# **Adoption Application**

## **GOLDEN RETRIEVER RESCUE OF NEW MEXICO**

We would like to get to know you a little so we can make sure we give you a dog who will work for you and your family (including your pets).

## Applicant and Family Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_Work phone\_\_\_\_\_cellphone \_\_\_\_\_

Email:\_\_\_\_\_

Occupation:

Does anyone else live with you? How do they feel about adopting a golden?

Do you have children? Ages? Have they had experience with dogs?

Do you have pets? (List ages and personalities) How will they be with a new dog?

Are your current pets up to date on vaccinations & heartworm preventative? Are they spayed/neutered?

#### Home Information

Address:

Do you have a yard?

Type of Fence:

Height:

### **Care Information**

Have you ever owned a Golden Retriever before? Can you tell us about it?

Can you tell us about why you would like to adopt a Golden Retriever?

Is anyone at home during the day?

Where will the dog be when you're at home?

Where will you leave the dog when you're not at home?

What ways will you interact with the dog? [tell us a little about your activities so we can make sure your dog matches what you love to do]

Have you had any experience in training a dog? If so, can you say a little about it? What are you good with? What do you have a hard time with?

Are you able to assume financial responsibility for the dog? Do you understand what is involved?

Would you consider foster parenting while we are waiting for your perfect dog?

#### **Preferences- The best match for you**

Do you feel more comfortable with an older or younger dog? Male or Female?

Would you take a mix? Two Dogs?

Are you able to take a dog with special needs? (injury, phobia, shyness)

What kind of temperament is best for your family?

Can you say a little about what you think is the best advantage of your home as a permanent home for a golden.

Veterinarian name: Phone: Address: