

Furever Ferrets Sanctuary, Inc. – Foster Caregiver Agreement

Furever Ferrets Sanctuary, Inc.
East Rochester, New York

This Foster Agreement is entered into on [Date], by and between Furever Ferrets Sanctuary, Inc., a nonprofit animal rescue located in East Rochester, NY (hereinafter referred to as the “Sanctuary”), and the undersigned individual (hereinafter referred to as the “Foster”).

1. Purpose

The Sanctuary is entrusting the Foster with temporary care of one or more ferrets (hereinafter referred to as the “Animal(s)”) for the purpose of rehabilitation, socialization, and/or housing while awaiting permanent adoption or transfer.

2. Term of Agreement

This agreement remains in effect until the Animal(s) is returned to the Sanctuary or adopted, unless terminated earlier by either party with 72 hours’ notice.

3. Foster Responsibilities

- Provide a safe, loving, and secure indoor-only environment for the Animal(s).
- Feed the Animal(s) a Sanctuary-approved diet only (no peas, grains, or dangerous fillers).
- Keep the Animal(s) in a clean and enriched environment with proper stimulation and supervision.
- Administer medications or treatments as directed, if applicable.
- Immediately notify the Sanctuary of any signs of illness, injury, behavioral changes, escape, or death.
- Make the Animal(s) available for veterinary visits, photos, adoption events, or meet-and-greets when requested.
- Not transfer, adopt out, breed, sell, or surrender the Animal(s) to any other person or organization.
- Return all supplies provided by the Sanctuary upon termination of this agreement or return of the Animal(s).

4. Sanctuary Responsibilities

- Provide the Animal(s) with food, litter, bedding, medical care, and supplies, or reimburse pre-approved purchases.
- Offer behavioral and health support and guidance as needed.
- Retain full legal ownership of the Animal(s) at all times.

5. Veterinary Care & Emergencies

The Foster must contact the Sanctuary prior to seeking any non-emergency veterinary treatment. In the case of a life-threatening emergency, the Foster may pursue immediate care but must notify the

Sanctuary as soon as safely possible. Unauthorized expenses may not be reimbursed.

6. Risk & Liability Waiver

The Foster understands that animals can be unpredictable and assumes all risks associated with fostering. The Foster hereby releases and holds harmless Furever Ferrets Sanctuary, its directors, volunteers, staff, and affiliates from any and all liability, claims, damages, or expenses arising from injury, illness, or property damage incurred while fostering.

7. Home Checks & Follow-Up

The Foster agrees to allow virtual or in-person check-ins as needed to ensure the well-being of the Animal(s).

8. Return of Animal(s)

The Animal(s) must be returned immediately upon request or if the Foster can no longer provide care.

9. Legal Status

This agreement does not constitute a transfer of ownership. All animals remain the sole property of Furever Ferrets Sanctuary, Inc.

Foster Full Name (Printed): _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Sanctuary Representative Name: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____