



**CLAWS Cat Rescue &
CLAWS Furrever Home Sanctuary**
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Cats Lives Are Worth Saving



Foster Home Application

We reserve the right to refuse any foster applicant for any reason. Please read and complete both sides of this application; a CLAWS representative will contact you to discuss your application and answer any questions you may have. Thank you for your interest in fostering a CLAWS cat or kitten!

Name: _____ Phone _____

Address: _____ City _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____ Alternate
phone: _____

Thank you for applying to become a cat/kitten foster parent! Although we have a shelter, foster homes are still needed for cats and kittens that are not yet available for adoption due to their age, medical status, pregnancy, etc. No prior experience with cats or fostering is required, although experience as a cat owner or shelter volunteer will help with the foster experience. Our fosters are invaluable to the health and development of cats/kittens in order to prepare them for new homes; CLAWS will provide food and cover costs of any APPROVED medical care for foster cats/kittens. You will need to provide litter.

I am interested in providing foster care for the following:

Kittens _____ **Mother Cats w/kittens** _____ **Bottle Babies** _____ **Pregnant Cats** _____ **All** _____

Is there a limit to the length of time you can keep your fosters? Yes ___ **No** ___

If yes, How long? _____

Foster Responsibilities

- * Providing a safe and loving temporary home.
- * Monitoring the cat's health, discussing any medical concerns with CLAWS, obtaining authorization from CLAWS for necessary medical care, taking the cat to AUTHORIZED vet appointments.
- * Monitoring the cat's behavior and seeking advice from CLAWS to address any concerns.
- * Following CLAWS recommendations on socializing and integrating the cat/kittens (or isolating the cat/kitten) within your house as appropriate.
- * Abiding by CLAWS' adoption policies. If you want to keep a foster that has been in your care, you MUST complete the adoption process including completing an Adoption Application and pay the adoption fee.
- * Transporting foster cats/kittens to adoption events. These are held on Saturdays from 10 am to 3 pm
- * Allowing a CLAWS representative to come to your home periodically to check on foster cats/kittens in your care.
- * Following the CLAWS cat/kitten manuals instructions.

FOSTER HOME ENVIRONMENT

Do you rent or own your residence? _____ If you rent, does your lease allow pets? _____

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

Are your family members supportive of fostering? Yes _____ No _____ No other family members _____

If there are children in your home, please list their ages: _____

Is there anyone in your home allergic to cats? Yes ___ No ___

If yes, how will you manage the allergies? _____

Do you have a separate room where you could temporarily isolate or slowly introduce a foster cat/kitten to your home? Yes ___ No ___

If no, how will you manage the introduction to the new environment?

Other Pets in the Foster Home

Do you currently have pets? Yes ___ No ___ If yes, please identify the type of pet(s) and ages _____

Are your pets spayed/neutered? Yes ___ No ___ Are they kept indoors? Yes ___ No ___

How do your pets react to cats? Friendly ___ Aggressive ___ Don't know ___

Do your pets have any health issues that could affect fosters? Yes ___ No ___ If yes, please explain:

If there are no other pets in the foster home:

Have you had pets in the past? Yes ___ No ___

If yes, what kind? Cats ___ Dogs ___ Other ___ Where are the pets now? _____

By my signature below I acknowledge the following:

- I have filled out the application honestly and thoroughly
- I have read and understand the responsibilities of being a foster home for CLAWS and agree to abide by CLAWS Requirements in my foster home environment.
- I understand and agree that CLAWS has the right to inspect my foster home upon request, and they may Remove fosters from my home at any time for any reason.
- I am 18 years of age or older.

Applicant

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Application Review Date: _____

Approved: YES ___ NO ___ BY _____