



TEXAS★GREYHOUND
adoption program

Box 543 • Seguin, TX 78156 • 830-303-2229 • www.txgap.org • fastfriends@txgap.org

TxGAP ADOPTION APPLICATION
PLEASE PRINT

NAME: _____ ADDRESS: _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP: _____

SSN: _____ DL#: _____ E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

HOME PHONE: _____ WORK PHONE: _____

OCCUPATION: _____ EMPLOYER: _____

SPOUSE'S NAME: _____ SPOUSE'S OCCUPATION: _____

SPOUSE'S EMPLOYER: _____ SPOUSE'S WORK PHONE: _____

The adoption fee is \$210.00 with a deposit of \$105.00 due with the application and the remainder due when your greyhound is delivered. **Both the adoption fee and the deposit are non-refundable. There will be no exceptions to this rule.**

Normally, your greyhound will be spayed or neutered before being delivered to you. If it is not, spay or neuter must be completed by the date shown on the adoption & spay-neuter agreement you sign. Should you fail to have the procedure done by that date, Texas Greyhound Adoption Program (TxGAP) **will no longer pay** for this procedure. **No refund of the adoption fee** will be made and the adopter will bear the cost of the procedure. TxGAP will follow up with you to ensure that the procedure has been accomplished. If the procedure has not been accomplished within 30 (thirty) days, you will be required to return the greyhound to TxGAP.

1. Why do you want to adopt a greyhound as a pet?

2. Do you have any preference regarding age, sex, or color?

3. If so, would you accept a substitute? YES/NO

4. Do you live in a: House _____ Apartment _____ Condo _____ Mobile Home _____

5. If you rent or lease, do you have permission from your landlord to have a greyhound as a pet? _____ If not, could you get permission? _____ Name of landlord: _____

Address of landlord: _____

6. Is your yard fenced? _____ What type? _____ Height? _____

7. If your yard is not fenced, is there a fenced area nearby where you can exercise your greyhound? _____

8. Are you aware of the importance of keeping your greyhound on a leash? _____
9. Are you willing to keep a collar, with identification tag, stating your address and phone number on your greyhound at all times? _____
10. Do you agree never to sell, giveaway, breed, or race your greyhound? _____
11. Are you financially able and willing to accept and provide full responsibility (medical care and cost) and comfort of a greyhound **TILL DEATH DO US PART**? _____
12. How many adults live in your household? _____ How many children? _____ Ages? _____
13. Do you have any other pets? Dogs _____ Cats _____ Other _____ What type of dog(s)?
_____ Are they spayed or neutered? _____ Vaccinations Current? _____
Are they on heartworm prevention? _____ Please provide documentation.
14. Who will be responsible for the care and welfare of your greyhound? _____
15. Approximately how many hours a day will your greyhound be left alone? _____
16. Do you have a suitable place to house your greyhound while it is left alone? _____
17. Would you make arrangements to provide a suitable place? _____
18. Are you willing to purchase and use a crate? _____
19. Are you willing to keep your greyhound on heartworm medication and vaccinated against all transmittable diseases? _____
20. Will you notify Hill Country Greyhound Adoption, INC. should your greyhound ever become lost or stolen?
21. How many animals have you owned in the last 5 years? _____ Were they spayed or neutered? _____ Were they on heartworm prevention? _____ Do you still have them? _____ If no, why?

22. Veterinarian Reference: Name: _____ Address: _____
City/State/Zip: _____ Telephone: _____
23. Please list two references that have known you well, during the last three years:
- Name: _____ Address: _____
Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____
- Name: _____ Address: _____
Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____
24. If you move will you notify HCGA so our records will stay current? _____

Adopting a greyhound is a long term commitment. Greyhounds can live to be 15 years old or more. During the time you own a greyhound, you may change jobs, move, get married or divorced, have children, or have your children grow up and leave home. Don't let one of these events cause you to abandon your greyhound and return it to TxGAP. Greyhounds become extremely attached to their owners and deserve to be treated with kindness and respect. Avoid hurting and causing undue stress to them. Before you adopt, please seriously consider the long-term commitment involved. People, who give us back their greyhound for any reason, feel they've made an "honorable" decision. They don't see when they've driven off, the ex-family member watching the door, listening for the sound of a familiar car in the driveway and mourn for the family that abandoned them.

I certify that all of the information on this greyhound Adoption application is true and correct. I realize that this is the beginning step in obtaining a greyhound and that this application does not guarantee me a greyhound.

SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____

If application is mailed use address on the front of this application.

Reviewed by: _____ Date: _____

Approved by: _____ Date: _____