

## Dog Personality Profile



*Thank you for taking the time to share as much information about your dog as you can.  
It will help us tremendously in our efforts to find your dog an appropriate new home.*

Name of dog \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

(Please circle) Female Male

Spayed/Neutered? Yes No Not Sure

Breed/description \_\_\_\_\_

How long has this dog lived with you? \_\_\_\_\_

Has this dog had any previous homes? Yes No If yes, how many? \_\_\_\_\_

Where did you obtain this dog? (shelter, breeder, etc) \_\_\_\_\_

Your relationship to this dog?  Owner  Caretaker  Foster  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Why are you giving up your dog? \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe any medical conditions/special needs your dog has, if any \_\_\_\_\_

### LIFESTYLE & HOME LIFE

Is your dog house-trained?  Yes, loose in house  Yes, crate-trained  Yes, pee pad/newspaper trained

Yes, but has an occasional accident  No  No, always left outside

If yes, how does the dog signal to go out? \_\_\_\_\_

Where was your dog kept during the day? \_\_\_\_\_

At night? \_\_\_\_\_

When no one was home? \_\_\_\_\_

How many hours was your dog typically left alone per day? \_\_\_\_\_

Has dog lived with children? Yes No If yes, what ages? \_\_\_\_\_

Has your dog lived with other animals?  Dogs  Cats  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Is your dog used to car rides?  Frequent  Sometimes  Never  Long rides  Short rides

Is your dog used to being kenneled?  Yes  No  Night Only  Day only

What does your dog eat? \_\_\_\_\_

How frequently or what time(s) in the day is dog fed? \_\_\_\_\_

What is your dog's favorite treat(s)? \_\_\_\_\_

How much exercise is your dog used to? \_\_\_\_\_

Is your dog allowed on the furniture?  None  Couch  Owner's Bed  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Has your dog ever attended any obedience or other training classes? No Yes \_\_\_\_\_

What cues or commands does your dog know?  Sit  Down  Come  Stay  Heel  Shake

Leave it  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Does your dog walk on a....  Regular Collar  Harness  Head Halter  Choke/Prong Collar

## BEHAVIOR & PERSONALITY

What are some things your truly love about your dog or its greatest traits? \_\_\_\_\_

What games or activities does your dog like? \_\_\_\_\_

What toys does your dog like? \_\_\_\_\_

What does your dog do if you take away a favorite toy (or treat, or food)? \_\_\_\_\_

Is your dog scared of anything? (*fireworks, vacuum, etc*) \_\_\_\_\_

Does this dog chase any of the following? Cats Bicycles Joggers Squirrels/other small animals

Birds Skateboarders Other \_\_\_\_\_ Doesn't chase

Does your dog have a history of escaping or running away?

If yes, how? (*check all that apply*)

- Jump fence (height \_\_\_\_\_)  Run through door  Dig  
 Open gate  Climb  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Tell us about your dogs "bad habits" \_\_\_\_\_

If your dog has been around *children*, how did the dog usually act towards them? (*circle all that apply*)

Friendly Calm Nervous Jumps up Avoids Mouths Plays appropriately

Plays rough (*please describe*) \_\_\_\_\_

Growls (*describe circumstances*) \_\_\_\_\_

Snaps (*describe circumstances*) \_\_\_\_\_

Has bitten (*describe circumstances*) \_\_\_\_\_

**How would you describe your dog?** *(circle all that apply)*

Active   Mellow   Friendly   Playful   Aloof   Vocal (Bark/howl)   Tolerant   Mouthy   A "one person" dog  
Friendly to visitors   Shy to visitors   Affectionate   Treat-oriented   Fearful   Guarding   Herding  
Anxious   Destructive   Too much for small kids   Athletic   Smart   Aggressive *(please describe below)*

**Has this dog ever done the following?** *(circle all that apply)*

Growled   Snapped   Bitten

**If yes, to whom?** *(circle all that apply)*

Adult at home   Runner   Cyclist   Veterinarian   Groomer   Other animal   Person in Uniform  
Stranger at door/in yard   Someone taking away food/treat/toy   Someone breaking up dog fight

**Describe the circumstances** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Was this an ongoing problem?** \_\_\_\_\_

**What have you done to try to correct this behavior?** \_\_\_\_\_

**How does your dog usually behave around other dogs?** *(circle all that apply)*

Friendly   Playful   Nervous   Ignores/Avoids   Growls   Snaps   Can be aggressive



**(OPTIONAL)**

Leave your contact information for the dog's new owner to contact you:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_