

West Michigan Critter Haven Rabbit Foster Application

Thank you for considering volunteering to help us save more lives by being a foster! Please complete the following application and email it to info@wmicritterhaven.org for review. An adoption/foster coordinator will call you for an interview when it is received. Do your best to answer each question. We recommend visiting the house rabbit society's webpage at www.rabbit.org before answering questions.

Fosters can expect to provide indoor housing, food, litter and toys for a foster bunny. The rescue can generally provide cages if needed. Vet care is dealt with on an individual basis and must be discussed with the director before treatment.

Personal Information

Date: _____
Name: _____
Address: _____ City: _____
State: _____ Zip: _____
Home Phone: (____) _____ Cell Phone: (____) _____
E-mail: _____
Driver's License #: _____
Birth Date: _____
Place of Employment: _____
Work Phone:(____) _____ Ext. #: _____

Name of Spouse or Significant Other

Driver's License # _____
Birth Date: _____
Place of Employment: _____
Work Phone: (____) _____ Ext. #: _____

Housing Information

Do you rent, own or lease your housing?

If you rent does your landlord allow pets? (Please provide landlord contact information so we can call to verify)

Can you obtain a letter of proof that your contract allows pets?

How long have you lived at your current residence?

Do you have use of a vehicle to pick up a pet?

Who would watch your foster rabbit(s) if you went out of town?

Current Pet Information

Please describe any current pets that reside in your home. List Name, Age, Breed, Gender and whether they are altered (spayed/neutered).

Are your current pets up to date on their vaccinations and routine vet care?

Please describe past pets (within 10 years) and detail why you no longer have them:

Please list each person who lives in your home and give the ages of all minors under age 18.

Are all members of your home aware of and comfortable with fostering a pet?

Does anyone in your home have allergies to pets, hay, grass or dust?

Can you provide an area in your house for the foster rabbit that is strictly non-smoking?

Please describe your views on breeding, showing and non-pet reasons for keeping rabbits?

Rabbit Experience

Have you ever cared for a house rabbit previously?

Have you thoroughly read the house rabbit care articles provided by our rescue and are you familiar with the material content located on the house rabbit society's website (www.rabbit.org)?

Are you a member of the house rabbit society?

Do you own or have access to the House Rabbit Handbook: How to Live with an Urban Rabbit by Marinell Harriman?

Why are you interested in fostering rabbits?

Please describe the housing you plan to provide a foster rabbit:

Rabbit Experience Continued:

Please describe the daily exercise you plan to give your foster rabbit:

Please describe what grooming you plan to give your foster rabbit:

Please describe the type of litter & litter box arrangement you plan to provide your foster rabbit:

Please describe what toys you plan to provide your foster rabbit:

Please describe the diet you plan to give your foster rabbit daily:

How much time do you plan to spend interacting with and caring for your foster rabbit daily:

Are you aware that rabbits can chew and dig and your home must be bunny proofed for safety?

Rabbit Illness

Do you know the symptoms of an ill, injured or frightened rabbit? Please describe:

Please describe any previous experience with ill or injured animals you may have:

Personal References

Please give three personal references. Include their name, current address and phone numbers where they can best be reached.

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2.

3.

Please give a vet reference. Include the name, address and office phone number. You will need to call your vet ahead of time to give permission for us to speak with them.

Vet:

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