

Bengal Rescue Adoption Application – Cat

Applicant Information

Contact Information

****First Name**** _____

****Last Name**** _____

Spouse / Partner / Roommate (if applicable): _____

****Street Address**** _____

Apartment / Unit #: _____

****City**** _____

****State / Province**** _____

County: _____

****ZIP / Postal Code**** _____

****Primary Phone**** _____

Phone Type: ☐ Cell ☐ Home ☐ Work

Secondary Phone: _____

Phone Type: ☐ Cell ☐ Home ☐ Work

****Primary Email Address**** _____

Secondary Email Address: _____

****Cat(s) You Are Interested In**** _____

Eligibility

1. Location*

If you are located in the Midwest or East Coast, Bengal Rescue is generally unable to process your application.

Have you read and understand this policy?

2. Is this cat intended as a gift?*

3. Is this your first Bengal cat?*

☐ Yes ☐ No

Household Information

4. Do you own or rent your home?*

5. Please describe everyone living in your household.

Include:

- Relationship to you
 - Ages
 - Gender
 - Adults
 - Children
 - Seniors
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6. Pets currently living in your household

Check all that apply:

- ☐ Dog(s)
- ☐ Cat(s)
- ☐ Small animal(s)
- ☐ I would like information about introducing a new pet.
- ☐ I currently have no pets.

7. Describe your current pets.*

Include:

- Species
 - Breed
 - Age
 - Medical concerns
 - Behavioral concerns
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Topics You Would Like to Discuss

Please check all that apply.

☐ Feeding

- ☐ Litter box / house training
- ☐ Grooming / nail trimming
- ☐ Exercise & enrichment
- ☐ Finding a veterinarian
- ☐ Harness training
- ☐ Bengal-proofing your home
- ☐ Vaccinations / Spay-Neuter / Microchip / Testing

Additional questions:

Employment

8. Are you employed?*

☐ Yes ☐ No

9. Employer Information*

Employer:

Business sector:

Position / Responsibilities:

10. Work Schedule

Please describe:

- Your schedule
 - Your spouse/partner's schedule (if applicable)
 - Full-time / Part-time
 - Remote work
 - Retired
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Residence

11. Tell us about your home.*

12. If renting, landlord information

Landlord Name:

Phone / Email:

13. Does your home have a pet door leading outdoors?*

☐ Yes ☐ No

14. Length of residency*

Are you planning to move within six months?

15. If you move, what will happen to your cat?*

Background

16. Have you ever been charged with or convicted of animal abuse?*

☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, explain:

17. Do you have any serious disabilities that may affect caring for this cat?*

18. Who will be primarily responsible for the cat?*

Do all household members want this cat?

19. Does anyone have cat allergies?*

Adoption Motivation

20. Why are you interested in this particular cat?*

21. If you have children, have they been taught proper pet handling?

22. Describe your experience with behavioral training or medical care.*

Pet History

23. List every pet you've owned during the past five years.*

24. If you've owned Bengal cats before, tell us about them.*

25. Where were those pets kept? How long did you own them? Where are they now?*

26. Have you ever surrendered a pet to a rescue or shelter?*

If yes, explain.

Bengal Knowledge

27. What attracts you to the Bengal breed? What are your expectations?*

28. What would you do if your cat stopped using the litter box?*

29. Will you take the cat to a veterinarian for litter box issues?*

☐ Yes ☐ No

30. Will you contact Bengal Rescue if litter box issues develop?*

☐ Yes ☐ No

31. What are your expectations regarding the cost of caring for this cat?*

32. Medical emergencies can be expensive. How would you handle them?*

33. Have you read Bengal Rescue's Bengal care articles?*

☐ Yes ☐ No

34. What would you do if the cat scratched furniture or other inappropriate items?*

35. What would you do if the cat jumped onto kitchen counters?*

Lifestyle

36. I plan to keep this cat:*

☐ Indoor only

☐ Indoor with access to a patio

☐ Indoor / Outdoor

☐ Outdoor

37. Will you "catify" your home as recommended by Bengal Rescue?*

☐ Yes ☐ No

38. What do you plan to feed your cat?*

39. Are your current pets up-to-date on vaccinations?*

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ I do not currently have pets

40. Would the cat have access to a dog door?*

☐ Yes ☐ No

41. On average, how many hours per day would the cat be left alone?*

42. Tell us anything else about your home that you'd like us to know.*

43. Have you confirmed that Bengal ownership is legal where you live and that you comply with local pet limits?*

Agreements

44. I agree NOT to declaw this cat.*

☐ Yes ☐ No

45. I understand veterinary expenses may exceed \$1,500 in a single visit and can afford this level of care.*

☐ Yes ☐ No

46. If something happens to you, what is your plan for your pets?*

47. I agree not to transfer this cat to another person, shelter, or organization.*

☐ Yes ☐ No

48. I understand Bengal Rescue cannot guarantee temperament, health, or behavior.*

☐ Yes ☐ No

49. I understand transportation is my responsibility.*

☐ I Agree ☐ I Do Not Agree

50. I consent to a background check.*

☐ Yes ☐ No

51. If the cat is located more than two hours away, how do you plan to transport them?*

52. I agree to follow-up communication after adoption.*

☐ Yes ☐ No

53. I agree to submit the required \$25 application processing fee after submitting my application.*

☐ Yes ☐ No

Additional Notes
