



JacksonvilleHumaneSociety

FOSTER PARENT CONTACT INFORMATION SHEET

Foster Phone Number: (904) 493-4567

Email: Foster@jaxhumane.org

Foster Business Hours:

Monday – Friday: 9-6

Saturday: 8am-4pm

Sunday: 8am-4pm

Thank you for your support!!

Thank you for fostering this animal for the Jacksonville Humane Society (JHS). Below are some helpful tips and guidelines for foster care.

Your foster animal may have been prescribed medication by the JHS veterinarian. Please administer this medication for the full course of the prescription. This includes any prescription diets. Please do not administer any over the counter drugs or alter the animal's prescription in any way.

There may be times when a JHS foster animal begins to show signs of illness. If symptoms occur during our normal business hours, please contact the Foster department immediately. If it is after hours and you notice any problems with your foster animal such as intestinal parasites, fleas, sneezing, coughing, vomiting or diarrhea, these are typically **non-life threatening issues** and can be addressed with the JHS veterinary staff during our normal business hours the following day. If in the unfortunate event you do experience a **true emergency (e.g. difficulty breathing, seizures, traumatic injury, and unresponsiveness)** and it is **after hours**, there are local animal emergency hospitals in the area.

- **Affiliated Veterinary Emergency Services** – (904) 642-5911 - 3444 Southside Blvd. Ste. 101, Jacksonville, FL 32216 (Mon-Sun 6PM-8AM)
- **Clay-Duval Pet Emergency Clinic** – (904) 264-8281 – 275 Corporate Way #200, Orange Park, FL 32073 (M-F 6pm-8am, Saturday 12pm through Monday 8am, closed Saturday from 8am-12pm)
- **BlueSky Veterinary Center-** (904).223.8000- 14185 Beach Blvd Suite 8,
Jacksonville Beach, FL 32250 Wellness Hours - Monday – Friday 8 am – 5 pm
Saturday 8 am – 12 noon

24 Hour Emergency Veterinary Services, Call: 904.223.8000

- **First Coast Veterinary Emergency-** (904)-843-6310 – 301 Jacksonville Drive, Jacksonville Beach, FL 32250 Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 a.m. Weekends/Holidays, 24 Hours

Although the foster office is closed on Sunday, you can still call the foster phone line for assistance if needed during the hours of 8 am-4pm. If your JHS foster animal requires an **after hours visit** to an animal emergency hospital due to a **true emergency**, JHS **may** reimburse the cost or a portion of the cost of your visit. If the visit is **not** considered a true emergency JHS may not be able to reimburse the costs.

If you have any concerns about your JHS foster animal, whether medical or behavioral, or are unclear about any information provided to you, please do not hesitate to contact us during our normal business hours.

Thank you again. We greatly appreciate your support for the animals in our care.

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