# Cat Intake Questionnaire 

Date: $\qquad$
Has this cat bitten anyone or any animal in the past 10 days?
$\square$ No $\quad \square$ Yes If yes, please stop and inform the staff.

## General Information

Cat's Name: $\qquad$ Age or approximate age: $\qquad$
Sex: $\square$ Male $\square$ Female $\square$ Unsure Spayed/Neutered? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No $\square$ Unsure
Any I.D.? $\square$ Microchip? Number: $\qquad$ $\square$ Tattoo? Location: $\qquad$
Declawed? $\square$ Front $\square$ All $\square$ Not declawed If declawed, when done? $\square$ As kitten $\square$ As adult

## History

Why surrendering? $\qquad$
What efforts have you taken to re-home your pet? $\qquad$
How long have you owned this cat? $\qquad$
Where did you acquire this cat?
$\square$ From HSTC $\square$ Rescue Group $\square$ Breeder $\square$ Found as a stray $\square$ Ad (paper, Craigslist, etc)
$\square$ Friend/relative $\square$ Pet Store $\square$ Born in my home $\square$ Other_ $\qquad$

## Medical History

Did the cat see a veterinarian at least once per year? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No $\square$ Not sure
If so, which clinic? $\qquad$
Is the cat current on vaccinations? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No $\square$ Not sure
Any known medical problems? $\qquad$
Any past surgeries?

## Personality

How would you describe your cat most of the time? (Check all that apply)
$\square$ Friendly to family $\quad \square$ Friendly to visitors $\quad \square$ Shy to visitors $\square$ Very active $\square$ Fun/Playful $\square$ Talkative $\square$ Lazy/Couch potato $\square$ Affectionate $\square$ Lap cat $\square$ Independent $\square$ Solitary $\square$ Quiet $\square$ Withdrawn $\square$ Bold/Fearless $\square$ Fearful

## Dietary Habits

What is the cat's favorite brand of food? $\qquad$
Which does your cat eat?
$\square$ Dry only $\square$ Canned only $\square$ Combination of dry \& canned $\square$ Semi-Moist $\square$ People food
What type of treats does your cat enjoy? $\qquad$
How often is your cat fed? $\square$ Food always available $\square$ Designated mealtimes

## Lifestyle \& Home Life

What areas of your home did the cat have access to? (Check all that apply)
$\square$ Indoors $\square$ Outdoors $\square$ Indoors with access to outside $\square$ Indoors at night $\square$ Indoors in cold weather $\square$ Garage or basement $\square$ In barn or shed $\square$ Screened porch $\square$ Other $\qquad$
Where did your cat spend most of his or her time? (Check all that apply)
$\square$ Bedroom $\square$ Kitchen $\square$ Living room $\square$ Garage or basement $\square$ At the window $\square$ Outdoors only $\square$ Barn or shed $\square$ Where people are $\square$ Other
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Has this cat has lived with dogs? $\square$ Yes $\quad \square$ No
Did they get along? $\qquad$
Has this cat been around children? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No $\square$ Unsure. Ages: $\qquad$
Personality with children: $\qquad$
Describe the ideal home for your cat? $\qquad$

## Litter box Habits

We ask so many questions about litter box use because it is one of the main reasons cats are surrendered. Please help us by giving as much detailed information as possible. Sometimes a change in environment may be just what the cat needs, and sometimes there are more serious health or behavior issues involved.

Does your cat have access to a litter box in the house? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No If no, did your cat use the bathroom outdoors? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No $\square$ Sometimes If sometimes, how often does the cat make mistakes? $\qquad$ Is the litter box: $\square$ Covered $\square$ Uncovered Where is the litter box(s) located in the house?
Please describe any litter box accidents:
$\square$ Urinates outside the box $\square$ Urinates on clothing/furniture $\square$ Defecates outside the box
$\square$ Sprays on walls/furniture $\square$ All of the above $\square$ Other How often was litter box scooped? $\square$ Every day $\square$ Every few days $\square$ Weekly $\square$ Rarely What type(s) of litter was used? $\square$ Unscented $\square$ Scented $\square$ Clumping $\square$ Non-Clumping $\square$ Crystals $\square$ Clay $\square$ Pine $\square$ Newspaper $\square$ Other:

Are there other animals in your home? $\square$ No $\square$ Other cats $\square$ Dogs $\square$ Birds $\square$ Rodents If other cats are in the home, how many shared a litter box?
$\square$ One $\square$ Two or more $\square$ Many cats shared $\square$ Multiple boxes for multiple cats If litter box accidents were an issue, when did they begin?
$\square$ Past month $\square$ Past year $\square$ Ongoing
Please tell us any additional comments about your feline friend.
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