



## Cat Acceptance and Release Form

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Please provide as much information as possible to the following questions. This will help us to provide for the cat, and place him or her in the most appropriate home. Your answers to these questions will not determine whether or not we will accept the cat. ***Please answer honestly*** as this will help us properly place the cat.

### GENERAL INFORMATION

Name of Cat:

Cat's Date of Birth:

Cat's Gender:

Cat's Breed:

Where did you obtain the cat? Circle one:

Friend   Farm   Stray   Pet store   Shelter/Rescue Group   Other (please explain):

If the cat was a stray, where was it picked up?

Did you contact animal control? Circle one: Yes   No

How long have you had the cat?

### HEALTH AND WELL-BEING

*\* Please note that we will need a copy of all veterinary records for the cat.*

Describe the condition and health of the cat:

Has the cat been spayed/neutered? Circle one: Yes   No   Don't know

Has the cat received vaccinations? Check one: Yes   No   Don't know

If yes, which vaccinations were last received?

On what date were they given?

**Has the cat been tested for Feline Leukemia? Circle one: Yes No**

**If yes, when was it tested?**

**What were the results?**

**Has the cat been tested for Feline Immunodeficiency Virus? Circle one:**

**Yes No**

**If yes, when was it tested?**

**What were the results?**

**PERSONALITY AND BEHAVIOR**

**In your own words, describe the personality of the cat.**

**What is your cat afraid of or uncomfortable with?**

**What, if any body parts is the cat sensitive about being handled?**

**Does the cat bite?**

**What is the best quality of the cat?**

**What is the worst quality of the cat?**

**Any additional information about the cat's personality or habits that you would like us to know:**

**BEHAVIOR WITH OTHER ANIMALS**

**Has the cat lived with other animals? Circle one: Yes No**

**If yes, who?**

**What is their behavior towards them?**

**What does the cat do when it sees cats outside the house?**

**What does the cat do when it sees dogs outside the house?**

**Has the cat ever fought with other cats?**

**Has the cat ever injured other cats?**

**TOLERANCE OF PEOPLE**

**Describe the cat's behavior with people in the following situations:**

**Visitors in the home :**

**When the cat is bathed:**

**When the cat's nails are clipped or ears are cleaned:**

**Does it like sitting on people's laps? Circle one: Yes No**

**Does it like to be pet? Circle one: Yes No**

**Does it like to be picked up? Check one: Yes No**

**TOLERANCE OF/EXPERIENCE WITH CHILDREN**

**Has the cat lived with children? Circle one: Yes No**

**If yes, what ages?**

**What genders?**

**How does the cat behave with visiting children?**

**How does the cat react in the following situations involving children?**

**Screaming/crying:**

**Touching/petting:**

**Pulling on cat's tail/ears/fur:**

**When a child is running around the house:**

**When a child hugs them:**

**When a child run towards them:**

**When you pick up the child:**

**AGGRESSION TOWARD PEOPLE**

**Has the cat ever done any of the following? (If yes, describe the incident in the space provided below the behavior.)**

**Growled:**

**Hissed:**

**Clawed/scratched:**

**Nipped:**

**Bitten:**

**ROUTINE**

**What kind of food do you feed the cat?**

**How often do you feed it?**

**Where does the cat live? (i.e. inside, outside, inside/outside) :**

**What kinds of toys does the cat like to play with?**

**Has the cat had problems with scratching furniture? Circle one:** Yes No

**Was a litterbox provided in the house? Circle one:** Yes No

*IF YES, please answer the following questions:*

**What type and size of litterbox was provided? (i.e. covered, tall box, small, low box):**

**What kind of litter was used? Circle one:** Scoopable Clay

**What brand and kind of litter was used?**

**How deep was the litter in the box?**

**Did you use litterbox liners? Circle one:** Yes No

**How many boxes did you have?**

**How many cats used these boxes?**

**How many litterbox locations were provided?**

**Where were they located?**

**How often was the litterbox cleaned?**

**Have there been any recent changes to the litter or the boxes you have used?**

**Has the cat ever urinated or defecated outside the box? Circle one:** Yes No

**If yes, is the cat currently urinating/defecating outside the box? Circle one:**

Yes No

**If so, where is it eliminating?**

**How long has the elimination outside the box been occurring?**

**Have you taken it to the veterinarian to have a urinalysis and bloodwork completed? Circle one:** Yes No

**What have you done to try to stop the inappropriate elimination?**

**REASON FOR SURRENDERING**

**Why are you surrendering the cat?**

We appreciate your commitment to our purpose with the release of this/these animal(s). With each animal surrendered, HEA incurs additional expenses to provide proper care for the animal. Please circle the amount you would like to donate:

\$25            \$50            \$100            \$200            Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**Your name:**

**Organization (if applicable):**

**Street Address:**

**City:**

**State:**

**Zip code:**

**Home phone:**

**Work phone:**

**Time you can be reached:**

**Fax number:**

**Email:**

I hereby release \_\_\_\_\_ (animal's name) into the custody and control of Happily Ever After Animal Sanctuary. I declare that I obtained the above animal legally and that I waive all future rights in the ownership or control of the above animal. I hereby agree to transfer all right, title, and interest in the control or ownership of the above animal as of the date below.

**Signed:**

**Date:**

**Attested by:**

**Date:**