

DOG ADOPTION SURVEY



Pet's Name: _____ Time: _____ Today's Date: _____

We are thrilled you are considering adoption! In order to apply you must:

- Be at least 18 years of age
- Have consent of the entire household and/or landlord
- Understand that we want to find the right pet for your family and may suggest a different pet

Initial Screening Questions

Have you ever been accused, investigated, arrested, or convicted of any violent crime against a person or animal? Including animal neglect.	___ Yes ___ No
Has anyone in the household in which the Great Plains SPCA animal will be adopted been accused, investigated, arrested, or convicted of any violent crime against a person or animal? Including animal neglect.	___ Yes ___ No
Do you agree to present a current photo identification and consent to Great Plains SPCA running a background check on ALL adults over the age of 18 living in the home as it deems necessary as a part of our adoption's screening process?	___ Yes ___ No

You and Your Household

Name: _____ Preferred Pronouns: _____

Street Address: _____

City/State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone 1: () _____ Phone 2: () _____

Email: _____ DL#: _____

I live in a:	___ Single-family Home	___ Townhouse or Condo	___ Apartment
I currently:	___ Own	___ Rent	___ Live at a relative's/friend's home
			Landlord's # (if applicable): () _____
Are you adopting this pet as a gift for someone?			___ Yes ___ No
Are there children who visit your home?			___ Yes ___ No
Has anyone ever threatened harm or harmed your pets?			___ Yes ___ No
Has anyone ever threatened harm or harmed you?			___ Yes ___ No
Do you feel safe going home?			___ Yes ___ No
Are there additional people living in the home? If yes, please provide the name(s) and date(s) of birth of each additional person living in your household on the top portion of the next page.			___ Yes ___ No

The Pet's Environment

What behaviors or circumstances will you NOT tolerate in your new pet?

___ House training problems	___ Aggression	___ Allergies	___ Problems with other pets
___ Health issues with dog	___ Destructiveness	___ Vet costs over \$_____/year	
Other: _____			

When you are not home, where will the dog stay? _____

When you are home, where will the dog be? _____

I hereby declare that all the information I have provided is true & correct. I am aware that missing or incomplete information, whether deliberate or the result of negligence may render any adoption with Great Plains SPCA null & void. I understand that any animals adopted as a bonded pair shall be returned together. If, for any reason, one of the animals does not work out and must be returned, both animals shall be returned.

Signature: _____

By initialing below, I agree to present a current photo identification and consent to Great Plains SPCA running a background check on ALL adults over the age of 18 living in the home, as it deems necessary as a part of our adoption's screening process.

Members of Your Household	Date of Birth	Signer Initials	ID Present?
Full Name: _____	____/____/____		___Y ___N
Full Name: _____	____/____/____		___Y ___N
Full Name: _____	____/____/____		___Y ___N

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Do you have any children (under 18) in your life that you would want to be around the dog? _____

What type of experience have you had with pets? _____

If you have had pets in the past, what happened to them? _____

Are there any pets in the household now or that visit the household? If so, tell us about them. _____

Review "What behaviors or circumstances will you not tolerate" section from front of survey and advise on management techniques to prevent undesirable behaviors. _____

What about having a/this dog are you most excited about? _____

What are you hesitant or worried about in bringing a/this dog home? _____

Tell us about your lifestyle...Are you active hikers or enjoy a quieter life? _____

Do you have a plan for unexpected medical needs/emergencies? _____

Can we provide additional info on training, medical, food, preventative? _____

What is it about this/a pet that makes you want to adopt? _____

Do you have any upcoming life-changes? If so, how do you plan to accommodate your pet during these changes? _____

ADDITIONAL NOTES:

Dog-to-Dog Needed? ___ Yes ___ No