

CatRescue Foster Carer Agreement



Email: info@catrescue.com.au

I, _____ of _____

Suburb: _____ Postcode: _____

Phone No. (H) _____ (W) _____ (Mobile) _____

Email address: _____

Alternate Contact Name: _____ Alternate Contact Number: _____

Photo Identification: Drivers Lic. Number: _____ Expiry date: : _____

Other photo ID: _____ Expiry date: _____

ID sighted & verified by adoption officer

Agreed maximum number of Animals in foster care (**capacity**) _____

and undertake as follows:

1. I am 18 years of age or older and have read, understood and agreed to the terms below.
2. I agree to accept the animal described above until the animal is permanently adopted, (**Fostering Period**), unless the animal is returned to CatRescue in accordance with these terms.
3. I have inspected the animal and agree to accept the animal in its current condition, health and behaviour. I have not relied upon any representation by CatRescue in deciding to foster the animal.

Conditions of Care:

4. I agree to maintain and house the animal in conditions explained to me by CatRescue. The animal will become a member of our family and as such will be cared for with the comforts of home.
5. I agree to only maintain foster care for the number of animals agreed (**capacity**) with CatRescue and to not take on additional animals in care without prior written consent of CatRescue.
6. The information I have provided to CatRescue as to the property on which the animal is to be housed and my ability to maintain the animal in proper health is true and not misleading in any way.
7. I understand that CatRescue may before or during the Fostering Period inspect the property on which the animal is to be housed to ensure the animal's safety and security and that as a result of this inspection I may be requested by CatRescue to return the animal. I agree to return the animal if requested to do so by CatRescue at a mutually convenient time and place.
8. I agree to continue medical treatment as instructed to do so by CatRescue.

Costs:

9. I understand that all day to day costs associated with the care of the animal (such as food, litter etc) are my responsibility and cost.
10. I understand that subject to prior approval, any veterinary costs for the animal will be covered by CatRescue.
11. I understand that if the animal is due for annual vaccinations (see date over) I must contact CatRescue. I agree to take the animal to a vet appointed by CatRescue for vaccination, and I understand that this cost will be covered by CatRescue.

Regular contact:

12. I agree to make regular (weekly) contact with the CatRescue Foster Coordinator to provide an update on the well-being of the animal.
13. I agree to contact the Foster Coordinator immediately if the animal is sick, injured or experiencing difficulties settling in.
14. I agree to advise my Foster Coordinator should any veterinary treatment be required by the animal. I understand that veterinary costs will be covered by CatRescue but only with prior approval from my Foster Coordinator.

Adoption enquiries:

15. I understand that should the Foster Coordinator receive adoption enquiries about the animal, I will be contacted.
16. I agree to make the animal promptly available for inspection at a mutually agreeable time and location, and to I agree to actively participate in the inspection by:
 - providing the potential adopter with relevant information about the animal's temperament and needs to enable that person to make an informed choice
 - providing the potential adoptee with an Adoption Questionnaire to complete. I will retain this form to pass on to the Foster Coordinator at an appointed time.
17. I agree that I will make the animal available when requested to "display" at retail outlets that CatRescue may establish.
18. I understand that should another party be interested in adopting the animal, I may apply to keep the animal however this is subject to the terms and conditions of adoption, and payment of the full adoption price for the animal.

Return of animal:

19. I agree to return the animal to CatRescue unconditionally upon request.
20. If during the Fostering Period I feel the animal is unsuitable for any reason, I will contact my Foster Coordinator and arrange a mutually convenient time to return him/her to CatRescue.
21. I indemnify CatRescue, its directors, employees and volunteers for any liability, costs or expenses which arise as a result of my actions or omissions (including negligence) or the animal's condition, health or behaviour and acknowledge that CatRescue is not liable or responsible for the animal after the date of this application.
22. I have read, understood and agreed to the terms contained within the CatRescue Foster Care Agreement.
23. I will notify CatRescue within 7 days of any change to the contact details recorded above.

Signed: _____

Date: _____