



Connecticut Parrot Society, Inc.  
Foster Care Application (please print)



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City / State / Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Residence: Single Family \_\_\_\_\_ Condo \_\_\_\_\_  
Apartment \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have children? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ / No \_\_\_\_\_  
Age(s) \_\_\_\_\_

List other pets: \_\_\_\_\_

Can you quarantine a bird?  
What species are you willing  
to foster? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have experience with  
these species? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you willing to have a  
home visit? \_\_\_\_\_

**FOSTER CARE AGREEMENT**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (print name) hereby submit my application to provide foster care for birds in the Connecticut Parrot Society (CPS) adoption program. I have read the CPS Adoption Policies and Procedures, and willingly agree to the terms and directives set forth therein as they apply to foster care.

If I am selected to provide foster care, I understand that I am responsible for the well-being of any bird(s) placed with me by CPS until said bird(s) are adopted. This means that I will quarantine the bird(s), if necessary, and provide a proper diet, clean water, clean living and playing areas, appropriate out-of-cage time and social interaction with said bird(s).

I understand that there are inherent risks in having an exotic bird in my home, and I accept such risks. I fully and solely accept all responsibilities and liabilities associated with fostering any bird(s) for CPS.

I understand that any bird that I foster for CPS must remain in my care until it is adopted. In the event that this should become impossible, I agree to return said bird(s) to CPS. I understand that I cannot transfer possession of said bird, except through CPS. I understand that I cannot sell said bird.

I understand that selection for foster care does not imply approval for eventual adoption of any bird(s) placed in my care. If I decide to pursue adoption through CPS, I will fill out an adoption application and submit it, together with the \$25 (members) or \$35 (non-members) non-refundable application fee, to CPS, for consideration by the adoption committee.

I certify that I have read and understood this agreement, and that I willingly accept all terms and conditions set forth herein.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

*Thank you for your interest.  
CPS is available to help with related questions or concerns.*



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**HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT**  
**(Supplement to the Foster Care Application and Agreement)**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (print name), willingly agree to hold harmless the Connecticut Parrot Society (CPS), its officers, board of directors, members, representatives, and/or volunteers from any and all liabilities, including but not limited to debts, property damage, injuries, illnesses, lost wages, scarring, and/or disabilities, whether permanent or temporary, caused by any bird(s) that I am fostering for CPS. I fully accept and agree that I am solely responsible and liable should such event occur.

I understand that parrots may attack with or without provocation or warning, and may cause considerable injury or permanent disability, including but not limited to loss of a finger, thumb, or eye (eyesight).

I agree to provide clean housing and fresh food and water, daily. I understand that providing such care may place me at risk of injury from attacks or bites.

I understand that parrots may harbor microbial bacteria or viruses, and may become infected with hidden illnesses.

I will not allow anyone direct access to, nor within arm's reach of any parrot(s) that I foster for CPS, except for CPS adoption committee members or CPS board members.

I certify that I have read and understood this agreement, and that I willingly accept all terms and conditions set forth herein.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name / Signature of Witness

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date