

Bluetails Adoption Application

* First Name

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* Last Name

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* Email

...

* Home Phone Number

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Cell Phone Number

Gender

Date of Birth

* Address

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Address 2

State/Province/Region

* Zip Code and City

...

Country

What dog are you have be interested in?

If the dog(s) you are applying for isn't currently listed, please indicate their name(s) here.

Spouse / Co-Applicant

If you are applying with a spouse or co-applicant, add them here

Name, address, phone number, email, age, occupation

Tell us About Your Home & Family

Answer all questions honestly, this allows us to properly place the most appropriate dog into your home.

***Do you live in a**

- House
- Duplex
- Condo
- Apartment
- Military Housing
- Assisted Living
- Mobile / Manufactured Home

***Do you own or rent?**

- Rent
- Own
- Live with parents
- Other

***How long have you been at this residence?**

If less than 1 year, please provide your previous address.

Previous address

***Do you plan to move?**

If yes, when?

***If you rent, please include your landlord/ property owner contact information here.**

If you are not a home owner, we will require authorization from your landlord / property owner. Enter N/A if you are a homeowner. We will check the Parish Assessor office to verify home ownership.

***Does your landlord know you are looking for a new pet?**

- I have not yet informed my landlord of my desire to have a pet
- My landlord is aware that I am actively looking for a dog
- I own my own home

***Does your landlord allow pets?**

- Yes, without restrictions
- Yes, with restrictions
- No
- No, but planning to move soon
- I own my home

***Does your landlord have any breed, weight or other restrictions?**

If yes, list them here. Enter N/A if you are a home owner.

***Does your landlord require a pet deposit?**

If yes, what is the fee amount? Proof of a payment will be required. Enter N/A if you are a home owner.

***Where will you primarily keep this pet?**

- Indoors
- Outdoors
- Other

***Do you have a yard?**

Please note, that fenced yards are required for puppies, young, most adult and some senior dogs. We do, however, have leash appropriate dogs for partially or unfenced yards.

- Yes, an unfenced yard.
- Yes, a fully fenced yard
- Yes, a partially fenced
- I do not have a yard

***If fenced, what is the height?**

Enter N/A if there is no fence.

***Type of fence**

Check all that apply

- Vinyl
- Wood
- Metal
- Chain link
- No fence
- Other

***How many gates does the fence have?**

Are they lockable or unlock-able? Enter NA if not applicable.

Please attach pictures or videos of the yard and/or fence.

Include the full perimeter showing all entrances and gates. Doing so now can shorten the application processing time. This is not required at this time, but is recommended.

***Are all the members of your household in agreement about adopting a dog?**

- Yes
- No
- Haven't told them yet

***Does anyone in the household have pet allergies?**

Please note, we cannot guarantee that ANY dog will be hypoallergenic.

- Yes
- No
- Not Sure

***Describe the activity level of your home**

Check all that apply

- Moderate Comings / Goings
- Busy / Noisy
- Quiet with occasional guest

***Do children visit the home? If so, please include gender and age.**

***Household Setting**

- Suburban
- Rural
- Urban

***List the all members of your household, including roommates or renters, etc.**

Name/Relation/Gender/Age

***On a regular day, how many hours will the dog be left alone?**

***Are you prepared to assume the financial responsibility of caring for this pet?**

Including, but not limited to, vaccines, annual vet visits, quality pet food and monthly preventions that could average \$1000/a year?

- Yes
- No

***Occupation?**

Your Pet Preferences

***What age dog are you interested in?**

Check all that apply

- Puppy
- Young
- Adult
- Senior

***How soon do you want to adopt a pup?**

Please note we can not hold a dog

- I am thinking probably in the next few days
- I am taking my time, a few weeks is fine
- I am browsing, it could be a few months
- I am uncertain, it would depend on me finding the right dog
- Right away, hand that dog over!

***Are you interested in**

- a male dog
- No preference
- a female dog

***Who is this pet primarily for?**

Check all that apply

- Child
- Adult
- Senior
- Pet playmate
- Child/Adult with disability

***Describe your ideal dog.**

***What temperament are you looking for in a pet?**

Check all that apply

- Frisky/Playful
- Mellow/Affectionate
- Lap Dog/Quiet

***What energy level would work with your life style?**

check all that apply

- Active - Long Walks, Dog Park
- Energetic - Running buddy
- Mellow - Short Daily Walks, Yard Play

***What traits are NOT acceptable?**

Check all that apply

- Excitable
- Potty Accidents
- Mouthy
- Chewing
- Protective
- Shy
- Jumping
- Licking
- Lazy
- I'm willing to work through anything

***What will you do to prevent or correct this behavior?**

***Are you willing to use a dog crate, if recommended?**

- Yes
- No

***When indoors, how do you plan to keep the pet?**

- Free to roam
- Confined to crate
- Inside a closed room
- Gated area
- Other

***When outdoors, how do you plan to keep the pet?**

***Who will be responsible for walking the dog?**

How often, how long & what times of day? Please be descriptive.

