



## Incoming Cat Questionnaire

Cat's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Declawed:  Yes  No  
Sex:  Male  Female Are they fixed (spayed/neutered):  Yes  No

How long has this cat lived with you? \_\_\_\_\_

Why can you no longer keep your cat? \_\_\_\_\_

Where did you get the cat from? \_\_\_\_\_

What brand of food do you feed your cat? \_\_\_\_\_

What type of food do they eat:  Dry kibble  Canned  Human foods

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### OUTDOOR/INDOOR

Where does this cat live?  Indoors only  Indoors and outdoors  Outdoors only

If indoor/outdoor, when was the cat allowed outdoors? \_\_\_\_\_

When outdoors, was this cat:  Allowed to roam  Always supervised  On harness/leash

If indoors, did this cat try to escape/run out the door?  Yes  No

If outdoors, did this cat ever fight with other cats or animals outside?  Yes  No

If yes, what type of animals? \_\_\_\_\_

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### SOCIAL BEHAVIOR

Cat has lived with:

Women  Men  Children (Ages \_\_\_\_\_)  Prefers men  Prefers women  Loves everyone

If cat lived with CHILDREN (Check all that apply):

Cat actively avoided child  Child could pet cat  Loved each other  
 Ignored each other  Child would play with cat  Cat hissed/growled at child  
 Prefers men  Prefers women  Other \_\_\_\_\_

How would you describe your cat most of the time? (check all that apply)

Friendly to family  Talkative  Fearful  
 Shy to family  Quiet  Fearless  
 Friendly to visitors  Playful  A clown  
 Shy to visitors  Independent  More like a dog  
 Very active  Lap cat  One person cat  
 Couch potato  Affectionate

**If your cat has lived with DOGS, how did they interact?**

**Didn't live with dogs**

(check all that apply)

- What breed and size of dog? \_\_\_\_\_  Small  Medium  Large
- Adored each other  Played together  Sniffed noses  Groomed each other
- Slept near each other  Ignored each other  Cat feared dog  Fought with injuries
- Fought without injuries  Dog chased cat  Caused dog stress  Cat rubbed on dog
- Cat tormented dog  Avoided each other  Peacefully coexisted
- Other (please explain) \_\_\_\_\_

**If this cat has lived with other cats, how did they interact?**  **Didn't live with cats**

(check all that apply)

- Adored each other  Played together  Sniffed noses  Groomed each other
- Slept near each other  Ignored each other  Cat feared other cat  Fought with injuries
- Fought without injuries  Gentle with others  Caused this cat stress  Hisses at other cats
- Swats at the other cats  Peacefully coexisted  Other (please explain) \_\_\_\_\_

**Is your cat overly active at night?**  Yes  No

If yes, what is your cat doing at night? \_\_\_\_\_

**Has this cat ever:**  Bitten and drawn blood  Bite without blood  Scratched  Neither

**If the cat has bitten, when did the last bite occur:** \_\_\_\_\_

**What caused this cat to growl or hiss?** \_\_\_\_\_

**When does this occur?** \_\_\_\_\_

**How does your cat react to VISITORS?**  Doesn't care/change behavior

Retreats/hides  Greets immediately  Hides, but will come out after \_\_\_\_\_ (minutes/hours)

How would you describe your household?  Very busy  Some activity  Quiet and calm

**How does your cat like to PLAY?** (check all that apply)  Plays gently, does not use teeth or claws

- Likes to play rough  May bite or scratch  Likes to play in or around water
- Likes to chase and pounce with variety of toys  Likes to learn tricks for treats
- Likes things that crackle, such as paper bags  Likes to play with other cats
- Will fetch items like bottle caps or toys  Likes to play with dogs
- Chases bugs or moths  Not Interested in play

Does your cat have any favorite toys? \_\_\_\_\_ Does this cat like catnip?  Yes  No

Where does your cat like to be petted? \_\_\_\_\_

Where does your cat dislike being petted? \_\_\_\_\_

How does your cat react to being picked up? \_\_\_\_\_

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### LITTERBOX HABITS

Where does your cat urinate (pee) and defecate (poop):  Litterbox  Outside

What type of litterbox do you have?  Covered  Uncovered  Other \_\_\_\_\_

What type of litter do you use?  Clumping  Clay  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Where in your home is the litterbox(es) located? \_\_\_\_\_

How often do you clean the litterbox?  Daily  Every few days  Once a week  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Does your cat ever have an accident (pee or poop) outside the litterbox?  Yes  No

(If yes, fill out house soiling profile. If no, go to health section)

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### HEALTH

Does your cat have a veterinarian?  Yes  No Last Visit? \_\_\_\_\_

Name of vet's office/hospital: \_\_\_\_\_

How does your cat react to being at the vet's office? \_\_\_\_\_

What else would an adopter need to know about your cat: \_\_\_\_\_

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What is your cat's best quality? \_\_\_\_\_

I authorize the release of my pet's medical records to the APF \_\_\_\_\_

(Signature)

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**STAFF USE ONLY** – Initial each item

\_\_\_\_ Review the profile

\_\_\_\_ If RTO option, note in PetPoint

\_\_\_\_ Enter behavior notes in PetPoint

\_\_\_\_ If house soiling profile, add notes to PetPoint