**Animal Nepal adoption questionnaire**

Remember, before getting a dog, thoroughly assess whether you have the time, resources, and dedication to fulfill this lifetime responsibility. Having a dog can be incredibly rewarding and heartwarming, but it also comes with significant responsibilities and commitments that should not be taken lightly.

This questionnaire is given to anybody with interest in adopting a dog from Animal Nepal. Here at Animal Nepal, our priority is to take care of our animals and make sure they are taken care of in our offices, shelter, community, and wherever life takes them in the future. With your understanding of what this questionnaire is for, please answer truthfully and responsibly so we can see whether this dog is a right fit for you and your family and vice versa. Thank you.

**Dog information (if applicable)**

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| **Dog name of Interest**  |  |
| **Age** |  |

**Information about potential adopter**

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| **Name** |  |
| **Address** |  |
| **Date of birth** |  |
| **Occupation** |  |
| **Mobile number**  |  |
| **Landline number**  |  |
| **Email address**  |  |

**Information about family members**

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| **Number of family members living in the house** |  |
| **Are all members of the family in agreement about getting a dog** |  |
| **Number of children in the family** |  |
| **Name of family members**  |  |

**Housing information**

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| **Type of house (Whole house or apartment)** |  |
| **Is the house rented or your own** |  |
| **If rented, has the landlord given permission to keep pets** |  |
| **Do you have an outdoor space** |  |
| **Does the house have proper fencing to ensure the safety of the dog?** |  |

**Your current pets (Only fill this part if you have other pets at home)**

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| **Do you have any other pets** |  |
| **List the number and type of pets you have** |  |
| **Are your pets spayed/neutered** |  |
| **Do your current pets get along with other dogs** |  |

**Dog care**

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| **Why are you looking to adopt a dog** |  |
| **Who will be primarily responsible for the dog’s care** |  |
| **Are you prepared to take care of the dog for their lifespan (10-15 years)** |  |

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| **Are you planning to move abroad anytime in the future** |  |
| **Where will your dog sleep at night** |  |
| **Will you be using cages or chains** |  |
| **How long will your dog be left alone each day** |  |
| **Where will your dog be left alone?** |  |
| **How often would your dog be able to go outside each day** |  |
| **Will you be able to give enough exercise for your dog**  |  |

**Health & Behavior**

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| **Are you prepared to cover all vet expenses for your dog** |  |
| **Do you have a local/trusted vet you can go to** |  |
| **Are you able to keep up to date on your dog’s vaccinations and other health needs**  |  |
| **What traits are you looking for in a dog** |  |
| **What would you consider to be unacceptable behavior in a dog** |  |
| **How do you plan on training your dog** |  |

**Possible occurrences**

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| **What would you do if the following situation occurred?** |
| Moved to a new home that doesn’t allow pets |  |
| You get married |  |
| Someone in the family develops an allergy to dogs |  |
| Travel |  |
| Move abroad  |  |
| Got pregnant  |  |

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| **Under what circumstances would you not be able to keep this dog** |
| Pregnancy / new baby |  |
| Develop allergies  |  |
| If the dog needs too much attention  |  |
| Job change / loss |  |
| Dog bites people |  |
| Dog destroys objects |  |
| Dog behavior problems |  |
| Extensive vet bill |  |
| Conflict with other pets  |  |
| Dog is untrainable  |  |
| Dog needs a special diet |  |
| Dog becomes disabled  |  |
| Dog needs daily treatment  |  |
| If family members or neighbors complain about the dog  |  |

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| **If you have to give up the dog for any of the above reasons, what will you do with the dog?** |

**I certify that all of the above information is true and accurate. I understand that if I adopt a dog from Animal Nepal, this document will become part of the adoption record. I also understand that completion of this questionnaire does not guarantee the adoption of an Animal Nepal dog.**

**Signature(s)**

**Full name:**

**Signature:**

**Date:**

**Full name:**

**Signature:**

**Date:**