pet? _____

Where will your dog stay during the day?

Inside (house) Inside (garage/porch) Outside (dog house) Outside

Where will your dog stay at night?

Inside (house) Inside (garage/porch) Outside (dog house) Outside

Describe how you will house train your new pet: _____

How will you discipline/correct your pet if they do something wrong? _____

Do you have contingency plans in place for your new pet if something were to happen to you? Yes No

I hereby release to the Hudson County Animal League access to all veterinary and town license records of any and all animals I own or have owned. I certify that all the information in this application is true and I understand that false information may void this application. I also accept the terms of the attached HCAL Adoption Agreement.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Adoption Counselor: _____

Date: _____

All adoptions are finalized at the discretion of the Adoption Coordinator. HCAL reserves the right to refuse any adoption. Completing this application in no way guarantees acquisition of a pet. HCAL has completed a veterinary check, spayed/neutered and updated the vaccinations of the animal; however, we do not guarantee the future health or temperament of any animal.

HUDSON COUNTY ANIMAL LEAGUE ADOPTION POLICY

Adoption approval will be determined by the information provided by the Adoption Application form and by the judgment of the Adoption Coordinator.

1. If it has not already been done, adopters must agree to spay or neuter all dog and cats. Arrangements will be made at the time of the adoption through the League's low cost spay/neuter program.
2. No animals will be adopted out for profit-making or commercial purposes, excluding humanitarian agencies.
3. Regarding animals that require frequent feeding or medication, adopters must agree that such animals will not be left unattended longer than the specified amount of time.
4. Adopters shall be encouraged not to transfer to another owner or otherwise dispose of the adopted animal(s), but rather to return the unwanted animal(s) to the League.
5. Persons living in rented or leased quarters must have permission of the rental agent/landlord to adopt a pet or give evidence that a pet is permitted under the lease agreement.
6. Persons who are in a transient status are ineligible to adopt a pet (Example: a student living on a campus).
7. Adopters must be willing to maintain all adopted animals in accordance with the licensing and other laws of the community in which the owner lives.
8. Responsible adopting persons must be 18 years of age or older.
9. Adopters must agree not to have cosmetic surgery performed, such as cropping of ears or docking of tails for dogs.
10. Adopters must agree not to have cats declawed.
11. No one under the influence of alcohol or drugs shall be allowed to adopt a pet.
12. Adopters must agree that the adopted pet will not be used as a gift without the permission of the person receiving the gift and the head of the household.
13. No animal will be adopted to prospective owners intending to breed the animal, who have an extensive history of losing, giving away, selling animals, or having pets injured or killed by moving vehicles.
14. No animals will be adopted to prospective owners who mislead or fail to provide accurate data on their Adoption Application.
15. The Hudson County Animal League reserves the right to reject any or all applications.

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