



# Foster Care Contract

Name \_\_\_\_\_

1. All fostered animals remain the property of the Providence Animal Rescue League (PARL). I cannot sell, give away, or loan out a foster animal.
2. I understand that I am acting as a foster home in PARL's best interest and will follow their guidelines and procedures. I will follow the rules that PARL sets for the animal's care.
3. I agree to return the foster animal(s) to PARL on the agreed upon return date or promptly upon request. If I need to return the animal(s) prior to the planned date, I will call PARL to discuss a return time.
4. I agree to treat the animal(s) humanely and responsibly.
5. If the status of a foster animal's health changes while in my care, I agree to notify PARL immediately and return the animal to PARL for treatment, if necessary.
6. I understand that PARL will do its best to place each individual foster animal in an appropriate home. The animal(s) must pass an adoption screening test. If an animal does not pass the adoption screening test, I understand that PARL may humanely euthanize the animal.
7. PARL will provide food and basic supplies for the foster animal(s). I understand that PARL will not pay for or reimburse me for additional supplies unless there is prior authorization by the Executive Director.
8. I will not let the animals run loose outside. I will keep fostered dogs leashed at all times and will supervise and confine animals in a safe place at all times. I agree not to take foster dogs out to public areas other than for daily, leashed walks. Foster dogs may only be brought to off-leash locations (beaches, dog parks, enclosed ball parks, etc.) after seeking and gaining approval for such activities from the animal welfare supervisor.
9. I understand that PARL is not responsible for any personal or property damage or expenses incurred when the animal(s) is in my care. I understand that there is risk of injury and/or illness to myself and my pets when bringing a foster animal(s) into my home. I take full responsibility for the foster animal's actions at all times. I accept responsibility for any events that may occur while fostering the animal(s).
10. I will return all supplies loaned to me at the time I return the foster animal(s).
11. For those who rent or live in a condo: Prior to volunteering for this program, I have spoken with and received approval from the owner of the property or the association where the animal(s) is staying to keep the animal(s) in my care.
12. I will contact PARL for authorization prior to seeking any veterinary treatment. This authorization can only be granted by PARL's animal welfare supervisor or executive director.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, have read, understand and agree to abide by the rules set forth in the Providence Animal Rescue League's Foster Care Program Contract.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Foster Care Volunteer

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Volunteer Coordinator