

Pet Helpers Adoption Shelter
DOG ADOPTION QUESTIONNAIRE

Name _____ Date _____
Address _____ City _____ Zip _____
Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____
E-mail Address: _____

NOTE: YOU MUST BE 21 YEARS OR OLDER TO ADOPT. Thank you for considering adopting an orphan from our shelter. You will be making a 10-15 year commitment to the dog you adopt and our goal is to help make the best match possible for you and the orphaned dog you are interested in. The following questions will help us achieve that goal.

- 1) Do you currently live in a House Apartment Condo Other _____
- 2) Do you currently Rent Own Lease the residence where you live?
- 3) How long have you lived at your current residence? _____

If not property owner, Pet Helpers has my permission to verify current pet policy
Landlord's Name _____
Phone Number (_____) _____

- 4) How many adults live in your home? _____
- 5) How many children? _____ Ages _____
- 6) Does anyone in your household have allergies? Yes No
- 7) Who will be primarily responsible for the care of this dog? _____
- 8) Is this dog a gift? Yes No If yes, for whom? _____
- 9) What size of dog are you looking for? Small Medium Large Extra Large
- 10) What attracted you to the dog you are interested in? _____

- 11) Which of the following best describes your reasons for wanting this dog? (Check all that apply)
Companion Guard Dog Hunting Breeding Obedience Training
Search & Rescue Agility Jogging/Walking Buddy Couch Warmer
- 12) How many hours will the dog be alone each day? _____
- 13) Where will the dog be kept when no one is home? _____
- 14) Where will the dog be kept at night? _____

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- 15) Do you have a fenced yard? Yes No
- 16) How high is your fence? _____
- 17) **Please list all of the pets you have had in the last 10 years including current pets, and those you no longer own**

Breed	Age	Sex	Spayed/Neutered	Owned how long?	Does the pet still live with you? If not, what happened to him/her

- 18) If you have other pets, are their vaccinations current? Yes No
- 19) If you have other pets, are they currently licensed? Yes No
- 20) Do you have a regular veterinarian? Yes No

Pet Helpers has my permission to verify vaccine and medical history
 Veterinarian's Name _____
 Phone Number (____) _____

21) Under what circumstances would you **not** keep this dog?

22) How much do you expect to spend per year to care for this dog (vet, supplies, food, toys) _____

23) Please check the topics you would like our staff to discuss with you today

- Housetraining Indoor vs. Outdoor Separation Anxiety
- Chewing Introduction to other pets Crate Training
- Vaccines Vacation with/without pets Exercise requirements
- Animal Laws Dogs and kids Escaping

I certify that the above information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I also acknowledge falsification of the above can result in my being denied adoption of an animal or, if an animal has been adopted to me, the return of that animal to Pet Helpers. I understand that all animals adopted from Pet Helpers must be spayed or neutered before they are released from the shelter.

Signed _____ Date _____

Driver's License State and # _____

Approved by _____ Date _____