



ADOPTION
APPLICATION
FORM





Manchester & Cheshire Dogs' Home

PLEASE NOTE:

- This application form is for Manchester Dogs' Home, please contact Cheshire Dogs' Home directly on 0300 102 1212 if you wish to adopt from there.
- Please be aware that our Adoption procedure has changed.
- Please read the following to ensure you are able to adhere to the procedure we currently have in place.
- You must be over the age of 18 to make an application to adopt.

Adoption Requirements

- This is a multi-stage application; the stages are as follows:
 - Completed application received.
 - Application assessed by one of the adoptions team.
 - If we feel we have a dog who would suit your needs and visa versa, a member of the team will contact you to arrange a virtual home visit.
 - Virtual home visit undertaken by the adoptions team.
 - If successful you will be given an appointment to come in and meet the dog.
 - Depending on the dogs needs – this could take several visits.
- We may need to contact you to clarify information on the application form, please ensure there is at least one valid phone number on the form.
- We need the following information sending through to us **BEFORE** your virtual home visit and to proceed with the application:
 - Identification – 1 x Utility Bill (something with your address on it), 1 x Photo ID (Driving Licence)
 - If you rent, written permission from your landlord you can have a dog. A copy of your tenancy agreement will not be suitable unless it clearly states pets can be kept.
 - If you own, a mortgage statement, or proof of building insurance.
 - This information is required via E-mail. Please email to reception@dogshome.net
If you do not have email, please mail copies to the above to Manchester Dogs' Home, Crofters House, Moss Brook Road, M9 5PG.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF ADOPTION

Please read and ensure you fully understand these terms and conditions as they form the basis of the legal adoption between Manchester & Cheshire Dogs Home and yourselves. (The Owner/Keeper)

- I understand that this dog is a stray or unwanted dog and I accept the dog with all its faults be that behaviour, physical or mental.
- I understand this dog is likely to have Kennel Cough and could be harbouring other diseases and I do not hold Manchester & Cheshire Dogs Home responsible for the costs in treating such conditions.
- I understand that this dog may have behavioural problems or traits that the Home will not have seen in the Kennel Environment.
- I understand that from the point of signing onwards I am responsible for the dog and any veterinary treatment it incurs.
- I understand that from the point of signing onwards I am the responsible keeper and owner of the dog and the microchip will be registered in my name and address.
- I accept that from the point of signing, if the dog is found to be aggressive, out of control in a public place or if the dog bites someone I am responsible for all fines, charges and penalties and I will not seek to have these reimbursed by Manchester & Cheshire Dogs Home.
- I am a private individual and I am adopting the dog as a family pet
- I am not looking to profit from the dog by working the dog.
- I will not breed from the dog.
- I do not work for and will not pass the dog onto another rescue centre.

- If the dog is found to be unsuitable I will, in the first instance contact Manchester & Cheshire Dogs Home to assess the suitability for rehoming the dog with them.
- I am over 18 Years Old
- I have advised the Manchester & Cheshire Dogs Home of all of the people and pets living in my house and we have undertaken the required assessments. I will not hold the Home responsible for loss or injury as a result of any third party interaction with the dog.
- I understand and abide by these terms and conditions.
- I understand that by signing below I am agreeing to be bound by these terms and conditions.

By Initialling and dating below, I confirm that I have read the above, I am happy to proceed with the application process, I can supply the written permission required and I will ensure information is received prior to the Home making any appointments. I agree to be bound by the terms and conditions of adoption.

DATE: ____/____/____

INITIALS: _____



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Adoption Questionnaire

Dog Name

Reference No.

What made you choose this dog?

Have you owned a dog before?

YES

NO

If yes, please provide details of breed, temperament, and any behavioural difficulties you may have worked with during this time.

Do you have experience of rescue dogs or those that have lived in a previous home?

YES

NO

Please tell us everyone who lives in your house (or visits regularly) Please include ages of children.

Does anyone who lives in your house (or visits regularly) have any allergies?

YES

NO

If yes, please give details



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Do you have any other pets or animals

YES NO

If **yes**, please give details

Do you have any other pets/animals visit regularly?

YES NO

If **yes**, please give details, include details of if they are neutered/vaccinated or under vet treatment.

Is your property -

Owned

Rented

Type of property -

Flat

Detached House

Semi Detached House

Terraced House

Bungalow

Other: _____

Do you have a secure garden/yard?

YES NO

Roughly how high are the walls/fences?

How much exercise would you be able to provide the dog each day?

Do you have experience of dogs that require training and socialisation?

YES NO

If **yes**, please give details



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is this something you are able to provide for a new addition?

YES NO

How much exercise would you be able to provide the dog each day?

What work commitments do you have?

How many hours a day and how often would the dog be left alone?

If you are out of the house for long periods of time, what steps do you have in place for when the dog is left?

Do you have someone who can care for the dog in cases of emergency?

Yes No

If yes, please give details:

Are there any planned changes to your circumstances in the near future that we should know about? YES NO

If yes, please give details:

(i.e., New baby, change of working hours, moving to a new house, etc.)

Are you currently registered with a vet?

YES NO

We may contact your vet for a reference?

YES NO

Vet Name, Address and Telephone No.

Any other information you think we should know?



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Your Details

Name:

Address:

Landline No.:

Mobile No.:

Email Address:

I hereby confirm that the information provided above is accurate, correct, and complete.

I am aware that missing or incomplete information could affect my application.

I understand my details will be held on record with Manchester Dogs' Home as a potential or successful adopter in line with our Privacy Policy (a copy of which can be found on our website)

Signed:

Date

We are required to keep details of financial transactions for up to 10 years, as such your details may be held on our database for that time. You have the right to be removed from the database after that time by informing us in writing to the Manchester Dogs Home address above.

During this time, we may contact you about special offers, promotions, fundraising etc.

- I am happy to be contacted.
 I do not want to be contacted.

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Application Successful

YES NO

Date of Virtual Home Visit

Logged on Anilog YES NO

Application Uploaded

YES NO