



SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA BOSTON TERRIER RESCUE

FOSTER HOME APPLICATION

Thank you for your interest in fostering a rescue dog. We would appreciate your answers to the following questions so we can select the appropriate puppy or dog for you. All information is confidential. Thank you for your cooperation and we appreciate your desire to volunteer your help.

Name: _____ Age: _____

Spouse Name: _____ Age: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____

Do you check email everyday? Y / N

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Your employer: _____ Work Phone: _____

Spouse employer: _____ Spouse Work Phone: _____

May we call you at work? Y / N

Does your or your spouse's job require frequent out of town travel? Y / N

Are you a student? Y / N If yes, anticipated date of graduation: _____

Family Information

How many children are living at home? _____

Names and ages of all children included above:

Besides your immediate family, are there others residing in your home? Y / N

Names and ages of other residents:

Relationship of other residents: _____

Is anyone in your home allergic to animals? Y / N

Home Information

Do you own or rent? Own ____ Rent _____

If you rent, please provide name and phone number of your landlord:

Please describe your type of dwelling:

How long have you lived at your current address? _____

If less than two years, please provide your previous address:

Please describe your neighborhood (city, rural, suburbs, etc.): _____

Does your home have a yard? Y / N

Does fencing completely enclose the yard for the dog? Y / N

If not, explain how and where you will allow the dog to exercise and relieve itself?

If your yard is fenced please describe what kind: _____

How tall? _____ Is the gate currently locked with a padlock? Y / N

Can strangers gain access to your yard from the street? Y / N

Other Pet Information

Do you have other pets at this time? Y / N

If 'yes' are they spayed or neutered yet? Y / N

If 'yes' are they currently on heartworm preventative? Y / N

If 'yes' are they indoor or outdoor? Indoor ____ Outdoor ____

Please describe your pets in detail including species, breed, age and gender:

What pet food are you feeding your pet(s)? : _____

If you have owned pets in the past and do not now, what happened to them?

Do your current pets get along with other dogs? If you think there may be a conflict, please describe how you will keep the foster dog separated from your family pet(s):

Foster Information

Have you ever owned a Boston Terrier before? Y / N

Have you ever fostered an animal before? Y / N

If yes, for which organization did you foster? _____

Why do you want to foster for Boston Buddies? _____

Do you understand there is always an adjustment period for any foster dog coming into your home? Y / N

The average time a dog spends in a foster home is three (3) weeks to three (3) months. Is there a limit to the length of time you can keep the foster dog until it is adopted? Y / N

If yes, how long can you keep a dog and why is there a limit? _____

Please describe where the dog will stay when you are at home:

Please describe where the dog will stay when you are away:

Please describe where the dog will sleep at night:

How do you feel about dogs on the furniture?

How many hours per day will the dog be alone? _____

Would you be willing to drive the foster to our vet if medical attention is needed? Y / N

Do you have a crate? Y / N

Do you plan to use a crate? Why or why not? _____

If 'yes', how many hours per day will the dog be crated? _____

Do you currently have a doggy door? Y / N

Do you have the time and patience to housetrain a dog, if it is not already trained? Y / N

Would you be willing to foster a "special needs" (blind, deaf) dog? Y / N

Would you be willing to foster/work with a dog with a behavior problem such as shyness, fearfulness, barking, or inappropriate jumping? Y / N

Would you be willing to foster a much older, more needy dog? Y / N

Would you be willing to foster two dogs that need to stay together? Y / N

What kinds of solutions would you be willing to try if housebreaking accidents occurred? (please check all that apply):

Crate _____ dog door _____ leave outside _____

None, I would need to return the dog _____ other (specify): _____

Have you ever trained a dog before? Y / N

If 'yes' please describe the training methods you have used in the past: _____

Do you have a gender preference? Y / N If yes, which gender? M / F

If selected to foster for Boston Buddies, a home/yard check will be required. Do you agree to have this done? Y / N

Part of the joy of fostering is to rehabilitate a dog and get him/her ready for a new home. Are you willing to follow instructions and the guidelines given to you while the dog is in your care? Y / N

References

Many veterinarians will not release information to us without your permission. Please let your vet know that we will be calling them and that it is ok to release information to us.

I called my veterinarian(s) on this date: _____ and I spoke with: _____
_____ to let them know that you will be calling and I have given my permission for them to release information to you.

Please provide us with your current veterinarian information: _____

Please provide us with the names, addresses, and phone numbers of two references:

By affixing your signature below, you indicate your understanding and the understanding of all residents of your household of the risks inherent in fostering a rescue dog. Most dogs handled through rescue come to us anonymously. Therefore we may not be aware of or have knowledge of, nor do we make any representation in regard to any pre-existing health, temperament, or behavior conditions.

It is understood that applications for fostering a dog through Boston Buddies, Inc. are subject to acceptance based on a review process that may require collecting information from an application, phone interview, vet and/or personal reference check, and a home visit. The undersigned acknowledges and agrees that Boston Buddies, Inc. reserves the right to make all decisions regarding placement of any rescued dog in its care into a foster home and that there is absolutely no guarantee made or implied that any person, or persons, requesting to foster a dog through Boston Buddies, Inc. will be approved as a foster home.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Please return this Application via one of the following:

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