

## Small Pets Surrender Profile

**Species: (circle)**      **Ferret**      **Guinea Pig**      **Hamster**      **Gerbil**      **Mouse**      **Rat**      **Chinchilla**

Pet's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Color \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: Male Female (circle) Is your pet spayed or neutered? \_\_\_\_\_ When? \_\_\_\_\_

How long has this pet lived with you? \_\_\_\_\_ How old was he/she when you acquired him/her? \_\_\_\_\_

Where did you acquire your pet? \_\_\_\_\_

Veterinarian: \_\_\_\_\_ Any medical problems? \_\_\_\_\_

Why are you surrendering your pet to the shelter? (circle all that apply)

Behavioral problems      Time commitment      Family Issues      Health Issues (yours or pets)      Other

Please explain in your own words why you need to relinquish your pet \_\_\_\_\_

What kind of cage does your pet live in? (circle)

*Crittertrail*      *Wire Cage*      *Multi-level cage*      *Aquarium*      *Other:* \_\_\_\_\_

What type of bedding did you use? (circle)

*Newspaper*      *Pine Shavings*      *Cedar Shavings*      *Carefresh*      *Aspen*      *Yesterday's News*      *Other:* \_\_\_\_\_

Did your pet take dust baths? \_\_\_\_ If so, what brand of dust did you use? \_\_\_\_\_

Was the pet allowed out for exercise? \_\_\_\_\_ How often? Daily \_\_\_\_ Weekly \_\_\_\_ once in a while \_\_\_\_

Was the pet allowed out in a ball or free? \_\_\_\_\_

Is the pet litter trained (circle)? Yes No Partial What kind of litter did you use? \_\_\_\_\_

What is your pet used to eating? (circle)

Pellets: Alfalfa based Timothy based with seeds/corn Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Hay: Timothy Alfalfa Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Vegetables/Meat: \_\_\_\_\_

What is your pet's favorite food? \_\_\_\_\_

Is the pet used to a water bottle or a bowl? \_\_\_\_\_

What other animals has your pet lived with? Dogs \_\_\_\_ Cats \_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Did the pet interact with the dogs/cats in the home? \_\_\_\_\_ Is yes, how did the pet do w/ those animals? \_\_\_\_\_

Did your pet have a cage mate? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, have they ever fought? \_\_\_\_\_

Has the pet ever bitten or scratched anyone? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Has the pet lived with children? \_\_\_\_ If so, what ages? \_\_\_\_\_

Is the pet good with those children (friendly, tolerant)? \_\_\_\_ If no, please explain \_\_\_\_\_

Is the pet tolerant of being handled/petted? \_\_\_\_\_

Is the pet tolerant of being lifted/held? \_\_\_\_\_

Does the pet have any naughty behaviors? \_\_\_\_\_

What games/toys does the pet enjoy? \_\_\_\_\_

Is the pet accustomed to (circle): brushing/combing ear cleaning bathing nail clipping none

What is your pet's best quality? \_\_\_\_\_