

Montgomery County (PA) Society for the Prevention of Cruelty To Animals (SPCA)

Application Policy

Applications are taken on animals in an effort to find a suitable home for the pets in our care. We will accept up to five applications on any animal. Additional applications may be taken on a specific animal on a case-by-case basis. We evaluate all applications equally, regardless of when they are received.

Please note that applications for animals are not a guarantee, promise or obligation. Applicants will not be afforded an explanation if not chosen, but some of the most common reasons are listed below:

- An applicant resides in the same area where the animal previously lived.
- Information on the application was left blank or was false.
- Multiple applicants offered equally good homes; however, we can select only one applicant.

Some of the pets in our care have specific needs and requirements. We work very hard to match the animals in our care with the best applicant.

Not all animals require applications. Applications are always taken for dogs 6-months of age or younger and on any lost animal during its initial “stray-hold” period. It is likely that dogs and large pet birds will require an application prior to adoption.