Adoption Information

Thank you for your interest in adopting from Angels 4 Paws Animal Rescue. Angels 4 Paws' mission is to enhance the lives of animals at the shelters and save precious souls by placing them in foster care while actively seeking permanent and loving homes. YOU are an integral part of our mission.

Below you will see a list of **Frequently Asked Questions** about the adoption process. If there is a question or concern that is not addressed here, please reach out via email (on our contact form from our website www.Angels4Paws.us) and/or email the Executive Board member that sent you this form.

We look forward to working with you.

FAQ:

1. I have completed my application, now what?

Your application will be reviewed and you will hear from us within 7 days for further details.

2. I already have pets, does that mean I can NOT adopt?

NO! We do have some dogs and cats that work well with other animals so we will find the right pet for your needs. Please expect an initial meet and greet at an alternative location (other than your home) prior to the final adoption.

3. Will you be doing a home check?

YES! We will visit and speak with you at your home prior to completing the adoption process. If you have a pet, this would be the time for a meet and greet.

4. How much will adopting cost me?

Please see our "Info on Fostering and Adopting" tab on our website for current prices. Please keep in mind that we have already paid to have the pet altered and microchipped. You will pay your adoption fee when we drop off your new family member.

5. Will the pet(s) I am adopting be ill or need routine medical attention?

While **Angels 4 Paws** does sometimes have pets that have medical needs, during the adoption process we would discuss the right pet(s) for you. If you are unable to provide that kind of attention, then we will discuss a different pet(s) for you.

6. Will the pet be spayed or neutered? Will I be responsible for these costs?

Yes, all of our pets have been altered prior to their adoption. When we bring animals into our rescue, we complete a general physical exam. We treat all issues and will disclose all health information to adopters.

7. Will my adoptive pet already have training?

Angels 4 Paws does encourage our foster families to use basic training techniques, but in most cases we recommend continued training. If needed, we can provide some references for you.

8. Can I rename my adoptive pet(s)?

Of course! Please keep in mind that the licensing may be tied to the original name, so make sure when speaking with your county licensing agency, you are clear about the name, breed, etc. so they do not think you are talking about different pets and you receive multiple annual renewals for the same dog.

9. Can I return my pet if things are not going well?

You are required to reach out to us if you need to rehome your pet(s). We do ask that you allow the animal a minimum of **ONE** month in your home to decompress and get used to their new environment before considering "returning" the pet to our care. To be clear, you are **NOT** permitted to rehome this pet on your own without our knowledge or approval.