

ABOUT WRAP

We are a nationwide, all volunteer, non-profit organization dedicated to taking in homeless whippets who may be from shelters, surrendered by owners who have fallen on hard times, passed away or have changed their minds about owning a Whippet.

HOW YOU CAN HELP

All donations are gratefully accepted. Whippet Rescue and Placement (WRAP) is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization and we rely entirely on private donations and adoption fees to pay for medication and veterinary expenses. All contributions are tax-deductible as allowed by law.



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Whippet Rescue and Placement, Inc.



To donate online:

<https://whippet-rescue.org/donate/>

You can also designate Whippet Rescue and Placement as your charity on Amazon Smile.

To mail a donation please fill out the form below and mail to:

Beth Borgman, Treasurer

P. O. Box 247 Knox, IN 46534-0247

Name	_____
Address	_____ _____
Email	_____
Donation Amount	_____

To learn more about Whippets, visit
<https://americanwhippetclub.net/>

WRAP, Inc. is a non-profit volunteer organization dedicated to the rescue, foster care, and placement of whippets in need.



Our volunteers are located all over the United States. Visit our website at <https://whippet-rescue.org> for a current listing of volunteers, available dogs and more information about the whippet breed. Our rescuers provide foster care in their homes, address medical and behavioral issues, and assess surrendered whippets to be sure they can be healthy, happy pets. All whippets are micro-chipped, spayed and/or neutered before they go into their new homes.

Our volunteers take great care to screen and match each dog with the "forever" home that will be the best fit.

<https://whippet-rescue.org>

SO YOU'RE CONSIDERING GETTING A WHIPPET

Whippets are medium-sized sighthounds and were bred in England in the 1800's to hunt small game. Ancestors probably include: the Greyhound, Italian Greyhound, Bedlington, Manchester and English White Terriers. Whippets are 18" to 22" at the shoulder and generally weigh 25 to 35 pounds. The coat is short and close, requiring little grooming but whippets cannot endure extreme hot or cold temperatures. Whippets are often called "Velcro" dogs because they get very attached to their owners. They are generally sweet and affectionate. Most do well with children and other pets. Whippets have been called "35 mph couch potatoes" because they require a daily regimen of exercise, including a bit of free running in a fenced area. Once they've been exercised, they tend to rest to recoup.

Whippets should never be let off-leash in an unfenced area because most have a high "prey drive" inherent to their breeding and will chase rabbits, squirrels and even deer until they're lost.

HOW TO ADOPT A WHIPPET

The first step is to fill out an application which can be found on our website, <https://whippet-rescue.org/adoption-application/>. You can submit an application directly from our website which will be emailed to volunteers who reside in your state. Once the application is submitted and on file, a volunteer or Regional Advisor may call you to arrange a home visit where the volunteer will be able to assess whether a whippet will fit your lifestyle. Please remember that each whippet is a unique personality and while one may fit perfectly in one home, another home may not

be suitable for that particular whippet. Unlike some other breeds, a limited number of rescue Whippets may be available. You may need to be patient and you are welcome to contact a WRAP volunteer or Regional Advisor to let them know you are still interested in adopting. Our **PRIMARY** goal is for everyone to be happy and satisfied with the adoption process and that our rescues find the perfect home. There is an adoption fee which helps offset some of our expenses. Please ask the volunteer or Regional Advisor in your state for more details.

For more information on whippets, please visit <https://whippet-rescue.org>.

