

ADOPTION GUIDE

We want to express our heartfelt gratitude for opening your heart and home to a shelter pet. Your decision to adopt and offer a pet the love, care, and security they deserve will make a significant impact on their life. We genuinely appreciate your support!

**Prior to adoption, all pets in our program are spayed/neutered, up-to-date on vaccinations and have been behaviorally assessed!*

ALL OF THE PETS IN OUR ADOPTION PROGRAM ARE HERE UNTIL THEY ARE ADOPTED

STEP 1: VISIT THE SHELTER!

Maryland SPCA
3300 Falls Road
Baltimore, MD 21211
410-235-8826 x1000

Monday – Friday: 1:00pm – 7:00p

Saturday: 12:00pm – 5:00pm

Sunday: CLOSED

CAT ADOPTION FEES:

Kittens: \$125

Bonded Kittens: \$188

Cats: \$80

Bonded Cats: \$120

DOG ADOPTION FEES:

Puppies: \$275

Puppies 3 mo+ 20lbs+: \$150

Small dogs: \$275

Medium / Large Dogs: \$150

STEP 2: MEET THE PET!

All pets that are available for adoption will have a card hanging on their kennel that lists information about that pet. Please read over the information provided carefully to make sure that pet will be a good fit for your family. (*Pets with signs that say "I'm not available for adoption at this time" can NOT be met.*) We will allow you to meet up to three dogs and/or three cats per visit to the shelter. We encourage you to interact with the pet during the meet and greet. Please feel free to ask questions regarding the pet that you are meeting.

After you have completed the meet and greet, the Kennel staff member will direct you back to the adoptions lobby to speak with one of our volunteers about starting the adoption process.

STEP 3: APPLY FOR THE PET & COMPLETE ADOPTION INTERVIEW

Our front desk volunteer will have you complete a back sheet, sign you in for your adoptions interview and ask you to complete an adoption application while you wait for an available counselor.

During the interview we will go over the pet's medical history and discuss everything we know about the pet while getting to know more about what kind of pet may best suit your home and answer any questions that you may have.

The MD SPCA does same-day adoptions, only if a veterinarian has cleared the pet to leave and the pet is spayed or neutered. You may also place a pet on a 24 hour hold while you prepare. (*Pets on stray hold, pending vet clearance or awaiting spay or neuter surgery, may not go home the same-day*). We will place the pet on hold for you until the pet can go home. We will then reach out to schedule a time for you to come in and pick up the pet.

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