



Application for Sliding Scale Discount

Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Total number of members in the household including children: _____

TOTAL HOUSE HOLD INCOME for ALL ADULTS living with you: _____

Income includes:

Welfare: _____, Disability/ SSI: _____, Food Stamps: _____ Employment: _____

Unemployment: _____, Pension/ SS: _____ Alimony: _____ Other: _____

You **MUST** provide documentation for recent proof of income for all sources (pay stubs, tax return, W-2, 1099) or for qualifying benefits (Medicaid, Unemployment, Food Stamps, SSI etc.) in order to receive a discount.

This application must be undated every 90 days, or as income changes.

I certify that this information is truthful and accurate, and if I provide false or misleading information I risk forfeiture of all discounts.

Applicant Signature: _____

HVH Staff Initials: _____

Sliding Scale & Reduced Cost Service Information

For those requiring a little extra assistance, the Humane Veterinary Hospitals of Lancaster & Berks have several ways to help. The Humane Veterinary Hospital's offer a standardized sliding scale fee structure based upon household income. These rates provide 10% to 20% reduction in the costs to provide veterinary care. The intention of this program is to allow pet owners to provide full and complete veterinary care for their pets. The Humane Veterinary Hospitals hope that we can help people keep their pet happy and where they belong-at home.

This program is needs based and requires pre-approval. It is open to all that qualify. Sliding scale pricing is based upon Federal Poverty Guidelines and reduce rates by the following amounts*

151% or above poverty rate: regular fee

141-150% of poverty rate: 10% off veterinary services

131-140% of poverty rate: 15% off veterinary services

121% or less of poverty rate: 20% off veterinary services

*Some services and items may be excluded from these discounts and some other services may be discounted at a higher rate. Products, including heartworm prevention, intestinal worm prevention and flea/tick prevention are already offered at a low cost and therefore are not discounted further.

Proof of eligibility is required (current pay stubs or current determination of income status by an acceptable State or Federal human service agency). Proof of status must be determined and approved prior to any treatment being provided at reduced rates.