

This document confirms that the animal named below has been fully approved as a play therapy animal through a rigorous process with the International Institute for Animal Assisted Play Therapy®, as of the date below. The animal's therapist-handler, also named below, is certified by this organization. This process entails the development of substantial skills and demonstrated competencies in observing and responding to animals' body language and stress signals, thereby significantly minimizing risks to clients or animals. Certified Animal Assisted Play Therapists® (CAAPTs) and Certified Professional Practitioners of Animal Assisted Play Therapy® (CPP-AAPTs) bear full responsibility for determining if an animal is suitable for work on any given day or time, and CAAPTs and CPP-AAPTs have attained the substantial knowledge, skills, and competencies to make such determinations.

Approved Animal:

Yara (canine)

Therapist/Handler:

Kris Marowski Med, LPC, RPT-S, CAAPT

Risë VanFleet, Ph.D., RPT-S, CDBC, CAEBI

President

Effective date: February 11, 2024

Expiry date: March 1, 2026