



## FURRY FELLAS PET SERVICE

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### In-home Caretakers/Weekend Day-care Host or Hostess Application

Work from home or open availability, fenced in yard/dog friendly environment, no cats unless have ability to separate them from dogs, prior experience working with dogs.

Certified in Pet CPR/First Aid or willing to take on own once position is offered .

Compensation: \$25-\$30 per 24hrs per dog +\$10 for additional dog (same family) & +\$5 on holidays

Openings all throughout RI & in Bristol County MA: 1. **Newport County**, 2. **South County & 3. Kent County (Cov/WW/EG/NK area)**, 4. **(Cranston/Warwick area)**, 5. **Providence County**, 6. **Bristol County**, 7. **MA-Seekonk/Rehoboth/Swansea/Fall River or Somerset area, etc...**

**Note;** This position can be combined with an Afternoon Dog Walker position. Hours for that are: Mon-Fri, 10am-3pm

#### **All positions require the following**

- Prior professional animal experience; vet tech, shelter, kennel (or other equivalent)
  - If not vet tech, then Pet CPR/First Aid Certification required
  - A minimum of an 8mo – 1yr commitment
  - Daily Internet Access/Own cell phone
  - Own vehicle with license/insurance/good driving record
  - Candidate must pass background screening/criminal search
- Ability to work well independently, follow directions and must be trustworthy
  - Candidate must be good with people and animals

All pet sitting/overnight/in-home boarding positions require experience medicating animal

#### Independent Contractor Application

#### **Position applying for: (circle or highlight/bold one)**

Dog Walker \_\_\_\_\_ Pet sitter \_\_\_\_\_ Overnight Sitter \_\_\_\_\_ In-home

Boarding \_\_\_\_\_

Dog walker/pet sitter combo \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Areas applying for: (circle/bold/highlight all that apply):**

Northern RI \_\_\_\_\_ Providence County \_\_\_\_\_ Kent County \_\_\_\_\_ South County \_\_\_\_\_

Bristol County \_\_\_\_\_ Newport County \_\_\_\_\_ Jamestown/ \_\_\_\_\_ MA

areas \_\_\_\_\_

#### **A. Personal Information**

**Date:**

Last Name:	First Name:
Middle Initial:	Social Security Number: <i>needed for background check</i>
Address:	City:

State:	Zip Code:
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:
Date of Birth (optional):	U.S. Citizen: yes no (circle one)
Have you ever been convicted of a crime? If yes, please explain	Wage Desired:

**B. Vehicle Information, etc...**

Do you have your own transportation?	Do you have a cell phone?
License #:	License Plate #:
Make/Model/Year of Vehicle:	Do you have access to the internet?

**C. Work History (Please list your last three employers with the most recent first.)**

1. Employer Name/Company Name:	Dates of Employment: Start:                      End:
Supervisor:	Reason for Leaving:
Address, City & State:	Job Title: & Job Duties:
Phone:	Starting Wage:      Ending Wage:
2. Employer Name/Company Name:	Date of Employment: Start:                      End:
Supervisor:	Reason for Leaving:
Address, City & State:	Job Title: & Job Duties:
Phone:	Starting Wage:      Ending Wage:
3. Employer Name/Company Name:	Date of Employment: Start:                      End:
Supervisor:	Reason for Leaving:
Address, City & State:	Job Title: & Job Duties:
Phone:	Starting Wage:      Ending Wage:

**D. Education:**

<b>1. High School-</b>	School Name:
Highest Grade Completed:	Degree:
<b>2. College-</b>	School Name:
Highest Year Completed:	Degree:

<b>3. Graduate School-</b>	School Name:
Highest Year Completed:	Degree:
<b>4. Other-</b>	

**E. References**

*Must provide at least 2 professional references –other than friends and family members*

Name:	Relationship /How do you know this person?
Address:	Phone Number:
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**F. Availability: Please highlight or circle the time-frames you are available to work**

<b>Monday:</b>	Mornings _____	Afternoons _____	Eve/nights _____	Overnights _____
<b>Tuesday:</b>	Mornings _____	Afternoons _____	Eve/nights _____	Overnights _____
<b>Wednesday:</b>	Mornings _____	Afternoons _____	Eve/nights _____	Overnights _____
<b>Thursday:</b>	Mornings _____	Afternoons _____	Eve/nights _____	Overnights _____
<b>Friday:</b>	Mornings _____	Afternoons _____	Eve/nights _____	Overnights _____
<b>Saturday:</b>	Mornings _____	Afternoons _____	Eve/nights _____	Overnights _____
<b>Sunday:</b>	Mornings _____	Afternoons _____	Eve/nights _____	Overnights _____

**Do you have any vacations scheduled or days not otherwise available for this year?**

**Are you able to make a minimum of an 8mo – 1yr commitment to these hours/the position(s) you are applying for?**

**All positions are part-time and some may not offer a guaranteed amount of visits per week. Do you have a minimum amount of hours that you need to work each week? If so, how many?**

**Do you have a maximum amount of hours that you want to work each week? If so, how many?**

**Do you have reliable transportation?**

**Do you have any physical limitations that would hinder your performance in the position applied for? (If yes, explain) \_\_\_\_\_**

