



CUYAHOGA COUNTY ANIMAL SHELTER

Adoption Survey



Name:	Phone:	
Address:		
City:	State, Zip:	
E-mail Address:		

	Criteria	Answer	Comments
1	I have owned a dog before ...	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
2	The last time I had a dog was...	<input type="checkbox"/> Currently <input type="checkbox"/> Within the past year <input type="checkbox"/> 2-10 years ago <input type="checkbox"/> 10+ years ago	
3	My dog needs to get along with other dogs...	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
4	My dog needs to be good with...	<input type="checkbox"/> Children under 9 <input type="checkbox"/> Children over 9 <input type="checkbox"/> Other Animals	
5	My dog will primarily be an...	<input type="checkbox"/> Inside dog <input type="checkbox"/> Outside dog	
6	My dog needs to be able to be alone (per day)...	<input type="checkbox"/> 4 hours or less <input type="checkbox"/> 4-8 hours <input type="checkbox"/> 8-12 hours <input type="checkbox"/> 12+ hours	
7	When I'm not at home, my dog will spend his/her time...	<input type="checkbox"/> In the garage <input type="checkbox"/> In a crate in the house <input type="checkbox"/> In the yard <input type="checkbox"/> Loose in the house <input type="checkbox"/> Confined to one room in the house	
8	I want a guard dog.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
9	I want my dog to be laid back.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
10	I want my dog to be playful.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
11	I am interested in a dog with "special needs" (medical or behavioral)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
12	I own my home.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
13	I have a fenced in yard.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
14	Someone in the home has allergies	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
15	I have given away a pet in the past	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Explain:

I have read the Cuyahoga County Animal Shelter Adoption Procedure sheet. I understand that dog ownership is a major responsibility and I am prepared to make the lifetime commitment to proper care, housing, training, yearly veterinary attention and yearly purchase of a dog license.

I understand that my adopted dog be spayed/neutered. If surgery must be performed at a later time, I agree to return the dog as scheduled and not relinquish ownership of the dog without first contacting the Cuyahoga County Animal Shelter.

Signature

Date



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Pre-Adoption Agreement, Release and Waiver of Right to Sue



Name:		Phone:	
Address:			
City:		State, Zip:	

Pre-Adoption Agreement for:						
Date:						

I, _____ (print name), by signing this document, hereby agree to accept all of the risks and responsibilities associated with my participation in *pre-adoption activities* involving an animal from the Cuyahoga County Animal Shelter (the "Shelter"). By placing my initials next to each requirement below and by affixing my signature at the end of this document, I hereby certify that I will be in compliance with each requirement, as follows:

_____ I understand that the Shelter makes no guarantees of the health, habits, temperament or any other fact about the animal.

_____ I understand that my pet may have an illness that is not immediately apparent, that the Shelter is not responsible for veterinary care should the animal have illness.

_____ I do hereby fully and forever waive, release, and discharge for myself, my estate, heirs, executors, and assigns, the Shelter, and its respective officials, officers, administrators, employees, agents, volunteers, or any other persons or entities involved in the organization, from any and all losses, damages, or claims whatsoever, including any and all personal injuries or damages arising directly or indirectly from pre-adoption activities involving an animal from the Shelter, whether said losses, damages, or claims are caused, directly or indirectly, by or related to a known or unknown risk or hazard, and whether they are caused by a negligent act or acts, regardless of the degree of negligence.

_____ I have read and understand this Release and Waiver of Right to Sue. I acknowledge the terms and conditions of the Release and Waiver of Right to Sue and agree to be legally bound by the terms and conditions set forth herein. Further, I indemnify and hold harmless the Shelter, its officials, administrators, agents, employees, or volunteers or any other person from any and all losses, damages, or claims whatsoever, including any and all personal injuries or damages, arising from pre-adoption activities involving an animal from the Shelter.

_____ **Signature**

_____ **Date**