



# Fort Bend County Animal Services Fostering Programs

## Finder to Foster

Our finder to foster program is open to anyone who finds a stray within our jurisdiction. The finder brings the animal to the shelter for initial intake and then fosters the animal until it is adopted.

## Foster to Adopt

Our **most popular** is the fostering to adopt program where the foster intends on adopting the animal, but has a **10 day trial period** with the **animal in their home**, to make **sure it's a good fit for the family**. For potential adopters with children and/or other animals, we recommend this option as opposed to adopting outright.

## Short-Term Foster

Our short term foster program is where the foster only intends to foster for short periods. **This could be anywhere from overnight to until adoption day.** With our current space crisis, **at least two weeks of fostering is requested.**



# Transport Foster

Another type of fostering is our transport fosters. These are people who cannot adopt these particular animals because they are set to go on transport, but they **help foster them until the transport date**. There are several different time frames for these, depending on when the animals are tagged and when the transport leaves.

# Underage/Medical Foster



Our underage/medical fostering program includes our **bottle baby puppies/kittens, seniors in need of extra love, hospice (end of life care), and any other animal with special medical needs.** (ringworm, scabies, broken limbs, etc.)

# Doggy Day Trip



We also have a Doggy Day Trip program where dogs who are fixed and ready for adoption can be **taken out for short trips during our kennel hours**. We ask that you **send us photos and a description of your day together** in order to promote the animals.