**Do you have a fenced in yard? If so, what is the size?**

**Is it completely fenced?**

**How many other people live with you at your home or will have access to your home while dogs are staying there?**

**Please list ages of other people in home that would come in contact with dog**

**Do you own or rent?**

**Will dogs have free access to your home or kept to a certain area?  
If certain area, please explain?**

**Do you have pictures that you can provide of your home, yard, etc...?  
If so, please send**

**Do you have cats?**

**If so, are you able to separate the cats from the area of the house where dog boarding clients would be staying?**

**Are you able to offer cage fee boarding at your location (unless the owner requests crate sleeping/stays, etc...)?**

**We only crate dogs on our own if we run into a behavioral/house training issue that put the other dogs at risk.**

**Are you comfortable having clients pick up and drop off their dogs at your home location (by appointment)?**

**What is the longest the dogs would be left alone if taking clients dog for in home boarding?**

**How would you handle it if one of your dogs or a clients dog had an issue with one of the other dogs there for boarding?**

**Are you comfortable transporting pets in your vehicle should the need arise?**

Yes\_\_\_No\_\_\_?

**Are you comfortable medicating; Cats? Yes\_\_\_No\_\_\_? Dogs?**

Yes\_\_\_No\_\_\_?

**Do you have experience pilling cats & dogs? Yes\_\_\_No\_\_\_?**

**How do you do this –please explain:**

**Do you have experience giving liquid meds to cats & dogs? Yes\_\_\_No\_\_\_?**

**How do you do this –please explain:**

**Are you interested in holding doggie daycare or boarding dogs overnight in your home? Yes\_\_\_No\_\_\_? which ones?**

**Do you own or have access to a scanner? Yes\_\_\_No\_\_\_?**

**Do you own or have access to a fax machine? Yes\_\_\_No\_\_\_?**

**Do you own or have access to a printer? Yes\_\_\_No\_\_\_?**

**Do you own or have access to a digital camera? Yes\_\_\_No\_\_\_?**

**Do you have any grooming experience?**

**Are you comfortable clipping nails on dog or cats?**

**Are you available to work on short notice? Yes\_\_\_ No \_\_\_**

**If hired, how long would you like to work in this position?**

**If hired, when are you available to start?**

**Please circle/highlight or bold the holidays you are available to work:**

**(All holidays –at least 1-3hrs- required for pet sitting positions.)**

*All holiday visits are paid an additional holiday fee*

**New Years Eve    New Years Day    Easter    Memorial Day    Independence Day  
Labor Day    Thanksgiving    Christmas Eve    Christmas**

**Are there any animals you would refuse to care for? Why?**

**Do you have experience with a Professional Pet Sitting Service? Please provide name of company.**

**As a Pet-Sitter, what would require contacting the client while caring for their pet?**

**Can you comfortably handle walking two dogs at a time? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_**

**Can you comfortably handle walking 2 dogs (60-80lbs) at a time? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_**

**Can you comfortably handle a dog that weighs close to or above 100 pounds?**

**Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_**

**Have you ever been convicted in ANY court of any offense, including traffic violations? If yes, please describe.**

**List 3 words below that would explain why you would make a good pet sitter and be a good fit for the position:**

**Activities/Interests:**

**Any additional Talents, Jobs, Volunteer Work or Experience that you feel is relevant to position? If yes, please list here:**

**Please briefly tell me a little about yourself: What are your hobbies and goals in life?**

**What do you hope to get out of this position?**

### **Questionnaire**

**Do you own your own animals or have you in the past?  
If so for how long and what kinds of animals?**

**What is your main reason for applying for this position?**

**Have you worked with animals professionally or done volunteer work with them in the past?**

**List one of your strongest points:**

**Please list one of your weaknesses or an area that you feel you need to work on:**

**Have you cared for diabetic pets before?  
Have you given insulin injections or any kind of injection?**

**Have you given subq fluids before? How do you do this? Explain:**

**Are there any breeds of dogs that you are uncomfortable working with?**

**How long are you looking to work in this position for?**

**This job requires daily access to email to get updates/changes on dog walking/pet sitting assignments and to get instructions for new jobs. Do you have regular access to email?**

**If a pet got loose or ran away, what would you do?**

**Have you ever had a dog get loose on you in the past? If so, how did they get loose and did you get them back? If yes, how did you get them back?**

**If a pet displayed aggressive behavior or bit you, how would you handle it?**

**What would you do if you took on a walking job and the job involved walking 2 large dogs (80 lbs each) and you felt that you had no control over them?**

**What would you do if an animal was very sick and needed medical attention?**

As an Independent contractor, you will be responsible for reporting all taxes on income and there are no benefits including worker's comp, unemployment compensation, vacation, sick pay or disability. All qualified candidates will be required to undergo a background check. If being considered for this position, the last step will be the background check.

I certify that the statements made on this application are true and correct. I hereby give Furry Fellas permission to investigate this information and to secure any additional information they may feel necessary for contracting as a pet-sitter/dog walker. All candidates will need to pass a background check; I hereby agree to hold harmless any or all persons or business entities furnishing any information to Furry Fellas.

**Signature (print if sent electronically)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Print Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please Email completed Application within 2-3 days to:**

**[furryfellaspetsitting@yahoo.com](mailto:furryfellaspetsitting@yahoo.com) and list the names, ages and types of all animals you currently own below. Thank you.**