***Do you have a contingency plan to pay for unexpected emergency vet bills? Would you like information on pet insurance?**

***If you move in the future, will you take this pet with you?**

***If this pet outlives you, how would you ensure that he/she would not be surrendered to the animal shelter?**

***In the case of an emergency, such as a hurricane, what provisions will you make for this pet?**

***Would you consider adopting a heartworm positive or special needs dog?**

Bluetails covers the cost of heartworm treatment.

***Why do you want to adopt a dog?**

Check all that apply

- Guard dog
- Kids want one
- Companion pet
- Really love animals
- Mouser
- Barn Cat
- Gift for someone

Tell us about your current & past pets

***Do you currently own a pet?**

If you have never owned a pet or lack vet history, we do offer a "Foster to Adopt" option for first time pet owners. This program allows you to foster the dog for a period of time, to be determined, that allows you the opportunity to establish and maintain vet care on the pet. Please note, preference will be given to those who can show an established vet history, not all dogs are a candidate for this program and this program isn't available to applicants outside of Louisiana.

- Yes, I currently own a pet
- No, but I am a past pet owner
- I am a first time pet owner

***List your current pets.**

Include name, age, breed/species and how long they have been in your care

***Please provide the contact information for your current/most recent veterinarian.**

Include name, address and phone number. If no vet, please write N/A.

***Please provide the contact information for any past veterinarians.**

Include names, addresses and phone numbers. If no vet, please write N/A.

If your vet history is under an alternate name other than the primary applicant, please list that name(s) here.

If we can not obtain vet records based on the information provided, your application will be denied.

***List your deceased pets. When did they pass?**

Reason for passing? Include name, age and breed/species

***If you don't currently own a pet, but are a past pet owner, how long has it been since you had a pet?**

Please list all pets within the last 10 years. Names, ages and why they are no longer in your care.

***If you currently have pets, are they up to date on their vaccinations and monthly heartworm preventatives?**

- My animals are up to date on their vaccinations but I do not administer monthly heartworm preventatives
- My animals are up to date on their vaccinations and receive monthly heartworm preventatives
- I do not vaccinate my animals or give them monthly heartworm preventatives
- I do not currently have pets

***Have they been vaccinated yearly?**

We will verify consistency with your vet.

- Yes
- No previous/current pets
- No

*** Have they been on heartworm prevention consistently?**

We will require proof that monthly prevention was purchased. If prevention was acquired from somewhere other than your vet, please list those sources here.

- Yes
- No
- No previous/current pets

***Which brand heartworm prevention do you use?**

***If you currently have pets, are they spayed or neutered? Are you interested in receiving information about low cost spay and neuter programs?**

- I do not have pets
- I do not believe in spaying or neutering my animals
- Some of my pets are spayed or neutered but not all
- All of my pets have been spayed or neutered at the age-appropriate time

***If you currently have pets, describe their energy level**

Check all that apply

- Excitable
- Playful / Frisky
- Mellow / Calm
- Mouthy
- Energetic
- Lacks Basic Training
- Respects personal space/boundaries
- Lazy / Lap dog
- Possessive of toys, treats, food or people
- No current pet

***If you currently have pets, are they good with other dogs?**

- I don't have pets
- Yes
- No

***Describe your typical day with your pet.**

Please be descriptive.

***Have you ever re-homed or given away an animal to someone or taken to the shelter? If yes, please explain.**

***Have you had any euthanized, pets?**

If yes, please explain.

About Training Your Dog

***Are you willing to work through unexpected hardships with your pet and hire a trainer if need be?**

- Yes
- No
- Not Sure
- Please tell me more

***Describe your philosophy of training and how you plan to train your new dog**

***We cannot guarantee a dog to be housebroken. Are you equipped to train with love and patience?**

***Will you return, dump, try to re-home or take to the shelter if this behavior can not be corrected?**

***Describe any experience you have had with obedience training, or with medical or behavioral issues**

***Do you plan to go to training?**

If yes, whom are you planning to use? Do you need information on training resources? First time pet owners are required to go to basic training.

***Are you familiar with crate training?**

Would you like information on crate training?

A Few Questions

***Have you or anyone in your household been convicted of animal cruelty, neglect, animal hoarding or abandonment?**

If so, please explain.

***If you are adopting with a partner, who will get custody if there is a break up?**

***Are you willing to allow a representative of Bluetails to visit your home?**

- Yes
- No

***Are you willing to allow Bluetails to perform periodic follow-ups?**

- Yes
- No

***Do you agree that any and all Bluetails fees are non-refundable at any point.**

This includes , but not limited to, the application processing fee and the adoption fee.

- Yes
- No

***Have you been involved in domestic disturbances in which the police were called?**

If so, explain.

***If you are no longer able to keep this pet, do you agree to return the pet to Bluetails?**

- Yes
- No

***How did you hear about Bluetails?**

Please like and follow our Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/bluetailpets>

***What do you know about heartworms?**

***Have you read and understand our adopter process and FAQ's? This is a requirement.**

<http://www.blue-tails.com/faq-s.html>

- Yes
- No

Personal References

Please include those NOT in the household. We prefer no relatives.

***Personal reference #1**

Include name, relation, phone number and email address

***Personal reference #2**

Include name, relation, phone number and email address

***Personal reference #3**

Include name, relation, phone number and email address
