



Start from Scratch Rescue takes in abused, neglected, and abandoned animals, as well as those that are sometimes at risk of euthanasia.

We make every attempt to screen our animals for health, behavior and temperament issues. Certain types of problems may not demonstrate themselves until the animal is in a home environment.

**For these reasons we cannot guarantee the behavior, health or temperament of any animal.**

**Dog you are interested in: \***

**First and Last Name \***

**Primary Phone Number \***

**Secondary Phone Number**

**Address, City, State, Zip \***

**Email Address \***

**Type of Residence \***

**Do you own or rent \***

**How long have you lived here? \***

**If you are renting, please provide you landlord's name and phone number**

**Is this the first time you have owned a dog as an adult? \***

**Please provide your veterinarian's name and phone number \***

**Please list all animals that currently live in your home or that you have owned in the last three years. Name, breed, age, and sex. If you do not own them anymore, please explain why. \***

**Please list all persons living in the home \***

**Are all the animals in your household spayed or neutered? \***

Yes

No

**Does anyone in your house have allergies to animals? \***

**Does anyone in the home have a medical condition that will stop them from providing care to the animal? \***

**Please describe what kind of dog you are looking for (long or short hair, size, weight, male/female, age) \***

**Please select all the qualities that you are looking for in a dog \***

Easy on a leash  
Lap dog  
Confident  
Playful  
Enjoys car rides  
Active  
Protective  
Rough houser  
Good with other dogs  
Independent  
Gentle  
Energetic  
Good with cats  
Calm  
Dependent  
Quiet  
Enjoys hiking, jogging, running  
Good with children  
Adult dog that is settled

**Would your new dog have any of the following visiting: \***

children under 10  
teenagers  
male dogs  
female dogs  
cats  
livestock  
horses  
none

**What are some training needs that you do not wish to encounter? \***

Housebreaking  
Escaping  
Digging  
Chewing  
Excessive barking  
Protective  
Leash pulling  
Jumping

Stubborn  
Food aggression  
Toy aggression  
Shy/fearful  
Plays too rough  
Needs a lot of attention  
Other

**There are some behaviors that require patience, formal training, or prior dog experience. If your new dog does display any of these behaviors, how will you go about teaching him/her? \***

Contact a professional  
Use a book  
Google  
Personal knowledge  
Other

**How would you describe your household? \***

very active  
lots of kids visit  
some activity  
frequent adult visitors  
quiet  
Other

**When you are home, where will your new dog be? \***

Loose in the home  
Crate in the home  
Loose outside  
Tied up outside  
Outside kennel/pen  
Within fenced yard  
Garage  
Doghouse in yard  
Basement  
Other

**When you are NOT home, where will your new dog be? \***

Loose in the home  
Crate in the home  
Loose outside  
Tied up outside

Outside kennel/pen  
Within fenced yard  
Garage  
Doghouse in yard  
Basement  
Confined to a room  
Runner in yard  
Doggie day care  
Other

**All dogs require exercise. How will your new dog get adequate exercise? \***

Run in yard  
Outdoor kennel/pen  
Fenced yard  
Daily leash walks  
Loose outside  
Off leash dog park  
Hiking/jogging  
Mid-day dog walker  
Doggie day care  
Other

**There are additional expenses for pets for routine care and possible unexpected medical costs. Are you prepared to be financially responsible for you new pet? \***

Yes  
No

**It may take weeks for the new dog to adjust to a different environment. It may even require keeping the animals separate to introduce them properly. Are you prepared to handle this? \***

Yes  
No

**In a new environment it can be hard to determine if an animal is housebroken. Will you be able to tolerate accidents and train the pet? \***

Yes  
No

**Are all family members in agreement about adopting a dog? \***

Yes  
No

**Have you or any member of your household been subject to legal action for cruelty to, neglect of,**

**or abandonment of any animal? \***

- Yes
- No

**Home checks are required prior to adoption. Will you allow us to complete a home check? \***

- Yes
- No

**Are there any topics that you would like to discuss with our adoption coordinator? \***

**I understand that purposeful falsification of the information contained in this form will result in automatic denial of an adoption, or subsequent confiscation of already adopted pet (s). I certify that the information I have provided herein is accurate and I authorize Start from Scratch Rescue to investigate all statements made on this questionnaire. I understand that Start from Scratch Rescue makes no representation or guarantee about any animal's temperament, behavior, health or any combination thereof. Start from Scratch Rescue is not held liable for any future injury or damage, which may be caused by any adopted animal, nor is Start from Scratch Rescue responsible for any illness or medical malady, which may befall the animal subsequent to adoption. Start from Scratch Rescue reserves the right, at our sole discretion, to refuse any applicant for any reason. If adopted dog isn't working out, it is required to return to the care Start from Scratch Rescue. \***

- I understand
- I do not understand

**Name**

First Name      Last Name

**Date**

Month   Day   Year