



# Angel's Wish™

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## *Adult Volunteer Application*

### General Volunteer Information

- Volunteers must be at least 18 years old (Younger? Please complete the youth application form.)
- Volunteers must have formal identification

Date \_\_\_\_\_

*Please print legibly*

Name \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ ST \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (home) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_ Work \_\_\_\_\_

Company/employer \_\_\_\_\_ Position/Title \_\_\_\_\_

Education (Check last year completed) High School 1 \_\_\_ 2 \_\_\_ 3 \_\_\_ 4 \_\_\_

College 1 \_\_\_ 2 \_\_\_ 3 \_\_\_ 4 \_\_\_ Graduate 1 \_\_\_ 2 \_\_\_ 3 \_\_\_ 4 \_\_\_

Emergency # \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Describe present and previous volunteer jobs \_\_\_\_\_

Have you been convicted of any criminal offense? yes \_\_\_ no \_\_\_

If so, please explain the nature of the crime and the date of the conviction and disposition.

Note: Conviction of a crime does not automatically disqualify you.

Do you have a valid Wisconsin driver's license? yes \_\_\_ no \_\_\_ car insurance? yes \_\_\_ no \_\_\_

How did you hear about volunteering with Angel's Wish? \_\_\_\_\_

Why are you interested in becoming an Angel's Wish volunteer? \_\_\_\_\_

### References:

Please list two people who know you well and can attest to your character, skills, and dependability and are not family members. Include your current or last employer, please.

Name/Organization	Relationship	Phone	How long?
1. _____	_____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____

Please check the categories and/or specific examples of volunteer opportunities that interest you and ways you are willing help. You will be provided necessary training.

**Adoption assistance**

- Work at the Adoption Center
- Work at off-site events

**Educational Outreach**

- Serve on Education Committee
- Distribute educational outreach materials
- Plan/present seminars/campaigns on animal issues

**Special Events and Fundraising**

- Serve on FUNdraising Committee
- Work at UW football games (5-6 hours per game)
- Brainstorm/plan special events/fundraisers
- Volunteer at special events/fundraisers
- Secure items for auctions, raffles, etc.

**Retail store**

- Cashier, customer assistance
- Inventory, ordering and stocking product

**Transportation**

- Take animals to vet appointments (weekdays)
- Take animals to adoption events (weekends)
- Distribute promotional materials/newsletters

**Vaccinations and testing**

- Vaccinate animals (lic. vet or cert. vet tech)
- Draw blood and test (lic. vet or cert. vet tech)
- Weigh-in and help with paper work

**Membership and Volunteer Activities**

- Serve on Volunteer Committee
- Serve on Membership Committee
- Help with membership drives.
- Plan volunteer orientation; train new volunteers
- Work with the youth volunteer program
- Plan volunteer rewards and acknowledgements

**Public Relations and Marketing**

- Serve on PR/Marketing Committee
- Create flyers, posters, and direct mailers.
- Develop PR/marketing opportunities
- Implement PR/ marketing campaigns

**Office and Organization**

- Assist with mailings
- Maintain forms/literature inventory
- Data Entry

**Fostering Animals Awaiting Adoption**

- Provide home environment and 1-on-1 attention
- Transport to appointments and adoption events
- Provide animal personality description

**Microchipping**

- Help with paperwork
- Greet pet owners and animals
- Microchip animals (lic. vet or cert. vet tech)

Other skills or talents you wish to share \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Skills or talents you'd like to learn: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Questions or comments you may have: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**If you and your family are interested in fostering cats and/or dogs, please complete the following. If not, skip to page 4.**

I would like to foster (check all that apply)

dogs \_\_\_ puppies \_\_\_ cats \_\_\_ kittens \_\_\_  
 pregnant dogs \_\_\_ pregnant cats \_\_\_ ill or injured dogs \_\_\_  
 ill or injured cats \_\_\_ orphaned puppies \_\_\_ orphaned kittens \_\_\_

Are you currently fostering for another organization? yes \_\_\_ no \_\_\_

If yes, please list \_\_\_\_\_

**What animals are currently in your household?**

Name	Cat, dog, other (list)	Age	Gender	Spayed or neutered?	Kept inside or outside?

