



PWDCA Rescue, Inc.

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ADOPTION APPLICATION

You have expressed an interest in adopting a Portuguese Water Dog from the PWDCA Rescue, Inc. program. Please answer the following questions and return this form to the address above.

Why do you want a PWD? _____

Please list all pets you now have: (include age, sex, and if spayed/neutered) _____

Have you ever given up a dog? (Y) (N) If yes, please

explain: _____

How many people in your household? (Please include children and their ages.) _____

How many hours a day will your pet be alone? _____

Are you aware that PWDs must be groomed? _____

Will you groom the dog yourself? _____ Use a groomer? _____

Are you aware that PWDs are very active? _____

How will your dog be exercised? Fence_____ (how high)_____ Walk_____

Will you deal with health issues should your dog need special care in later life?_____

What would you consider the limitations to be? _____

Please give the name, address and phone number of your current veterinarian:

Rescue PWDs range in age. What age will you consider?_____

Do you prefer: Male_____ Female_____ Does not matter_____

Will you consider a special needs dog, such as one who requires medication for a permanent but controlled condition?_____

If you have any special requirements or requests for a dog, please let us know so that we can more carefully match a dog to your lifestyle:_____

On a separate piece of paper, please tell us about yourself and your family, including any special activities in which your pet would be included.

I/We hereby agree to assume all costs involved in the care and maintenance of a Portuguese Water Dog adopted from the PWDCA Rescue, Inc. program. This includes food, veterinary care and licensing in accordance with local dog license laws. I/We agree to keep the dog in a safe environment when left alone at home, and not to tie or chain the dog indoors or in a yard. I/We further agree to train or retrain the dog to be a good companion.

If, for any reason, I/we should not be able to keep this dog, I/we understand that the dog must be returned to the PWDCA Rescue, Inc. representative.

I/We assume responsibility for any dog adopted from the PWDCA, Rescue Inc. program and agree that PWDCA Rescue, Inc. is not liable or responsible for any damage to persons or property once the Adoption Contract is signed by me/us. I/We understand that an Adoption Contract is part of the adoption process and will be enforced. Once the dog is adopted, if it is found to be neglected or abused, PWDCA Rescue, Inc. reserves the right to reclaim it. I/We attest that the information provided on this application is true and accurate to the best of my/our knowledge.

I/We understand that signing this application does not guarantee placement of a Portuguese Water Dog with me/us. I/We are aware that there is a waiting list for rescued Portuguese Water Dogs.

Applicant(s) Signature: _____ Date: _____

Applicant(s) Name (Please Print): _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ (Home)

_____ (Work)

E-mail: _____

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PWDCA Rescue Inc. Representative: _____

Date Received: _____

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