



## ***Standardbred Retirement Foundation***

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[www.AdoptaHorse.org](http://www.AdoptaHorse.org)

Dear Foster Friend,

Thank you for inquiring about fostering a Standardbred. Today, we have more than 400 horses in need under our expense and care, your kindness enables us to help them.

- The mission and goal are to find these horses loving, lifetime homes, and to remain with a foster as long as possible, if a home is not yet able.
- Marketing your foster horse to help find a loving suitable home is very helpful. Those interested should be directed to apply for adoption through our website at [Adoptahorse.org](http://Adoptahorse.org).
- Should the person you referred adopt your horse, we will provide you with half of the adoption fee collected to help with the cost you have taken on.
- We recommend that you speak with your accountant about ways to receive a tax deduction for your expenses. Most recommend saving all the receipts.
- We have horses in many sizes, ages, needs, many are companions only or can take a very light rider or a pony ride for kids, some can be ridden, or trained to ride.

If you are unfamiliar with this breed, you will be pleased to discover the Standardbred has earned a reputation for being a sturdy, calm, versatile horse that is willing and quick to learn, with wonderful manners, and patience. They are known as the "Brainiac Breed."

Thank you very much for your wonderful help and support, we will be with you every step of your and during the time you foster.

Sincerely,

SRF Adoption Coordinator

Email: [SRFAdoption@gmail.com](mailto:SRFAdoption@gmail.com) Any questions? Please call or email us.



When completed, return to:  
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**FOSTER APPLICATION**

Name of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Age (Must be at least 18 years old) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

(If Rural Route, include actual street name and address)

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

How soon are you ready for a horse? \_\_\_\_\_

I am interested in fostering a horse for the following reasons:

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

All expenses related to fostering a horse are the sole expense of the foster home. We recommend that you speak with your accountant about receiving a tax deduction.

Please check answer(s):

I am able to provide: (check all that applies):

- Turn-out Paddock or Field       Stall       Daily Care       Turn-out with 3 side shelter  
 Introduction to the saddle & gait training       Continued training

**Your Preference**

Gender       Gelding       Mare

Color       No preference       Black       Bay (more readily available)       Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Age of horse:       No Preference       Young (2-12)       Teenager (13-19)       Seasoned (20+)

I have \_\_\_\_\_ acres fenced for this horse(s).

This horse(s) will be turned out with \_\_\_\_\_ horses together.

How many hours outside per day? \_\_\_\_\_ In a stall per day? \_\_\_\_\_

How will you introduce the horses to each other? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Please check all you have experience with and what level. 1 being inexperienced and 10 being expert.

Taking a horse from pasture when other horses are present. Insert level 1-10 \_\_\_\_\_

Loading and unloading a horse in trailer Insert level 1-10 \_\_\_\_\_

How would you rate yourself in regard to care? Insert level 1-10 \_\_\_\_\_

How do you rate yourself in equine knowledge and care? (check one)

New to it  Some experience  Good  Excellent  Advanced

For what reasons would you call a Vet? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever had the responsibility of daily care for a horse for more than a year?  Yes.  No

If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list all horses sold/given away/died within the last 5 years & why (details, please):

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

List all horses you now have, their names, ages, and uses: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Please list any other animals (dogs, cats, cows, etc.) you have, and their names:

\_\_\_\_\_

Please check which applies:

I do not plan to ride or train this horse  I would like to train and ride this horse

If applicable, explain how you will use this horse: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

### **Boarding Information**

This horse will be stabled at:  Boarding Facility  Home  My property, other than home

Location for the horse: \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Name of facility (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_ Website (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Name of Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Barn Vet \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Barn Farrier: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**Applicant References:** (Please do not use family members)

• NAME OF YOUR PRESENT HORSE VET: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ How long have you used this vet? \_\_\_\_\_

(Please call your vet to inform him/her that they will be expecting our call, please authorize your vet to share your information to us. We appreciate their quick response to our call.)

• NAME OF YOUR PRESENT SMALL ANIMAL VET: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ How long have you used this vet? \_\_\_\_\_

(Please call your vet to inform him/her that they will be expecting our call, please authorize your vet to share your information to us. We appreciate their quick response to our call.)

• NAME OF YOUR FARRIER: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone# \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you used this farrier? \_\_\_\_\_

• NAME OF PERSONAL REFERENCE (work or school): \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ How long have you known this person? \_\_\_\_\_

In what capacity? \_\_\_\_\_

• NEIGHBOR (cannot be a relative): \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

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

Emergency Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_

Phone# \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to you: \_\_\_\_\_

If you are unsure how to answer a question, or would like to speak to someone, please do not hesitate to call our office or email us at: 609-738-3255, Email: SRFAdoption@gmail.com

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Applicant (Applicant must be at least 18 years of age)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date