

# Whis-Purr Rescue, Inc. Adoption Application

If you are interested in adopting, please fill in **ALL** responses and email it to: [adopt@whis-purr.org](mailto:adopt@whis-purr.org) , give it to one of Whis-Purr Rescue Volunteers or leave it for us at the "Adoption Center"

**NOTE: If ANY responses are left blank, your application will be returned to fill in completely.**

**We place our cats/kittens with the home that is the best fit for them. Not all animals are good in all homes, whether it's their personalities, nature, or breed. We base our decision on what's best for the cat/kittens and the family. Thanks for understanding! (Adoption Fee is to be paid by cash.)**

## NAME OF CAT(S)/KITTEN(S) YOU WANT TO ADOPT:

Name:                      Driver's License#:

Address:                  City:                  State:                  ZIP:

Home phone:              Cell phone:              E-mail:

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Name and phone number of the vet you have had within the last 10 years (Please call them ahead of time so they will know we are calling. If your vet has your dog/cat under your maiden name, please give us that name as well. Thanks:

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Please list two personal references (name/phone number):

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Place of employment:

Hours a day you work:

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How much time will the animal be left alone?

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Do you plan on your new cat/kitten to be **INDOOR ONLY?**  Yes  No or **INDOOR/OUTDOOR?**  Yes  No

Explain:

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Where will the cat(s)/kitten(s) be kept at night?

During the day?

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Who else lives in the residence with you? (If any children, what are their ages?)

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Does anyone in your home have cat allergies? If yes, how is it managed?

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Why did you choose him/her and how will you provide a good home?

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When are you prepared to adopt the animal you are applying for?

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Do you have any prior experience with cats? Please Explain:

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What problems would cause you to have to return this pet?

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Do you have any other pets currently? Yes No

If so please give their names & breeds:

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Ages? Male? Yes No Female? Yes No Are they spayed/neutered? Yes No

Please describe their personalities.

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Have you ever surrendered a pet to a shelter/rescue? Please explain.

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Is your family willing to allow time for the cat(s)/kitten(s) to adjust to its new home?

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Are you planning on having the cat declawed? Yes No

If so, please explain?

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Do you: Own / Rent Home / Condo / Apartment City / Suburban / Rural

If you rent, do you have permission from your landlord for a pet? Yes No

If you have a condo, does your condo association permit you to have a pet? Yes No

Please provide landlord/condo association's phone number:

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How long at this residence?

What type of fencing if any?

Have you ever been in a situation where you surrendered a dog/cat to a shelter or rescue or re-homed he/she such as with a family member or friend? Please explain.

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Please describe your household. (ie: active, quiet, noisy, energetic, etc.)

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Who will be providing the majority of the care for this animal?

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In the event you have to move from your home or apartment, what are your plans for your cat(s)/kitten(s)?

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How did you hear about us?

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Are you aware that we are available to work with you through any behavior issue or problem that may arise with your cat/kitten and that you should contact us immediately with concerns and not before it has become too big an issue. Yes No

Are you aware that if for any reason you can no longer take care of the animal, he/she is to be returned to us? Yes No

Are you aware that if you have adopted a bonded pair that if you need to surrender, both cats/kittens need to be returned? Yes No

Whis-Purr will make every effort towards the adoption of the cat(s)/kitten(s) I am requesting, pending my application approval, but I do understand that this application does not guarantee the adoption of the one that I am applying for. Yes No

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**Note:** Adding a new member to your family is a big decision—a life-long commitment. Please discuss this decision with your entire family. We would like everyone to be excited about the new addition(s) and would like all family members to be included in meeting the cat(s)/kitten(s) together.