



Thank you for your interest in becoming a foster home for senior pets!

**Return this completed application to:**

Young at Heart Pet Rescue

PO Box 1293

Palatine IL 60078

or via email to: foster@yahpetrescue.com or via fax: 847.890.6404.

Please allow 7 days to process your application. Thank you!

**Young at Heart Pet Rescue Foster Home Application**

Applicant Information		
Applicant Name:		Date:
Street Address:		
City:	State:	Zip Code:
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:	
E-mail Address:	Best Time to Contact:	
Are you at least 25 years of age? Yes      No		
Co-Applicant Name:		
Do you have a current tetanus vaccination? Yes      No		
How did you hear about the YAHPR foster home program?		
I am applying to foster:	Dogs	Cats

Residence & Family Members				
Please select your residence type:	House	Townhouse	Apartment	Condo
Do you own your residence?	Yes	No		
Do you have a fenced-in yard?	Yes	No		
If yes, how high and of what type of construction?				
If you lease. Does your lease have restrictions regarding animals?		Yes	No	
If yes, please explain:				
Landlord name & Phone Number:				

Please list all people who live at your residence:

Name	Age	Relationship

Is anyone home during the day?	Yes	No
If yes, who and when?		
If no, how long will the foster animal be left alone each day?		
Do you or anyone in your home have any physical or medical conditions that should be considered when matching your family with an appropriate foster dog or cat?	Yes	No
If yes, please describe:		

Please list all pets that live at your residence:

Name	Type	Breed	Age	Gender	Spayed/Neutered?	
Do any of your personal pets have issues that would make a foster animal unsuitable for your home? (i.e. dog that doesn't like other dogs)					Yes	No
If yes, please explain						

Veterinarian for Current or Past Pets (if any)			
Name:			
Street Address:			
City:	State:	Zip Code:	

Fostering Preferences/Experience				
How soon are you available to foster?				
Immediately	1 week	2 weeks	30 days	Other

Maximum number of DAYS you can foster at a time?				
30 days	60 days	90 days	As long as needed	
Do you have a current Department of Agriculture Foster Home License?			Yes	No

If applying to foster dogs, please share the experience that you have.

Level of experience	Novice ____	Don't have much experience but am willing to learn
	Experienced ____	Have a good deal of experience with common issues
	Expert ____	Have experience with many different breeds as well as medical and/or behavioral issues

	I/We have specific experience in this area with dogs	
	Yes	No
Fostering*		
Rescue work*		
Caring for elderly dogs		
Grooming		
Obedience training		
Other:		
* If yes, what organization (Name, Phone)?		

If applying to foster cats, please share the experience that you have.

Level of experience	Novice__	Don't have much experience but am willing to learn	
	Experienced__	Have a good deal of experience with common issues	
	Expert__	Have experience with many different breeds as well as medical and/or behavioral issues	
	I/We have specific experience in this area with cats		
	Yes	No	
Fostering*			
Rescue work*			
Caring for elderly cats			
Treating URI's			
Other:			
* If yes, what organization (Name, Phone)?			
Do you have any preferences for the animals you are willing to foster?		Yes	No
If yes, please explain			

Environment					
Where will the foster dog or cat be kept...	Have the run of the house	Be Crated	Blocked off or baby gated in part of house or single room	Area with Access to dog door	Other
During the day?					
At night?					

General		
If your foster animal requires veterinarian attention do you have a vehicle and the capability to take the animal to visit the veterinarian during normal business hours? YAHPR's main veterinarian is located in Arlington Heights.	Yes	No

Have you ever been convicted on any charges related to animal cruelty, neglect, or endangerment?	Yes	No
If yes, please explain		
Do you or any members of the family living in your home have a criminal record?	Yes	No
If yes, please explain		
The state of Illinois Department of Agriculture requires each foster home to submit a Foster Home License Application along with a \$25 per year application fee. Are you capable and willing to complete this application and pay the initial \$25 fee in order to foster? Yearly license renewal fees will be paid for by YAHPR for active foster homes.	Yes	No
To be a successful foster home it is important for every person in the household to approve of an animal being fostered in their home. Is everyone in the home comfortable with this?	Yes	No
If no, please explain		
YAHPR must conduct a home visit prior to approving any foster application. Is this okay with you and everyone in your household?	Yes	No
If no, please explain		
What time of day would work best for a home visit?	Weekday / Weekend	AM / PM
Do you know the limit of animals allowed per residence in your town?	Yes	No
If yes, what is this #?		

## References

Please provide three references, two which are not related to you

Name:	Relationship:	
Address:	City:	State:
Zip code:	Home Phone:	Email:
Name:	Relationship:	
Address:	City:	State:
Zip code:	Home Phone:	Email:
Name:	Relationship:	
Address:	City:	State:
Zip code:	Home Phone:	Email: