



Pet-Inclusive Housing Initiative

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**Please note: This information does not constitute legal advice.*

ESA accommodation requests can be frustrating for both renters and housing providers. An ESA request should not be used solely as a way to avoid restrictive pet policies or pet-related fees, and we continue to encourage housing providers to eliminate these restrictions and fees. However, many people have a legitimate need for an ESA accommodation, and it is important that these genuine accommodation requests are honored.

The tool below is intended to help facilitate a mutually courteous conversation about animals in housing. It is a tool for helping make the ESA accommodation request more transparent so that renters with ESAs are able to keep their animals with them and housing providers find it easier to help keep people and pets together.

Letter Template: Notification of an Emotional Support Animal

More ESA information:

[U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development \(HUD\),
Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity \(FHEO\) Notice
Open Door Veterinary Collective](#)