

Foster Cat History Questionnaire for _____

Shelter #:	Microchip#:	Date:
Breed/Type:	Colour:	Age:

Please check all that apply

History

How long have you had your foster cat?

Diet

What do you feed your foster cat? Dry Canned/wet
 Both
 Brand of Food: _____
 No. of times per day cat is fed: 1 2 3 Free Feed
 Is their appetite: Very Good Fair Poor Fussy
 Favorite Treats: _____

You and Your Foster Cat

House Apartment Condo Row house Garden Home
 Does the cat live with other Cats Dogs Other Animals
 Type: _____
 Does your cat get along with other animals? Yes No
 Only cats Only female cats Only male cats Only dogs

Environment:

Environment: Quiet person lives alone Retired Couple
 Active Family Quiet Family Someone always home
 No one home during the day Other: _____
 Age of Children: _____
 Puts up with active children Stays clear of children
 Doesn't mind being handled by children
 Nervous around children
 Accustomed to older/quieter children
 Has never known children

Litter box Habits

Litter is cleaned: Daily Twice a week Once a week
 Cat/Kitten is: Messy Clean Very Clean
 Type of litter? Clumping Clay Other: _____
 Type of litter box? Covered Open
 Other, please specify: _____

Scratching

On which of the following does your foster cat scratch with his/her claws?
 Scratching post Soft furnishings [sofa, etc]
 Carpets/rugs Hardwood furniture [cabinets, doors, etc]
 Drapes Other, please specify: _____

Behaviour

Does your foster cat jump on counters/ tables? Yes No
 Begs for food? Yes No Steals food? Yes No
 Eats Plants? Yes No Digs in plants? Yes No

Additional Information That May be of Help

Staff Notes

How AGGRESSIVE is your foster cat...	No aggression	Warning meow or growl	Scratches or bites that do not break skin	Scratches breaking skin	Bites breaking skin
When you pet him/her	1	2	3	4	5
When you pick him/her up	1	2	3	4	5
When you groom him/her	1	2	3	4	5
Towards other cats at home	1	2	3	4	5
Towards other cats outdoors	1	2	3	4	5
Towards dogs	1	2	3	4	5

How VOCAL is your foster cat...	Never	Rarely	Occasionally	Often	Always
With you	1	2	3	4	5
With other cats in your home?	1	2	3	4	5
By him/herself?	1	2	3	4	5

How PLAYFUL is your foster cat?	Never	Rarely	Occasionally	Often	Always
With you	1	2	3	4	5
With toys	1	2	3	4	5
With other cats in your home	1	2	3	4	5
By him/herself?	1	2	3	4	5
With dogs?	1	2	3	4	5

How FEARFUL is your foster cat?	Never	Rarely	Occasionally	Often	Always
With you	1	2	3	4	5
Toward visitors	1	2	3	4	5
With children	1	2	3	4	5
With visitors- is your cat fearful the whole time they are visiting	1	2	3	4	5
Of loud noises [e.g. vacuums]	1	2	3	4	5
Towards other cats	1	2	3	4	5
Towards dogs	1	2	3	4	5

How FRIENDLY is your foster cat?	Never	Rarely	Occasionally	Often	Always
With you	5	4	3	2	1
With strangers	5	4	3	2	1
With other cats	5	4	3	2	1
Towards kids	5	4	3	2	1
Towards dogs	5	4	3	2	1

Other Information	Never	Rarely	Occasionally	Often	Always
Likes to sleep in bed with you	1	2	3	4	5
Likes to be Petted	1	2	3	4	5
Wants to be where you are	1	2	3	4	5
Is active and intense	1	2	3	4	5
Is patient and easy going	1	2	3	4	5