

Carolina Canine Rescue (CCR)
ADOPTION APPLICATION

Pet ownership is a serious commitment and not one that should be taken lightly. The intention of this adoption questionnaire is to assure that adoptive families are committed to the responsibility of long term pet ownership morally, physically and financially. We want your family to be happy with your new companion. The following questionnaire has been designed to aid both you and CCR in deciding if you and / or your family are a good match for the pet you are interested in adopting. Please be sure to answer all questions and feel free to add any comments. If a question does not apply, simply write N/A.

The majority of pets we have for adoption are found abandoned or are pulled from area shelters in hopes of placing them with individuals/families willing to providing a safe, healthy, home environment for the remainder of the pet's life (which could possibly be 10 +years). Carolina Canine Rescue (CCR) is a nonprofit organization. All fees paid to adopt any rescued pet goes toward reimbursement of medical services and care provided.

If you are interested in adopting any of our pets, please submit an application. Reviewing an application and checking references is very time consuming for our hard working volunteers. Please do not apply if you are not SERIOUSLY interested in the pet being applied for. CCR Volunteers need to be available to spend more time with sincere potential adopters. We require a \$10 application fee to process your application. This fee may be paid by clicking on the PayPal donate button located on the right side bar of our website: <http://www.animalwelfareofsurrync.com>. Processing fee (\$10) is nonrefundable, whether your application is approved, denied, or we have multiple applications for the same dog/puppy. (You may email and request if the pet you are interested in is still available.) We will contact you with a reply regarding your application status within 24-48 hrs. Please copy and paste, then email your application to Melanie at carolinacaninerescue@gmail.com. We will acknowledge the receipt of your application and processing fee. If you DO NOT receive an acknowledgment, please contact us at 336-786-5256 to ensure we have received your application. The more pets we are able to place, the more pets we are able to rescue!!

CCR ADOPTION QUESTIONNAIRE

Have you paid your \$10 application processing fee (see above instructions)?

Pet's name(s) and breed(s) you are most interested in:

Name, address, city/town, state, and zip code:

Phone number(s) where we can reach you:

Email address:

What is your reason for adopting a pet?

- A) Companion for another pet
- B) Family pet
- C) Child's companion
- D) Adult's companion

What size pet are you interested in?

- A) Extra small (<10 lbs)
- B) Small (10-29 lbs)
- C) Medium (30-59 lbs)
- D) Large (60-90 lbs)

What type of pet are you interested in?

- A) Active and playful
- B) Watch dog (would bark to alert)
- C) Couch potato and quiet
- D) Guard Dog (would bite if provoked)

Do you live in a house, condo, apartment, trailer, other?

Do you rent or own?

If you rent, please list landlord's name and phone number.

Briefly describe your home.

Is the yard fenced?

If so, what type of fencing?

How large of an area?

When is/will the fenced in area be used for your pet(s)?

If the yard is not fenced, how is/will the pet be contained when outside?

How many adults live in the home? Gender(s)? Age(s)? Relationship?

Please list the age, gender, and activity level of each child that lives in the home.

How many hours a day is an adult at home?

Where will the adopted pet stay during the day?

Where will the adopted pet stay at night?

Do you plan to use a crate? When and for how many hours a day?

Please list name(s) age, gender, breed, and type(s) (dog, cat, etc),of pet(s), you currently own.

Please list name(s) age, gender, breed, and type(s) (dog, cat, etc) of other pet(s) you have owned in the past five (5) yrs.

Was/is pet(s) spayed or neutered?

What was the age of pet(s) when no longer owned and what happened?

What was/is the general health of your pet(s)?

How much money would you plan to spend yearly on your adopted pet?

Please explain where your current pet(s) spends the day.

Please explain where your current pet(s) sleeps at night.

If you have a "dog lot" or outdoor kennel, when is/will it be used for your pet(s)?

If you have a "tie out" or "zip line", when is/will it be used for your pet(s)?

What would be a reason for giving up your pet(s)?

If you had to give up your pet would you?

A) Give it to anyone who wants it

B) Give it to a friend or relative

C) Return it to the group/person you adopted from

D) Take it to the nearest shelter

(Shelters are county run facilities where unwanted pets are usually euthanized.)

A VET REFERENCE HELPS TO ESTABLISH IF THE POTENTIAL ADOPTER WILL BE A RESPONSIBLE PET OWNER AND IS REQUIRED TO ADOPT. YOUNG ADULTS WHO ARE FIRST TIME PET OWNERS MAY USE THEIR PARENTS' VET REFERENCE. SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES MAY BE CONSIDERED.

If no vet reference, current or past, please explain why you do not have one.

Please list your veterinarian's name, name of practice, and phone number. Please also list whose name the records will be in at their office. If you currently do not have a vet, please provide us with your previous vet's contact information.

How long have you used him/her?

List at least two (2) personal references, their relationship to the potential adopter (no more than one relative please), and their phone numbers.

To expedite your application process, you may submit additional references to ensure that we can reach at least two (2) in a timely manner.

May we do a follow up call or visit?

Have you or anyone that visits or lives in your home ever been accused or convicted of animal abuse or neglect?

Is there anything else you would like for us to know or any of your answers that you feel need further explanation?

It is our policy that if this application is falsified or the pet you adopt from us is not being given the proper care (personal or veterinarian) we reserve the right to reclaim the animal without any reimbursement of any costs or services. This includes but is not limited to: veterinarian care, vaccines, heartworm treatment/preventative, flea treatment/preventative, medicine, etc.

We realize that life circumstances change. If, at any time you feel that you can no longer care or provide for this pet, would you be willing to contact CCR before placing the pet you adopt from us in another home, ?

Your signature authorizes Melinda Mills to contact your references and verify all information provided on this application. Please realize any inaccurate or incomplete information can be reason for rejection. We reserve the right to check all home addresses via public access GIS and other public access applications.

Signature:

Print Signature:

Date: