

Heart of Louisiana Humane Society (HLHS) Adoption Contract

In return for HLHS and respective agents allowing me to adopt this animal and in consideration of my adopted pets' welfare, I _____ agree to:

1. Provide fresh food and water, clean and dry shelter, daily exercise, love and attention to the adopted pet.
2. Provide professional veterinary care for any diseases, illness or injuries and secure yearly vaccinations and licenses for the adopted pet.
3. Keep adopted pets in a fenced area or indoors so that it will be safe.
4. Allow HLHS or respective agents to periodically check on adopted pet to evaluate health care.
5. Allow HLHS or respective agents to reclaim the animal for failure to perform any of the above.
6. Contact HLHS about problems that might arise in the future and should become unable to care for or keep the pet, **YOU MUST return it to HLHS for placement elsewhere.** Initial _____

I also understand that my adopted pet (Description) M / F _____

ID Number: _____ Name: _____

has received the following veterinarian care:

In compliance with LA RS 3.2472, which requires that the adopted pet be sterilized your pet has been spayed or neutered and:

Rabies Vaccination	Core Vaccinations	Bordetella Vaccination	Micro chipped
Wormed	Heartworm Check	Heartworm Preventative	Flea Preventative
Antibiotics	Ear Mite Treatment	Other: _____	

I am aware that:

1. *Animals are different from human beings in their responses to human actions.*
2. *The actions of animals are often unpredictable.*
3. *HLHS makes no claim, representation or warranty regarding any animal placed for adoption or for the animal's behavior, temperament or physical condition.*

I accept possession, ownership, title and responsibility for the adopted animal at my own risk and agree not to sue or make any claims, demands or actions against HLHS and or respective agents for myself and others directly or indirectly, regarding or arising from my adopted pet.

I agree to hold harmless and indemnify and defend HLHS for any injuries to person or property caused by or related to my adopted pet.

I understand and agree I have the right to release and waive such rights and that this release, waiver and disclosure in favor of HLHS includes respective agents.

By signing this contract I become the legal owner of this adopted pet.

The adoption fee is a \$_____ and is nonrefundable after 7 days, less a \$25 administration fee.

I verify that I am eighteen years of age or older and that I fully understand my obligations as described above.

Signature _____ Date _____