Intake to Placement Script for Owner Surrender Cats

Are you surrendering today because of impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic?

If yes, what reason best describes why you are surrendering (financial hardship, housing loss, medical reason related to COVID)?

If no, what is your reason for surrender?

How long have you had him/her?

Is the cat indoor only? Indoor/outdoor? Outdoor only?

Has this cat been around other cats? If so, did he/she get along with them?

Has this cat been around dogs? If so, did he/she get along with them?

Has this cat been around children? If so, did he/she get along with them?

If you are surrendering 2 or more animals, are any of these animals attached to each other in the home? And if so, which ones and would they do well sharing a kennel?

Do your pets sleep together or seek each other’s company?

Do you consider your pets to be attached to each other?

Do your pets show stress or anxiety when they are separated?

When was the last time your cat saw a vet?

Who is the veterinarian/clinic?

What was the date of your cat’s last vaccines?

Does s/he have any medical issues that you are aware of? (i.e. Diabetic, kidney disease, hyperthyroid)

Is the cat receiving medication/treatment or supportive care for any behavioral/medical issues?

Does s/he have any behavioral issues that you are aware of? (i.e. Destruction, litter box issues, etc.) For elimination issues, please also fill out the litter box template.
Has s/he ever hissed, growled, swatted, or attempted to bite anyone? If so, who and what was the situation?

Is s/he fearful of any objects, situations, or people? If so, describe.

What brand and type of food is the cat currently eating?

Is there anything else you would like us to know about your pet or their personality?