Are all the animals you have current with vaccinations? yes \_\_\_ no \_\_\_

What veterinarian do your animals see?

Clinic name \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Where will the foster animal be kept when alone \_\_\_\_\_ At night? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a fenced yard? yes \_\_\_ no \_\_\_ Plan to install one on (date) \_\_\_\_\_

How will you keep a foster dog confined to your property?

in house \_\_\_ kennel \_\_\_ fenced yard \_\_\_ chain \_\_\_ in garage \_\_\_ leash \_\_\_ porch/patio \_\_\_

How much time per day can you spend playing with and interacting with this animal? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a scratching post? yes \_\_\_ no \_\_\_

Do you have the necessary items for fostering this animal (Crate or condo, food bowls, litter box, toys, etc)?

yes \_\_\_ no \_\_\_ If no, please list what item you will need Angel's Wish to provide for you:

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

I am able transport foster animals to and from veterinary appointments, as scheduled by Angel's Wish (usually 2 or 3 while the animal is in your care).

yes \_\_\_ no \_\_\_

I am able transport foster animals to and from adoption events, as scheduled by Angel's Wish (usually once a week while the animal is in your care).

yes \_\_\_ no \_\_\_

## Consent, Release and Hold Harmless Agreement

In consideration of the services of Angel's Wish, Inc., its employees, directors, agents, officers, volunteers, participants, and all other persons or entities acting in any capacity on their behalf, and for other good and valuable consideration, I hereby agree to release and discharge them from liability arising from negligence, on behalf of myself, my spouse, my children, my parents, my heirs, assigns, personal representative and estate as follows:

1. I acknowledge that animal rescue operations entail known and unanticipated risks that could result in physical or emotional injury, paralysis, death to myself and other persons, and also property damage. Risks include, among other things: bites, scratches, torn skin, bruises, and damaged clothing or other property. I understand that such risks simply cannot be eliminated without jeopardizing the essential qualities of the activity.
2. I expressly agree and promise to accept and assume all of the risks existing in this activity or as a result of contact with or adoption of an animal. My participation in this activity is purely voluntary, and I elect to participate in spite of the risks.
3. I hereby voluntarily release, forever discharge, and agree to indemnify and hold harmless Angel's Wish, Inc. from any and all claims, demands, or causes of action which are in any way connected with my participation in this activity, my use of their equipment or facilities, my adopting an animal, or my volunteering at this animal rescue operation, arising from negligence. This release does not apply to claims arising from gross negligence or intentional conduct. Should Angel's Wish, Inc. or anyone acting on their behalf, be required to incur attorney's fees and costs to enforce this agreement, I agree to indemnify and hold them harmless for all such fees and costs.
4. I certify that I have adequate insurance to cover any injury or damage I may cause or suffer while participating, or else I agree to bear the costs of such injury or damage to myself.
5. In the event that I file a lawsuit, I agree to do so solely in the state of Wisconsin, and further agree that the substantive law of Wisconsin shall apply in this action.
6. I agree that if any portion of this agreement is found to be void or unenforceable, the remaining portion shall remain in full force and effect.

By signing this document, I agree that if anyone is hurt or property is damaged during my participation in this activity, I may be found by a court of law to have waived my right to maintain a lawsuit against the parties being released on the basis of any claim for negligence from which I have released them herein.

I have had sufficient time to read this entire document, understand its contents, and I agree to be bound by its terms.

I certify that the statements made in this volunteer application are true and have been given voluntarily. I understand that this information will be held in the strictest confidence, and I release Angel's Wish, Inc. from any liability whatsoever for supplying such information. I also understand that I will not be paid for my services as a volunteer.

I give Angel's Wish, Inc. permission to verify the credentials that I have presented, such as driver's license, DMV records, and/or medical licenses.

I understand that any and all foster animals in my care while I am volunteering belong to Angel's Wish, Inc. and must be returned to their adoption coordinator immediately upon request.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Please also submit a paper copy if you fax or attach this application to an e-mail message.  
Be sure the application is signed and return it to:**

Angel's Wish, Inc.  
161 Horizon Drive Suite 106  
Verona, WI 53593  
attn: Adult Volunteer Coordinator

*Thank you very much!*