



ADORA-BULL TERRIER RESCUE AND REHABILITATION

Home Check list

Date of visit
Name of home visitor/volunteer
Volunteer's phone number
Name of applicant
Address
Applicant's Phone number

Dog Requested

Please specify the name and description of the dog the family is interested in (if applicable):

Why does the family want this particular dog?

Would the family be willing to consider another dog if the requested dog cannot be placed with them for any reason? Would they be willing to let Adora-bull suggest other dogs?

PEOPLE / FAMILY:

Are all residents of the home present for the home visit?

How many people in the family?

How old are the children?

Are children respectful of pets (your observation)?

Are there elderly people living on the property? Please specify age and level of functioning (for example mobility, limitations, illness, etc.)

Do any of the family members have a mental or physical disability?

Are any of the female family members pregnant? If so, when is the baby due?

How do family members react to each other?

Has the family previously owned a Bull Terrier? Elaborate on their previous experiences with bullies.

Is the main caretaker physically able to care for dog(s)? Yes/No. If no, please specify:

Reason for wanting to adopt a Bull Terrier?

NEIGHBOURHOOD / HOUSE / LIVING CONDITIONS:

Describe the street Busy/Quiet/In Between	
Describe the setting Rural/Suburban/Urban	
What are the surrounding neighbours like in terms of other dogs, children, age of children, etc.	
Condition of the house	

Hazardous items within reach of pets? Glass, chemicals, etc.	
Poisonous plants? Yes/No	
Are there lots of stairs? Yes/No	
Are there lots of small objects or knick-knacks at dog level? Yes/No	
Is the living areas dog friendly? Yes/No Comment:	
Is there a garden? Yes/No	
What is the condition of the garden? Comment:	
Is the property a split property?	
Will the dog be visible from the street?	
Is the garden secure? Elaborate under 'volunteer's comments' at the end of the form	
How is the garden secured? Wall/Fence/Palisade	
How high are the walls or fence? Elaborate under 'volunteer's comments' at the end of the form	
Are there any areas of gates or fence where a dog can slip out of or dig under to escape?	
Does the garden have sufficient shade and cover in case of rain, a thunderstorm or extreme heat?	
Does the shaded/protected area have a kennel or an area for the dog to be protected from rain/thunderstorm/sun?	
Has the garden got a pool/fishpond? Yes/No	
If yes for pool, is the pool fenced off?	
Are there any dams/ponds in the area/neighborhood?	
Are there currently any building projects or renovations at the residence or in the surrounding area?	

CARE AND TREATMENT OF PETS:

Where will the animal eat – is it a clean area?	
What kind of food will the animal eat?	
Where will the animal sleep?	
How and where will the animal get exercise?	

Where will the animal stay when left home alone?	
Will they allow animal to have free run of the house? Yes/No	
Will they allow the animal on furniture? Yes/No	
What will they do if the animal becomes very ill?	
How will they housetrain? If necessary.	
How would/do they discipline an animal? Elaborate under 'volunteer's comments' if necessary.	
How will they work through behavioural issues? Elaborate under 'volunteer's comments' if you feel they need guidance.	
Have any of the existing animals been for training?	
Details of trainer (name and contact number)	
Methods used by trainer (positive reward, dominance, punishment methods etc.)	

OTHER PETS IN THE HOUSE:

Current pets (name, sterilised , type of pet, sex, age, how long owned, where kept?)	
Will unsterilised animals be sterilised before adopting?	
Do the pets look well cared for? Yes/No Neglected/Abused	
Would the family rehome or euthanize <u>an existing/current or future</u> pet or animal as a result of the adoption of a bully (for example If the dogs fight, dog does not get along with cat etc.)?	
What if their current pet(s) and adopted rescue animal don't get along, how will they react?	

Domestic Staff/Gardeners/Garden Services/Builders

Does the family have a domestic worker?	
Does the domestic worker reside at the property or only work there on specific days?	
Does the family have a gardener or garden services?	
Are any builders currently working at the premises? Does the family plan any renovations or building projects soon?	

Where will the dog be kept if the domestic worker, gardener, garden services or builders are at the residence?	
Will the family be willing and able to keep the dog separate from the domestic worker, gardener or garden services if necessary?	

COMMENTS:

Volunteer's observations and comments:

Please comment on:

- Neighbours' animals: _____
- Applicant's knowledge of bull terriers: _____
- Applicant's attitude towards animals: _____

Any other comments you feel are relevant when considering the placement of a dog in this home:

Are there any other concerns or limitations?

Would you personally feel comfortable leaving an animal here? Yes/No/Comment:

Does the family have any concerns about the rescue animal? Yes/No/Comment:

Please send your completed home check list to: adorabulladoption@gmail.com