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## **Dog/Puppy Adoption Application**

Please check your email frequently during this process. Our Rescue is 100% volunteer based and many work full time jobs. Phone calls aren't always possible and email may be their only means of communication.

Today's Date:	<del></del>		
Applicant Name:			
Co Applicant Name:			
Address:			
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:		
Email:	Best way to contact you: Home Cell	Email	
Age of Applicant:	of Applicant: Age of Co-Applicant:		
Dog's Name You're Applying fo	or:		
Use this space to apply for an a	additional dog not listed above, or for multiple interests:		
In the event that the dog/cat the adopting a different animal? Ye	hat you are applying for is no longer available, would you be esNo	interested in	
(**If yes, your application will cont	processed only for the particular animal you are applying for.) Itinue through the entire process of a vet history check and a home vet history check are satisfactory your application will be preappro		
In what type of home do you liv	ve in? partment Mobil Home Other		
Do you own or rent your home If you rent, have you contacted	e? Rent Own d your landlord about getting a dog? Yes No		
	rea for the dog? Yes No vacy Chain Link Invisible Other		
What is the noise/activity level	Lin your home? Low Medium High		



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How many adults reside in your household:How many children reside in your household: If you have children in your household, what are their ages?			
Is everyone in your home in agreement with regard to adopting a pet: Yes No			
Who will be the primary caretaker of your adopted pet:			
Please specifically describe the characteristics of the pet you are looking for:			
Do you currently have pets: Yes No List names, ages, type/breed of all pets in the home:			
Other than your current pets, have you had any pets in the past 10 years: Yes No List names, ages, type/breed of all PAST pets: (Please only list pets you were personally responsible for)			
Please provide name and phone number for the veterinary office that can verify spay/neuter, vaccinations, heartworm testing and prevention for all of the past pets listed above:			
What person's name is on the vet account?			
Please contact your vet within 24 hours of submitting this application and give them permission for Last Day Dog Rescue to discuss vetting history with them.			
Do your current pet(s) live inside or outside: Inside Outside			
How much time will your adopted dog spend outside on a regular basis:			
Will your adopted animal live indoors or outdoors? Indoors Outdoors			
How much time will the animal spend alone during the day:			
Where will the animal be kept when you are not home:			
What are your plans for your dog while on vacation:			



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Rescue animals require time to adjust to their new environment. What amount of time do you consider to be reasonable for this adjustment:  What arrangements have you made to care for this pet in the event you can no longer do so (be specific):			
			What behaviors would make you unwilling to adopt? (Check ALL that apply):  Potty Accidents Fighting Being on furniture Barking Escaping  Hiding from company/family members Awaking early Shedding Digging  Counter Surfing Mouthing Chewing Not adjusting quickly to pets in the home  Jumping on people Getting into garbage Biting Nipping None of these things would make me not adopt a dog
			For what specific reason would you consider returning the animal? Please answer this question honestly!  Our goal is to place our animals into homes where they will stay FOREVER.
Have you ever had to rehome a pet? Yes No  If yes, please explain:			
Describe how you will train your pet:			
What methods do you plan on using to discourage unwanted behavior(s):			
Why do you want to adopt this animal? Companion Child's Pet Companion to another Pet Hunting Gift Guard Watch Other			
What are your feelings on spaying or neutering animals?			
How long have you been looking for a pet?			
Have you Applied Elsewhere: Yes No			
Do you understand that rescue animals may have unknown medical history? Ves No			



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Do you understand that rescue animals may have unknown behavior history? Yes No				
Would you be opposed to a "Last Day Dog Rescue" representative visiting/calling you after the adoption is complete to inquire about the animal: Yes No				
How did you hear about LDDR? Previous LDDR Adopter Word of Mouth Adoption Event Google Search Petfinder Adopt-A-Pet LDDR Website Facebook Twitter Pinterest TV - Pet of the week Radio Other				
I understand that completion of this application will in no way guarantee the adoption of this dog. Furthermore, any falsification of information will result in the immediate denial of this application. By signing this Application, I declare I am at least 18 years of age.				
Signature of Applicant	Date			
Printed Name of Applicant				
This section to be filled out by a Last Day Dog Rescue Volunteer				
Application Received By:	Date Received:			
Vet Check Ok? If no, explain:				
Date Home Visit Performed:				
Additional Comments:				
Application Approved/Denied:				

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Thank you for your interest in adopting one of our dogs. If you have any questions about any of our dogs or the adoption process, please email us at <a href="mailto:ourlastdaydogs@gmail.com">ourlastdaydogs@gmail.com</a>.

Animals are not a commodity. We ask that you and all family members have fully considered the responsibility of adoption as well as efforts and changes that you may need to make on behalf of your dog's behaviors and needs. Please take this decision seriously and well thought out. You should plan to have them for their life span, through their senior days.

## What Each Applicant Should Know

- Dogs will require the following vaccines/tests for the rest of their lives: DHPP-L (this vaccine covers Distemper,
  Hepatitis, Adenovirus, Parainfluenza, Parvovirus, Leptospirosis), Rabies (1 year or 3 year vaccines), Bordetella
  (kennel cough), Lyme (to protect against Lyme disease which is transmitted to dogs through ticks), Heartworm test
  (transmitted to dogs through mosquitoes) and monthly heartworm pills. The costs for these vaccines/tests can be
  \$300 or more/year per animal.
- Last Day Dog Rescue dogs, unless otherwise stated, come with age-appropriate vaccines, sterilization, and have been deemed healthy by a licensed veterinarian. We cannot guarantee the future health of any of our dogs. Can you imagine what your doctor would say if you asked them to offer a guarantee that you will never come down with heart disease or cancer later in life? Those guarantees just cannot be made.
- Adoption fees vary by the individual dog. Dogs who are not sterilized will have an additional \$50 spay/neuter
  deposit which will be refunded to adopter upon proof of spay/neuter (separate form). The adoption fees help to
  cover the cost of food, vetting, training, etc. of the dogs while they are in Last Day Dog Rescue's care.
- Submitting an application does not obligate you to adopt nor does it guarantee the dog will be adopted to you. Last
  Day Dog Rescue works to place the dog in the best matched home. We collect applications on the dog in question
  and make our best determination on where we think the dog will do best.
- We depend on our vets and other professionals to help us make the best determination/estimation regarding the breed and age of all our dogs unless in an unusual circumstance we have some written documentation that has accompanied the dog from the shelter.
- While Last Day Dog Rescue makes every effort to process new applications as soon as possible, it may take up to 7
  days to fully process your application. Most of the volunteers at Last Day Dog Rescue work full time jobs and we do
  our volunteer work on our lunch hours, evenings and weekends. We cannot always reply immediately to an
  application that has been placed.
- Our adoption process also involves a home visit which, depending on where you live in relation to home visit
  volunteers, can take some time. To become an approved adopter with Last Day Dog Rescue you must pass a vet
  check and have an approved home visit. If you do not hear from us within 10 days of application submission please
  email us at <u>ourlastdaydogs@gmail.com</u>. We will then try to get a home visit volunteer to your area asap.
  - Last Day Dog Rescue reserves the right to deny any application without explanation.
  - The Last Day Dog Rescue Board makes all adoption decisions and their decisions are FINAL.

Signature of Applicant	Date
Printed Name of Applicant	_