

NAME: Mario

GENDER: Male

DATE OF BIRTH: May 10, 2021

FUR LENGTH: Medium

COLOR: Buff



**Purrsonality:** Mario is a calm, dominant male that tolerates silly kittens and friendly adult cats. Mario likes sleeping under things but also spends a lot of time on top of higher perches looking out the windows at the birds and traffic. He has soft, thick fur but does not get fur balls. Mario opts to nap by himself and usually spends time away from the other cats in foster. He likes being combed with a “clamshell” comb but can get overstimulated by it on his back. He will let you know he is overstimulated by whipping his head around toward your hand.

**Children?** Mario would do best with older children (16+) who can respect his boundaries on petting and combing.

**Other cats?** Mario would do best as an only cat but would tolerate the addition of a younger companion cat after he has established himself in the home.

**Dogs?** Mario has not been tested with dogs but should do OK with calm, friendly dogs.

**Background:** Mario was found outside and taken in by a woman who thought he was her lost neutered cat from 2 years ago. She brought him into her home but had adopted two other cats since he went missing, and he didn't get along with them. She then surrendered him to 4Paws, who found he was not neutered, so he was not her lost cat.

**Medical or special care notes:** Mario has had vaccinations for rabies and distemper, and is microchipped and neutered. He tested negative for FeLV and FIV. He is eating Fancy Feast classic pate and Purina One kibble.