



**GREATER SAN DIEGO WHIPPET  
ASSOCIATION**

***Rescue / Adoption Application***

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City:** \_\_\_\_\_ **State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Work:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Fax/Email/Other:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Married** \_\_\_ **Single** \_\_\_ **Living Together** \_\_\_ **Living w/Parents** \_\_\_

**Age(s):** \_\_\_\_\_ **Do you (both) work outside the home?** \_\_\_\_\_

**What are your work hours? (list each)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Occupation(s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Length of employment (yrs):** \_\_\_\_\_

**If living with other adults, do they approve of this dog?** \_\_\_\_\_

**If living with parents, who will be the actual owner of this dog?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Number of children at home or that visit frequently?** \_\_\_ **Ages:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Do you rent or own?** \_\_\_ **A house, apartment, condo, other:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Landlord's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Allows pets?** \_\_\_\_\_

**How long at present address?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Are you planning on moving in the next 6 months?** \_\_\_\_\_

**If you move, what will you do with your pets?** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Do you have a yard?** \_\_\_ **Approx. size:** \_\_\_ **Do you have a fence?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Type of fence:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Approx. height:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Have you inspected your fence for holes that your dog may try to crawl out of or dig through?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Do you have secure latches?** \_\_\_\_\_ **Can children open gates?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Have you checked your yard for poisonous plants or other items your dog may ingest?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Is there anything near the fence that would allow the dog to jump over the fence?** \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever owned a Whippet? \_\_\_\_\_ When? \_\_\_\_\_

What happened to the dog? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever taken a pet to a shelter? \_\_\_\_\_ Why? \_\_\_\_\_

**List all pets currently at home:**

(Include small caged pets and barnyard animals)

Type of Animal	Age	Sex	Spayed / Neutered	Kept In / Out	How long owned
			Yes / No	In / Out	
			Yes / No	In / Out	
			Yes / No	In / Out	
			Yes / No	In / Out	

**List all dogs owned in the past 10yrs:**

Breed / Mix	Spayed / Neutered	In / Out	How long owned	What happened to dog
	Yes / No	In / Out		
	Yes / No	In / Out		
	Yes / No	In / Out		

Will you enroll your Whippet in an obedience class? \_\_\_\_\_

What is your main reason for wanting a Whippet? \_\_\_\_\_

**What functions do you expect? (check all that apply)**

Watchdog \_\_\_\_\_ Hunter \_\_\_\_\_ Breeder \_\_\_\_\_ House Pet \_\_\_\_\_

Companion \_\_\_\_\_ Companion for other pets \_\_\_\_\_ For the children \_\_\_\_\_

Gift \_\_\_\_\_ for whom? \_\_\_\_\_

**Temperament preferred? (check all that apply)**

Very active \_\_\_\_\_ Active \_\_\_\_\_ Easygoing \_\_\_\_\_ Lapdog \_\_\_\_\_ Sedate \_\_\_\_\_

Intelligent \_\_\_\_\_ Playful \_\_\_\_\_ Protective \_\_\_\_\_ Affectionate \_\_\_\_\_ Shy \_\_\_\_\_

Independent \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

**I would like my new dog to get along with:**

Other dogs \_\_\_\_\_ Cats \_\_\_\_\_ Birds \_\_\_\_\_ Farm Animals \_\_\_\_\_ Young Children \_\_\_\_\_

Do all members of the family favor this type of dog? \_\_\_\_\_

Does any member of the household have pet allergies? \_\_\_\_\_

Sex preference? \_\_\_\_\_ Will you consider a dog of the opposite sex? \_\_\_\_\_

Age preference? 1st choice \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd choice \_\_\_\_\_

The oldest dog I would consider should be no older than \_\_\_\_\_ yrs.

Are you financially able to care for this dog should it become seriously ill or require surgery? \_\_\_\_\_

What arrangements will you make when you go on vacation? \_\_\_\_\_

How many hours a day will the dog be left alone? \_\_\_\_\_

Where will the dog stay during the day? \_\_\_\_\_

Where will the dog be kept night? \_\_\_\_\_

How do you plan to exercise the dog? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever crate trained a dog? \_\_\_\_\_ Do you have objections to using a crate for your dogs safety? \_\_\_\_\_

Who is your vet?

Please provide Name, number and address as a reference

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Are you agreeable to returning the Whippet to Whippet Rescue, should unforeseen circumstances arise wherein you would no longer be able to keep the dog? \_\_\_\_\_

Would you be willing to have a club representative visit your home? \_\_\_\_\_

How did you find out about us? \_\_\_\_\_

Please give 2 personal references:

Name	Phone	Years Known	Relationship

Below please list any additional information you may wish us to consider in placing a Whippet in your care: \_\_\_\_\_

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**I hereby certify all the above information to be true and accurate to the best of my abilities:**

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Spouse's Signature (if applicable)** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**THANK YOU AGAIN, YOUR INTEREST IS DEEPLY APPRECIATED!!!**

**EMAIL SCANNED APPLICATION TO:**

**[RESCUE@SANDIEGOWHIPPLETS.COM](mailto:RESCUE@SANDIEGOWHIPPLETS.COM)**

**SNAIL-MAIL APPLICATION TO:**

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