

STEPS TO FOSTER OR ADOPT

FROM RAGofAZ



PLEASE NOTE: Adopters must be paid Active Members at the time a dog is delivered to them.

HOW MUCH DOES IT COST TO ADOPT FROM RAGofAZ?

It depends on the age of the dog. If a pair is adopted together, we will charge the full fee for the younger dog and half for the older dog.

The adoption fee includes:

- health evaluation by a RAGofAZ veterinarian
- spay or neutering
- testing for valley fever and heartworm
- microchipping
- vaccinations (rabies and DHPP).

Additional treatment is considered on a case-by-case basis.

STEP 1 Complete the foster/FWITA application, located under the "Adoption Info" tab on our website at golden-retriever.org. Either submit it online, or print it out and fax/mail it in.

STEP 2 A local volunteer will contact you to schedule a home visit to discuss the process and gather specifics about the type of Golden you are interested in.

STEP 3 If approved, you will receive a welcome letter and Foster Manual via email.

STEP 4 When you are matched with a dog, a volunteer from the Placement Team will contact you with a full description of the Golden. We cannot guarantee that you will be matched within a particular time frame.

STEP 5 If you accept the dog, a volunteer from the Transport Team will bring the Golden to your home. You will be considered a FWITA (foster with intent to adopt). The adoption contract is signed at this point, and the adoption payment is collected.

STEP 6 Within the first 48 hours, you will be contacted by a member of the Follow Up team for an update on the dog, and also by a member of the Vet Care Team. Behavior, medical concerns, and other issues will be addressed.

STEP 7 After the dog has been medically cleared and you have evaluated the Golden's adjustment to your home for approximately 3 weeks, you will be able to finalize the adoption of the dog.

STEP 8 **Enjoy the lifelong love from your rescued Golden Retriever.**

SINGLE DOG ADOPTION PRICE		
	Domestic & Mexican	International
Age 0 to 3 years, 11 months	\$400	\$600
Age 4 to 7 years, 11 months	\$300	\$500
8+ years	\$250	\$300



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