

**Mid-Atlantic
Great Dane
Rescue League**
MAGDRL Inc.



Dear MAGDRL Adoption Applicant,

Congratulations on meeting our preliminary requirements and applying to adopt from Mid-Atlantic Great Dane Rescue League (MAGDRL.) We are an all-volunteer organization established more than 30 years ago. Today we continue to rehabilitate Great Danes and seek appropriate adoptive and foster homes for our orphans.

Included with this email is our MAGDRL adoption application. Please print the application and release form, and complete and sign both forms. Then U.S. mail your completed application to the address at the top of the form (sorry, we cannot accept faxed or emailed applications.) Please be sure to include any supplemental documentation (rental release, fencing exception documents, business insurance coverage, etc.) since we cannot process your application until all your paperwork is received.

From the time you mail us your application, it takes 2 to 3 weeks to complete the adoption process. During that time, MAGDRL performs the following steps:

1. The week you mail in your application, your MAGDRL Area Coordinator will receive it. You may be contacted if there are questions.
2. Your veterinarian and personal references are validated. Again, you may be contacted if there are questions.
3. A MAGDRL volunteer will contact you to schedule your home visit. Depending upon your resident pets, they may bring their own Dane with them so that you can see how a Dane would fit into your home. Please make sure that everyone in your household plus your midday relief provider (if applicable) will be present for the home visit.

The primary purpose of this visit is to ensure that your home offers a safe environment for a Great Dane. Our volunteer will discuss Dane care and feeding, training, bloat prevention, and other Dane-related topics. They will leave informative brochures and fliers to help you care for your new Dane.

4. When these steps are complete, your Coordinator will assess your application, home visit report, and reference checks and will make a final determination.
5. You will be contacted by email as soon as your Area Coordinator has made a decision.

Once you have mailed in your completed application form, if you have questions please contact your Area Coordinator by email or by phone.

Thank you for choosing to rescue, and good luck with your adoption!

Regards,

Mary Fran Cini

President
Mid-Atlantic Great Dane Rescue League, Inc.