

Texas Italian Greyhound Rescue, Inc.
Foster Application

Thank you for your interest in fostering an IG for TIGR. Fostering an IG is a wonderful experience. Your loving care will be a tremendous help to the IG in its transition to his forever home. Your guidance, patience and love will help them learn to trust and appreciate what a kind and loving home can be. It will also ensure a faster opportunity for adoption. Please complete the following information.

Name(s) _____ Date _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

E-mail address _____ DL# _____ DOB _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Where do you work? _____

Work address _____
City _____

Work Phone _____

Name of contact person who can always reach you _____
Phone _____

Why would you like to foster an Italian Greyhound?

Do you currently have an Italian Greyhound? _____ Sex/Altered _____

What is your knowledge of this breed?

Describe your residence (single family home, duplex, apartment, condo)

Do you own or rent? _____ If you rent or lease do you have permission from your landlord to have a dog? _____

Landlord's name _____ Phone _____

Do you have a completely fenced yard? _____ Type/Height _____

Do you have a pool? _____ Is it fenced/covered when not in use? _____

Do you have a dog ladder or ramp? _____ If no, are you willing to get one? _____

Number of adults in home _____ List children and their ages _____

What other pets do you have? (list type, sex, and if altered)

Approximately how many hours will your foster dog be alone each day? _____

Do you own a crate? _____ What size? _____

How will you teach house breaking? _____

Where will your foster dog spend its time during the day? _____

At night?

Occasionally an older IG or one with special needs is in need of foster care. Would you consider fostering such a dog? _____

TIGR will provide the usual and customary veterinary expenses (including vaccinations, testing, heartworm preventative, spay/neuter, initial dental cleaning, microchipping), a martingale collar, halter and leash.

Foster parents agree to be responsible for providing food, and any veterinary care due to injury caused by foster parent's negligence. Any other expenses must be pre-approved by a TIGR officer.

Do you agree to keep a collar with TIGR identification tags on the foster dog at all times? _____

Do you agree to immediately notify TIGR should the foster dog become lost or stolen? _____

Do you agree to carry homeowner's or renter's, as the case may be, personal liability insurance coverage in the amount of \$100,00/\$300,000 for the additional purpose of insuring against any possible property or personal injury claims arising from any action or incident caused by the IG while in your care? _____

Do you agree to use a martingale collar and halter on the foster dog when away from home? _____

Some fosters are not leash trained, skittish, and scared. Until you know the temperament of your foster, do you agree to carry in a crate the foster from point to point? _____

Your foster dog may need to be in your care for several weeks/months, are you willing and prepared to allow this much time to foster the IG? _____

REFERENCES

Please list two references that you have known for more than one year.
At least one of your references should be a neighbor. References cannot be a family member.

REFERENCE #1

Name _____ Relationship _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (day) _____ Phone (evening) _____

REFERENCE #2

Name _____ Relationship _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (day) _____ Phone (evening) _____

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I fully understand and agree that either for failure to comply with any and all of the obligations outlined in this Foster Application, or for any reason whatsoever, while performing my voluntary services for TIGR in a voluntary capacity, TIGR, at its sole discretion, may immediately terminate my volunteer services.

By signing below, I certify that the information supplied is true and correct.

Signature _____ Date _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Return completed application to:

Mail To:

Texas Italian Greyhound Rescue
P.O. Box 270362
Flower Mound, TX 75027-0362

Or Fax To: 972-530-4567 or

Email: robin_tigr@yahoo.com

Wrought iron fences with spacing over 1 1/2 inches as well as hog wire fencing will require 36 inches of mesh fencing material to be added to current fencing to be considered for fostering.

For safety reasons, we do not allow homes with unsupervised dog doors.