

# Orange County Pit Bull Rescue Adoption Application

Please fill out this form completely; failure to answer one or more questions may result in your application being rejected. Failure to disclose may result in your application being rejected. You must be at least 25 years of age or older. Completion of this application does not guarantee adoption of a dog. OCPBR reserves the right to refuse any adoption to any applicant for any reason.

Please indicate the name of the dog you are interested in:

Why do you want to adopt this particular dog?

Name (first & last):

Street Address:

City:

State:

Zip Code:

Phone Number:

Email:

DL#

Employer:

How long have you been at this job?

How long have you lived at the above address?

Do you own or rent at the above address?

Landlord's Name (*first & last*):

Landlords Phone number (we will not contact unless you have been approved for a home visit):

Do you have homeowner's or renter insurance? *If yes, who is your carrier?*

Do you live in an HOA? *If yes, are there any weight or breed restrictions?*

Please list the ages of all members in household:

Who will be the primary caretaker of this dog?

Please choose your family's activity level (*very active, medium energy, mellow*):

If you have children, do they have experience with dogs? How will they be supervised?

Has everyone in your household been included in the decision to adopt a Pit Bull?

Have you ever owned a Pit Bull?

Why do you want to adopt a Pit Bull?

Please tell us about the pets you currently own. *Type, Age, Breed, Spayed/Neutered? How did you acquire them?*

If you have dogs, have any of them ever bit another dog or a human? Please summarize the incident(s).

Please tell us about other pets you have owned. *For each pet, please include the following information: breed, age, length of ownership, how ownership ended. If the animal passed away, please include the cause of passing. If the animal was rehomed, please provide details.*

I would like to adopt this dog for *(please indicate all that apply)*:

Companion for myself

Companion for other pets

A gift for someone

Personal Protection

Guard dog for property/business

Hunting Dog

Other:

Where will the dog spend most of his/her time? *(please indicate all that apply)*:

Indoors with family

Basement or garage

Indoor/Outdoor Kennel

Tied out in yard

Loose in yard

Free in house

Other:

How many hours per day will the dog be left alone?

If you have other pets, how will they be managed when unsupervised?

Do you have a fenced yard, how high is the fence?

Do your gates lock?

Where will the dog stay when home alone? (please indicate all that apply):

Crate or Indoor kennel

Basement or Garage

Outdoor kennel/Dog Run

Tied in yard

Loose in yard

Free in house

Other:

Where will the dog sleep at night?

May we visit your home prior to approval?

How do you plan on exercising the dog? How often?

Do you plan to bring this dog to off-leash areas such as dog parks or beaches?

Have your current or previous pets been through behavior training? If yes, where and with whom?

When going out of town or on vacation, who will care for this dog?

Do you plan on completing behavior/obedience training with this dog?

Many dogs experience a transition period when brought into a new home. Some behavioral issues may arise while they are adjusting to their new home. Please explain how you would potentially handle these behaviors. Please note that OCPBR will

be a resource to you for any training or behavioral needs that may arise during and after the adoption process.

Destructive Chewing:

Excessive Barking:

Jumping on People:

Pulling on leash:

Aggression or Reactivity towards other pets:

Aggression or Reactivity towards people:

Are there any behaviors that you are not willing to work with?

Under what circumstances would you not be able to keep your dog?

Moving

New baby

Separation/Divorce

Illness

Behavioral problems

Other:

Do you currently have a veterinarian? *If yes, please list the practice and Veterinarian's name:*

Have you thought about a budget for your pet's veterinary care, including routine and potential emergency visits? What is the budget number you came up with?

What you will you do if the veterinary care goes over your budget?

Spare no expense

Ask family/friend for a loan

Give pet to family/friend

Purchase pet insurance

Surrender dog  
Euthanize dog

Please provide us with two personal references and a Veterinary reference that we may contact. *Include name, relationship and contact phone number.*

*Reference #1:*

*Reference #2:*

*Reference #3:*

Is there anything else you would like us to know about you?

**I understand that this application is part of the foster to adopt process and will be enforced. I attest that the information provided on this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. If any of this information is not true and I am approved for a dog, I understand that I will be required to surrender the dog back to Orange County Pit Bull Rescue. I understand that the completion of this application does not guarantee adoption of the dog. Adoptions are not made on a first come basis. OCPBR reserves the right to make the final decision on all placements based on the safety and general well-being of the animal.**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_