

FOSTER PARENT AGREEMENT

- I understand the need to keep my pets separate from the foster kittens for AT LEAST the first 14 days. Certain viral, bacterial, and fungal diseases have an incubation period of 10 days or more, and intestinal parasites can be shed intermittently in feces which can then be transferred to my pet.
- All veterinary care for foster animals is provided by CFF approved vets. I agree to bring my foster kitties to their veterinarian appointments upon request and will arrive on time. In addition to normal vet visits, I may need to take my foster kitty to a specialist. If a change in my availability for an appointment occurs, I will immediately notify the Foster Care Coordinator.
- If my foster kitty becomes ill, I will IMMEDIATELY notify the Foster Care Coordinator or Executive Director.
- **I understand that CFF is the legal guardian of my foster kitties. I agree to follow any decision made by the CFF staff regarding the care of the foster kitties. I also agree to immediately return the foster kitties to CFF upon request.**
- I understand that although CFF staff makes every effort to screen animals for foster care placement, it makes no guarantee regarding the health, behavior, or actions of the kitties. I understand that I receive foster animals at my own risk and any damages and/or injuries are my responsibility.
- I understand that if my foster animal(s) should become ill and need to return to the Sanctuary, I may not receive information concerning the future of the kitty. As difficult as this can be, I agree to trust the staff's judgment and know they will do the best they can for the animal. The Foster Care Coordinator is always available for consultation.
- I will follow the cleaning protocol recommended by CFF to ensure a clean environment.
- I agree to keep my foster kitties indoors or on a screened patio at all times. I will only transport my foster kitties in a carrier and I will NEVER leave a foster animal in my car alone.
- I will inform the Foster Care Coordinator or Executive Director of any changes in my address, phone number, and email.
- We encourage Foster Parents to find appropriate homes for the animals in their care. All such adoptions must be approved by the Executive Director and can only be finalized after spay/neuter surgery. Under no circumstances can a foster kitten be placed in an adoptive home prior to sterilization.
- I understand that socialization is an important part of the fostering job. I agree to spend at least 3 hours/day interacting with my foster kitties.

I have read and understand the above and agree to its terms.

Signature of Foster Parent

Date

Print Name