

ADOPTION APPLICATION



PERSONAL INFORMATION

First Name Last Name

Address City State Zip Code

Phone Number Secondary Number Email Address

By providing your email address, you are consenting to receive further communication from the Greenville Humane Society.

Name of pet you are applying for: _____ Who will be the primary caretaker of the animal? _____

Are you at least 18 years of age or older? _____

HOUSEHOLD INFORMATION

Where do you live? CIRCLE ONE: HOUSE APARTMENT
CHECK ONE: I RENT I OWN I LIVE WITH MY PARENTS

If you rent:
Are you aware of your pet policy? YES or NO

When you are not home, where will your pet be confined? _____

HISTORY OF ANIMAL OWNERSHIP

Have you owned a dog before? _____ Have you owned a cat before? _____

Do you have any other pets at home? _____ If yes, what kind and how many? _____

Would you be interested purchasing Heartworm and Flea prevention? Circle one: YES or NO

Heartworm disease is a painful and life-threatening condition which is very expensive to treat. The disease is spread by mosquitos and SC has one of the highest rates of heartworm disease in the United States. Over a few months, worms grow inside the infected animal's heart and ultimately cause cardiac arrest or organ failure. The condition can be prevented by including heartworm prevention with your monthly flea medication. We offer many types of heartworm prevention at a reduced cost ranging from \$6.00 - \$23.00 per dose.

We'll explain your new pet's medical history and behavioral history. Check any additional topics that you would like for us to discuss:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Feeding your pet | <input type="checkbox"/> Grooming/Nail Trimming | <input type="checkbox"/> Heartworm Prevention |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Housing your pet | <input type="checkbox"/> Exercise, toys & fun activities | <input type="checkbox"/> Finding a trainer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Housetraining/Litter box training | <input type="checkbox"/> Introducing your new pet to other pets | <input type="checkbox"/> Declawing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Crate-training | <input type="checkbox"/> Finding a Veterinarian | <input type="checkbox"/> Moving with pets |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Puppy/Kitten-proofing your home | <input type="checkbox"/> Flea/Tick Prevention | <input type="checkbox"/> Microchips/ID |

Thank you so much for your interest in adopting a pet from the Greenville Humane Society. Please date and sign below so we can celebrate the day you adopted your new family member.

_____/_____/_____
X _____



Please be aware that the Greenville Humane Society houses a large number of animals in our facility in order to fulfill our mission, which is to provide loving homes for homeless animals through our adoption facility. Our shelter is very full of animals, the majority of which are young puppies and kittens whose immune systems are not fully developed yet. Therefore, diseases are a major concern at the shelter even though we work to manage all illnesses to the best of our abilities. Some examples of diseases that animals may contract while at a shelter include, but are not limited to: Parvo, Upper Respiratory Infection, Kennel Cough, Pneumonia, Coccidia, Giardia, Distemper, Panleukopenia, Intestinal Parasites, Fleas, and Ticks. If any animal presents signs or symptoms of sickness while in the shelter, our staff will immediately isolate the animal from the other adoptable animals and begin treatment.

We recommend that any animal adopted from our shelter be taken to a veterinarian as soon as possible to be thoroughly examined. Once an animal has been adopted from our shelter, we are no longer licensed to perform medical treatment. We provide no warranties or guarantees regarding the health of our animals given our high-volume intake, many of which have unknown histories. We do our best to provide the healthiest animals possible for adoption. Our staff will assist in answering any questions or concerns that you may have.

By signing this, I agree that I have read and fully understand this notice (a copy of this notice will be available in my adoption folder). I understand that once I adopt this pet it is my, _____ (your name), responsibility to take my pet to a veterinarian for an examination and I will incur all veterinary expenses regarding my new pet.

Signature

Date

GHS Representative