



## Adoption/Foster Application

***Please answer all of the questions as completely as possible. We realize this is a long form, however, the more details you give us, the easier it will be to match you with the best dog for your family. Please be sure to fill out all the fields, as we are unable to process incomplete applications.***

***As soon as we receive your completed form, a volunteer will contact you to discuss your application, follow up on references and arrange for a home visit. Then you, and your entire family, including other pets, will be invited to meet the dog you have applied for.***

***Please understand that this process is necessary to ensure a lifelong partnership and “forever home” for our rescue dogs. We reserve the right to refuse adoptions.***

***If you are willing to “foster” for us, please mention “foster only” on this application.***

***Foster homes are the most important part of rescue. Without these generous homes, we would not be able to help dogs in need. We require loving homes that will be able to provide patience and a safe place. Most animals have often had some horrible episodes in their past, such as abuse or abandonment. Foster homes need to be able to help these animals become socialized and well mannered in order to live as well thought of members of their community. Please be aware that fostering can be a long time commitment.***

- 1) Animal You Are Interested In Adopting:
- 2) Name:
- 3) Age:
- 4) Spouse's Name:
- 5) Spouse's Age:
- 6) Email Address:
- 7) Home Address:
- 8) Home Telephone:
- 9) Do you Rent or Own?
- 10) If Renting, Landlord's name and telephone number:
- 11) How long have you lived at this address?
- 12) If less than 2 years, please provide previous address:

- 13) Does your home have a yard?
- 14) Does fencing completely enclose the yard for your dog?
- 15) If the yard is fenced, please describe the type and height of fence:
- 16) Is the gate currently locked with a padlock?
- 17) Can strangers gain access to your yard from the street?
- 18) Do you have a pool?
- 19) Is the pool area completely enclosed or fenced?
- 20) Employer:
- 21) Work Telephone:
- 22) Spouse's Employer:
- 23) Are you expecting a child or planning a family?
- 24) Do you currently have children?
- 25) If yes, please indicate children's ages:
- 26) Are you a student?
- 27) If yes, please indicate graduation date:
- 28) Does you or your spouse's job require frequent out of town travel?
- 29) Are you or your spouse subject to re-location?
- 30) Other than your immediate family, are there any others residing in your home?
- 31) If so, please explain:
- 32) Is anyone residing in your home allergic to animals?
- 33) If yes, please explain:
- 34) Does anyone in your home have asthma?

- 35) If yes, please indicate what triggers an attack:
- 36) Does anyone in your home have a medical condition (i.e. Fibromyalgia) that would prevent you from caring for the dog?
- 37) If yes, please explain:
- 38) Have you applied to any other rescues?
- 39) If yes, which ones?
- 40) Do you have any other pets at this time?
- 41) If yes, indicate what type and if spayed/neutered:
- 42) If yes, are they all up to date with vaccines?
- 43) If yes, are they currently on heartworm preventative?
- 44) Have you ever owned a Bull Terrier before?
- 45) Why adopt this breed?
- 46) Have you ever given up an animal to a shelter or found a home for an animal in your care?
- 47) If yes, please explain:
- 48) Are you looking primarily for an indoor or outdoor pet?
- 49) What role would you like your dog to play in your life? I.e. companion, therapy, protection, obedience
- 50) Please describe where the dog will stay when you are at home:
- 51) Please describe where the dog will stay when you are at work:
- 52) Please indicate where the dog will stay when you go on vacation:
- 53) Please describe where the dog will sleep at night:
- 54) How many hours a day will the dog be alone?

55) Do you plan to use a crate?

56) What kind of solutions would you be willing to try if housebreaking accidents occur?

57) What type of activity level do you feel would best suit your home and lifestyle? I.e. couch potato, highly active, moderately active, average.

58) Your current Veterinarian's name and phone number:

59) Would you be willing to allow us access to vet information?

60) Please list 3 references (name and phone number) not related to you:

i)

ii)

iii)

61) Additional comments:

62) How did you hear about The Bull Terrier Club of Canada?

Please fax completed application to 416-282-1633 or email to [bullterrier1@live.ca](mailto:bullterrier1@live.ca)