



LOUISVILLE

DISCOVERING GREYHOUNDS & ADOPTION OF LOUISVILLE
P.O. Box 19009, Louisville, Kentucky 40259

ADOPTION APPLICATION

OUR OBJECTIVE IS TO PLACE RETIRED RACING GREYHOUNDS INTO LOVING HOMES THAT WILL BENEFIT BOTH THE GREYHOUND AND THE ADOPTER. PLEASE FILL OUT THIS APPLICATION WITH AS MUCH DETAIL AS POSSIBLE AND RETURN IT TO THE ABOVE ADDRESS UPON COMPLETION. YOUR APPLICATION WILL BE PROCESSED WITHOUT DELAY AND ONE OF OUR REPRESENTATIVES WILL CONTACT YOU AS SOON AS THE APPLICATION IS RECEIVED.

PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY

Name _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____
Occupation _____ Employer _____
Employer Address _____

Number of adults in household _____
Number of hours they are home _____
Number of children in household and age _____
Applicant Age: Under 25 () 25-35 () 35-45 () 45-55 () Over 55 ()

Do you own/rent your home? _____

If you rent, what are the rules for Pets? _____

Can you obtain written permission from your landlord, stating that you may have a Greyhound? Yes () No ()

Landlords Name _____ Phone _____
Landlords Address _____

Are there stairs in your home? Yes () No () If yes, please describe:

Do you object to an inspection of your home by a Discovering Greyhounds and Adoption Representative? Yes () No ()

Do you have a fenced-in yard which is necessary for the safety of the greyhound?
Yes () No ()

Explain your feelings about leaving, chaining or tying a dog outdoors. _____

Are you willing and able to walk or let your greyhound outside to relieve itself 4-6 times a day? Yes () No ()

Will you be keeping your greyhound indoors () or outdoors ()?

Do you have a swimming pool, lake/pond or river near your yard? Yes () No ()

If Yes, Explain. _____

Do you agree to **immediately notify** Discovering Greyhounds and Adoption if the greyhound is lost and promise to keep a collar with tags bearing identification on your greyhound at all times? Yes () No ()

Do you promise and agree to keep your greyhound solely as a house pet, and agree never to use it for racing, hunting, or research/experiments? Yes () No ()

Do you promise and agree to return your greyhound to Discovering Greyhounds and Adoption if for any reason you cannot keep your greyhound? Yes () No ()

Do you promise not to sell or give away your greyhound without written permission from Discovering Greyhounds and Adoption? Yes () No ()

Do you own other pets (cats or dogs)? List Age, Sex and Breed.

Have you owned a dog previously? Yes () No () If yes, how many? _____

What became of the dog (s) and did you adopt them from a Rescue and Adoption Organization?

Do you have other Greyhounds? Yes () No () If yes, how many? _____

Have you had Greyhounds in the past? Yes () No () If yes, how many? _____

What became of the Greyhound (s) and which Rescue and Adoption Organization did you adopt them from? _____

Do you have a veterinarian? Yes () No () For how long? _____

List veterinarian's name, address and phone number.

Why do you want to adopt a Greyhound?

What do you desire in a Greyhound? (Sex or Size, Etc.) _____

Are you willing to accept a substitution? Yes () No ()

How did you learn about Discovering Greyhounds and Adoption of Louisville?

How did you learn about Greyhound adoption?

Have you ever applied to any other Greyhound Rescue and Adoption Organizations or other type of Animal Rescue and Adoption Group?

Yes () No ()

If Yes, list which one(s) _____.

Were you accepted or rejected? _____.

If you were **rejected**; please explain the extenuating circumstances.

Are you aware that the Greyhound career as a racer is over and that you will be unable to reactivate this career? Yes () No ()

Greyhounds adopted through Discovering Greyhounds and Adoption Inc. will come to their new owners:

- Already spayed or neutered, with a DHP-Parvo inoculation, rabies shot, a fecal analysis, teeth cleaned and a heartworm check.

We ask that the new owner make a donation to our Group of \$175.00 to help defray our non-profit groups' operating expenses.

Are you willing to make this donation? Yes () No ()

During the first year, are you willing to let a representative from Discovering Greyhounds and Adoption of Louisville come to your home to check up on the greyhound?

Yes () No ()

Do you understand that ownership of the dog will be subject to the conditions set forth in this application, and that if the dog is judged to be kept in any type of unacceptable environment by Discovering Greyhounds and Adoption of Louisville—we are entitled to regain ownership of the greyhound? Yes () No ()

Do you take full responsibility for any future liability concerning this dog, once you take custody? Yes () No ()

List three personal references that have known you for at least three years. Names, phone numbers, addresses and zip codes.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

If there is more than one adult in the household, all adults must sign this application.

I (we) certify that all the information contained on this greyhound adoption application is True and correct:

Signature of applicant (s): _____ Date _____

Thank You.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact our staff personnel at any time.

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