



# Lost Our Home Off-Site Fostering Agreement

Animal Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Type: \_\_\_\_\_

Select One:  Weekend Getaway  Foster to Adopt  Foster

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**By signing below, I agree to the following:** I agree to return the animal at the agreed upon date/time. If I am going to be late, I will call the front desk at 602-445-7387 to let them know of the approximate return time.

NOTE: For Weekend Getaway Program (Volunteers Only), dogs must be returned before the shelter opens for business on Tuesday at 11:00 a.m.

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- (DOG) I agree the dog will be on a leash at all times while outside.
- (DOG) I agree not to take the dog to dog parks, pet stores, doggie day cares, veterinary facilities or any other areas not approved by LOH.
- I agree that the animal will be in my care at all times.
- I agree to feed the animal the food provided and give appropriate medications (if applicable).
- I agree to notify the LOH staff immediately of any injury inflicted by the animal to my family or the general public.
- *I agree to return any/all borrowed supplies. I understand and agree that I will be charged for items not returned.*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Staff Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



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Date to Be Returned to Shelter: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Foster Care Contact Sheet

Thank you for opening your home to a foster pet in need! Your decision to take an animal into your home to provide a safe, nurturing environment is a tremendous help and enables us to bring in more animals in need. If you have any questions, concerns, or if any medical emergency situations develop during your time fostering, please contact us. We are here to help!

**Foster Coordinator:** Estevan Vega - [estevan@lostourhome.org](mailto:estevan@lostourhome.org)

**Our foster team is best reached at:**

[Fostering@lostourhome.org](mailto:Fostering@lostourhome.org)

Shelter telephone number: (602) 445-7387

**Our phone lines are open the following days/hours:**

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 11:00am-6:00pm

Saturday & Sunday: 10:00am-4:00pm

Monday & Wednesday: As our shelter is closed to the public our phones will go directly to voicemail during these days.

### Medical Contact Person (Non-Emergency)

If you have any non-emergency health-related concerns, email [fostering@lostourhome.org](mailto:fostering@lostourhome.org) as soon as you notice a problem—DO NOT wait until a crisis occurs. Be as detailed as you can and provide photos if needed. In the care and treatment of foster animals, there is no such thing as a silly question!

When you call, it will be helpful for us to know:

1. Is the animal vomiting?
2. Does the animal have diarrhea?
3. Is the animal active or listless?
4. Is the animal eating and drinking?

### Medical Contact Persons (Emergency)

Call the Shelter & Medical Director Emily Vivian at (480) 226-3228 (**TEXT PREFERRED**- personal cell phone for foster use only).

If you are unable to reach Emily, please contact the Shelter Operations Manager at (623) 734-2259 (personal cell phone for foster use only).

**IMPORTANT:** Do not take your foster animal(s) to a veterinarian without the approval of a Lost Our Home staff member. Any charges incurred without approval will not be reimbursed.

### Examples of *emergency* medical symptoms:

The shelter should be notified of the following conditions immediately:

- Blood from any orifice/opening
- Blood in the urine, or if the foster animal is unable to urinate at all
- Blood in vomit or vomit that is dark in color

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- Blood in the stool, especially with diarrhea
- Congestion, wheezing, or labored breathing
- Fever (often accompanied by lethargy)
- If an accident has occurred and the foster animal appears to be injured
- Lameness that appears severe and painful
- Pain – irritability when handled or touched, particularly if it seems out of character for that animal
- Seizures or convulsions

- Trouble eating, mouth pain, or drooling
- Lameness that appears severe and painful
- Lethargy or decline in activity level normal for your foster animal for more than 24 hours
- Diarrhea in neonates/underweight animals for more than 24 hours

### Examples of *non-emergency* medical symptoms:

- Any change in the appearance of the eye: squinting, winking, tearing, swelling, redness, yellow, green, or crusty discharge
- Coughing for less than 24 hours
- Diarrhea/loose stool (in adult animals and less than 48 hours)
- Excessive drinking for more than 48 hours
- Increased appetite for more than 1 week, especially when accompanied with weight loss
- Increased scratching at any part of the body including head shaking
- Increased urination or sudden accidents in the house, difficulty urinating, and straining for less than 24 hours

- Nasal discharge – white, yellow, or green
- No apparent weight gain, especially with puppies and kittens during a 72-hour period
- Poor appetite for more than 48 hours
- Sneezing for more than 24 hours
- Unexplained lameness that does not improve with rest within 24 hours
- Vomiting more than three times
- Weight loss is observed over a 48 hour period, especially with kittens, puppies, or nursing mothers– when weight loss is accompanied with normal to more-than-normal food intake
- Hair loss



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## Credit Card Authorization

Please complete all fields.

Credit Card Information Card Type:  MasterCard  VISA  Discover  AMEX

Other \_\_\_\_\_

Cardholder Name (as shown on card): \_\_\_\_\_

Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date (mm/yy): \_\_\_\_\_

Cardholder ZIP Code (from credit card billing address): \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_, authorize Lost Our Home Pet Rescue to charge the credit card above in the event of failure to return fostered animal(s) or borrowed items.

Customer Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



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Updated: 11/23/19

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## Items Borrowed

<b>Bowls</b>	
<b>Crate</b>	
<b>Bedding</b>	
<b>Bed</b>	
<b>Collar</b>	
<b>Leash</b>	
<b>Litter Box</b>	
<b>Heat Pad</b>	
<b>Nebulizer</b>	
<b>Other:</b>	
<b>Other:</b>	
<b>Other:</b>	