

# Little Dudes Ferret Ranch

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## FOSTER CONTRACT FOR

Ferret(s)

AVID#

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

### I AGREE TO THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS FOR FOSTERING:

#### I will insure that my foster ferret(s):

- Will never, intentionally, be turned loose outdoors and understand that any excursion outdoors requires that my foster ferret(s) be kept under constant supervision and on a leash.
- Be free fed a high quality ferret food or meat based kitten food unless otherwise directed by my veterinarian. I understand that grocery store food is not recommended.
- Have access to fresh, cool water at all times.
- Be housed indoors in a cage (minimum size for 1-2 ferrets being 33" x 18" x 18") or a ferret-proofed room when no one is supervising the animal's activities. The enclosure (at minimum) will contain a litter pan, bedding, a food bowl, and a water bowl or bottle.
- Have a clean litter pan as needed, as ferrets are clean animals and do not like a dirty environment.
- Have clean bedding, free from snags and tears (weekly washing is recommended).

In addition,

- ✓ I will never use any kind of wood shavings in my foster ferret(s) cage or litter pan, as it is hazardous to the health of the animal.
- ✓ I will provide basic care including nail trimming, ear cleaning, and keep the ferret free of parasites.
- ✓ I will insure that the temperature of the cage and environment is maintained between a minimum of 65 degrees F and not more than 80 degrees F.
- ✓ I will never leave my foster ferret(s) in a vehicle unattended when there is a remote chance of heat prostration.

I understand that all foster ferrets are the property of **Little Dudes Ferret Ranch** and must be returned to **Little Dudes Ferret Ranch** if I am unable to care for them under the provisions stated above.

Foster homes are asked to provide high quality food and litter for their foster ferrets to help defray the cost of caring for elderly/sick ferrets. Little Dudes Ferret Ranch will pay for all veterinarian care and medications.

\_\_\_\_\_ I agree to (please initial):

1. to bring my foster ferret to the shelter for regular check ups
2. to get authorization from a shelter representative for emergency medical care if unable to reach the shelter veterinarian

If the ferret(s) has been obviously abused, neglected, or is ill and a veterinarian has not been consulted, a veterinarian will be consulted at the foster home's expense.

In consideration of receiving my foster ferret(s), I hereby release **Little Dudes Ferret Ranch** from any and all claims of liability for the actions of the ferret(s) being fostered. **Little Dudes Ferret Ranch** does not make any representations of guarantees; either expressed or implied about the habits, background, or temperament of the ferret(s) being fostered. I have read and understand all of the contents of this contract and agree to abide by it.

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Fostering Party Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Terri Noren, LDFR Owner

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date