



## SHOW ME YOUR PITTIES RESCUE

California 501(c)(3) Nonprofit Animal Rescue  
P.O. Box 141, Greenwood, CA 95635 | (530) 248-6969

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### FOSTER APPLICATION

*Thank you for your interest in fostering with Show Me Your Pitties Rescue. Your information will remain confidential and used only as part of the SMYPR foster program. Please complete all sections as fully as possible — the more we know about your home and experience, the better we can match you with the right dog.*

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#### PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
Best time to reach you: \_\_\_\_\_  
Preferred contact method: **Phone** **Text** **Email** *(circle one)*

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#### HOUSEHOLD INFORMATION

##### How many people live in your household?

Adults over 21 (including yourself): \_\_\_\_\_ Ages: \_\_\_\_\_  
Children under 21: \_\_\_\_\_ Ages: \_\_\_\_\_

##### Type of home:

*(circle one)* **HOUSE** **APARTMENT** **CONDO** **DUPLEX** **MOBILE HOME** **TOWNHOME**

##### Do you:

*(circle one)* **OWN** **RENT** **LEASE**

How long have you lived at this address? \_\_\_\_\_

##### If renting or leasing, are there pet restrictions?

*(circle one)* **YES** **NO**

If yes, please describe the restrictions: \_\_\_\_\_

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#### YOUR HOME & YARD

##### Describe your yard:

*(circle one)* **No yard** **Unfenced yard** **Partially fenced yard** **Completely fenced yard**

Height of fence: \_\_\_\_\_ Made of:

*(circle one)* **Wood** **Chain link** **Brick** **Other:** \_\_\_\_\_

If no fully fenced yard, do you agree to keep your foster dog on leash at all times outside? **YES** **NO**  
*(circle one)*



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### YOUR CURRENT PETS

Please list all pets currently in your household. Attach an additional sheet if needed.

Dog / Cat / Other: \_\_\_\_\_ Breed: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ M / F: \_\_\_\_\_ Altered? \_\_\_\_\_ How long owned? \_\_\_\_\_

Dog / Cat / Other: \_\_\_\_\_ Breed: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ M / F: \_\_\_\_\_ Altered? \_\_\_\_\_ How long owned? \_\_\_\_\_

Dog / Cat / Other: \_\_\_\_\_ Breed: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ M / F: \_\_\_\_\_ Altered? \_\_\_\_\_ How long owned? \_\_\_\_\_

We recommend that all animals in your home be up to date on vaccinations prior to any foster placement.

Who will be the primary caretaker of your foster dog(s)? \_\_\_\_\_

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### YOUR EXPERIENCE WITH DOGS

#### How would you describe your level of experience? (Check all that apply)

- Never had a dog
- Had a childhood pet dog
- Had one or more dogs as an adult
- Experience with powerful or large breeds
- Experience managing ongoing medical needs in a personal dog
- Experience working at a boarding kennel, resort, or pet sitting service
- Experience working with behavioral issues in a personal dog
- Experience working in a veterinary hospital
- Am a professional dog trainer

#### Previous foster or rescue experience? If yes, please describe:

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#### Do you have experience with: (circle all that apply)

(circle one) **Small dogs** **Medium dogs** **Large dogs**

#### Specific breeds you have experience with:

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### FOSTERING PREFERENCES

#### What types of dog are you interested in fostering? (Check all that apply)

- Adult dog
- Puppies
- Mother with nursing puppies
- Unweaned puppies / Bottle babies
- Sick or injured dog or puppy
- Dog or puppy with behavioral issues
- Long-term or hospice care
- Pit Bull / Bully breeds (all SMYPR dogs)

#### Do you have any preferences for the dog you foster?

Size preference? **YES** **NO** (*circle one*)

If yes, preferred size: \_\_\_\_\_

Breed preference? **YES** **NO** (*circle one*)

If yes, preferred breed(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Age preference? **YES** **NO** (*circle one*)

If yes, preferred age range: \_\_\_\_\_

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### DAILY CARE & ROUTINE

Hours per day the foster dog will spend WITHOUT a human present: \_\_\_\_\_

Where will the dog be when someone is home? \_\_\_\_\_

Where will the dog be when left alone? \_\_\_\_\_

Where will the dog sleep at night? \_\_\_\_\_

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### SITUATIONS YOU FEEL UNPREPARED FOR

*Please be honest — this helps us match you with the right dog. Check all that apply.*

- Excessive barking
- High activity level, destructive chewing, digging, or escape attempts
- Not housetrained
- Leash hesitant or reactive on leash
- Not crate trained
- Requires vet visits, transport assistance, or at-home medication administration
- Resource guarding (food, toys, furniture, or bed)
- Shy, timid, fearful, or undersocialized
- Unsure around or anxious with children
- Not good with or unsure around other dogs



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- Not good with or unsure around small animals or cats
  - Senior, deaf, or blind dog
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### SOCIAL MEDIA

Please share your social media handles below. SMYPR may follow your foster journey and share updates with our community. This information is optional but greatly appreciated.

Instagram: @ \_\_\_\_\_ Facebook: \_\_\_\_\_

X (Twitter): @ \_\_\_\_\_ TikTok: @ \_\_\_\_\_

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### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Please tell us anything else you would like us to know to help match you with the right dog:

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### WHAT TO EXPECT FROM SMYPR

- SMYPR will inform you to the best of our knowledge of the dog's age, condition, breed, and behavior prior to placement.
  - When fostering a shelter dog it is impossible to predict how long it may take for the dog to be ready for adoption, or how long it will take to find the right home. Bully breeds can be more challenging to place.
  - You will be expected to keep the dog safe and secure, and to return it to SMYPR when requested.
  - Unless otherwise arranged in advance, the foster parent is responsible for providing appropriate food, bedding, and toys while the dog is in their care.
  - All expenses related to the foster dog must be approved in advance by SMYPR. Costs that are not pre-approved will not be reimbursed and remain the foster's sole responsibility.
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### FOSTER TERMS & CONDITIONS

By signing below, the foster applicant agrees to and understands the following:

1. I have read and understand the statements above. I certify that all information contained in this application is true, complete, and correct.
  2. I understand that although SMYPR takes responsible steps to screen animals for foster placement, it makes no guarantees relating to the animals' health, behavior, or actions.
  3. I understand that I receive foster care dogs at my own risk and may decline to accept any dog for which SMYPR has asked me to provide care.
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- I acknowledge that SMYPR is not responsible for any property damage or personal injury suffered by me, members of my household including my own animals, or any third parties during a foster placement. I assume full liability and agree to provide adequate controls to prevent such damage.
  - Misrepresentation & Right of Recall:** I understand and agree that if SMYPR determines at any time that I have provided false or materially misleading information in this application — including but not limited to my living situation, household composition, existing pets, or experience with animals — or if SMYPR determines that the foster placement is not in the best interest of the dog's health, safety, or welfare, SMYPR reserves the right to reclaim the dog immediately and without advance notice. I agree to return the dog to SMYPR upon demand and waive any claim to the animal from that point forward.

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### SIGNATURES

Signature of Foster Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Witnessed By: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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### RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATION TO

Email: [showmeyourpittiesrescue@gmail.com](mailto:showmeyourpittiesrescue@gmail.com)

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