



Get Your Pet

From one good home to another

10 Benefits of GetYourPet.com to Foster Parents & Shelters

Getyourpet.com helps pets go from one good home to another, including pets in foster homes needing permanent placement.

<u>Our Process</u>	<u>Your Benefits</u>
Foster parents are in control of creating the pet's profile. In just a few minutes, they can upload three (3) photos and a short video, as well as identify all the things that make the pet desirable.	1) No shelter resources or staff are needed to promote, advertise, track and handle the pet for adoption. 2) The foster parent is uniquely qualified to do a better job in this process, since they live with and know the pet.
Getyourpet.com exposes the pets to hundreds of thousands of local potential adopters.	3) Pets have a better chance of being adopted directly from their foster home, rather than returning to the shelter and taking up valuable space and resources. 4) A foster parent can simultaneously try to find an adopter for the pet through other channels, so <i>getyourpet.com supplements</i> , doesn't <i>replace</i> existing efforts.
Foster parents schedule meet-ups and communicate with potential adopters on <i>getyourpet.com</i> . They then meet and screen potential adopters in a neutral location that is less stressful for the pet.	5) Foster parents can more effectively advocate for the pet because they know the pet's personality and are scheduling activities on their own time. 6) Out of the shelter, the pet will behave normally, increasing the chances of a permanent adoption.
When the foster parent has identified a suitable adopter, they can have the adopter fill out the shelter's required paperwork.	7) The foster parent (and their shelter), like all Guardians on <i>getyourpet.com</i> , have final say as to whether or not an adopter is appropriate.
If approved, both the shelter and <i>getyourpet.com</i> record the adoption as finalized in their systems.	8) The shelter has a live release. 9) The foster parent is free to foster another pet. 10) Most importantly, the pet now has a permanent home!

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The Dollar Benefits to Shelters of Partnering with GetYourPet.com

Shelters do not receive adoption fees for pets adopted through getyourpet.com. Yet the dollar benefits to shelters of partnering with us far outweigh any “lost” adoption fees.

(And remember: we supplement your adoption program, don't replace it.)



Reduce Animal Intake

1 out of every 3 of pets entering shelters is surrendered.

Get Your pet can alleviate this burden, meaning 1/3 less money spent on housing, caring for and feeding animals.



Increase Live Release Rate

Fewer animals entering the shelter means fewer euthanasia decisions have to be made, which results in an improved live release rate. This statistic is critically important to obtaining grant funding and donations, the shelter's principal source of revenue.



More Efficiently Allocate Resources

Each potentially surrendered pet that is adopted through getyourpet.com allows the shelter to redirect resources to strays and abused animals, improvements to facilities, staffing and innovative programs that promote lifesaving.



Strengthen Your Foster Network

Getyourpet.com allows your foster network to work the way it should, as a conduit to permanent homes. Spend less money supporting it and less time finding replacements for foster homes that fill up with pets and can no longer foster.

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