

QUESTIONNAIRE FOR PROSPECTIVE RESCUE FAMILIES

New Hope Vizsla Rescue

Your completion of this questionnaire will assist us in evaluating your home for rescue placement and/or fostering. It will also enable us to make the best match possible to suit the dog and your lifestyle. Please provide as much information as you can to help us make a successful match!

GENERAL INFORMATION

Name:

Street address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Telephone (home and cell):

Email address:

Referred by:

Do you: _____ Own _____ Rent *A copy of your lease stating pets are permitted will need to be provided if you rent.*

How many people live in your home? Adults (ages) Children (ages)

Have you ever owned a Vizsla before?

If you have, or have owned, other Vizslas, where/whom did you acquire them from?

Do you currently own any Vizslas or other dogs?

If yes, how old are they and what is their breed/size?

If you have owned dogs that are no longer living, at what age and how did they pass?

Do you have any other animals at the present time? If yes, what type of pet?

Have you ever rescued or fostered a dog before?

Why do you want to rescue a Vizsla instead of getting a puppy?

How did you become familiar with the Vizsla breed?

How many Vizslas have you become acquainted with?

What research have you done on the breed?

Have you ever had a dog with health issues? (Please list):

Would you consider adopting a dog with medical needs?

Have you ever had a dog with behavioral needs? (Please list):

Would you consider adopting a dog with behavioral needs? If so, what kind?

Have you ever had a dog that you had to give away or return to the breeder?

TYPE OF DOG DESIRED

Please check your preference: _____ Male _____ Female _____ No preference

What age dog do you desire? ____ to ____ years old (range) _____ No Preference

If you have a sexual preference for your dog, please specify why:

HOME ENVIRONMENT

Will your Vizsla be a pet or a member of the family? Please describe how animals and people coexist in your home:

Describe where your Vizsla will live:

Describe where your Vizsla will sleep:

Describe where your dog will stay when you and your family are away from home:

How many hours in an average day will the dog be alone? What is your typical daily schedule?
How large is your yard?

Is your yard fenced? (Describe)

Do you understand that Vizslas are active, outgoing dogs requiring a good deal of exercise and attention on a regular basis?

When traveling in your vehicle, where will your dog ride?

TRAINING AND HEALTHCARE

As you probably know, many rescue dogs have not received adequate training or nurturing, and thus, require significant retraining. Are you willing to take your dog to training classes?

Do you know of any training facilities in your area?

Do you know if they use “positive training” techniques? (*Best suited for Vizslas*).

MISCELLANEOUS

If you go away on vacation and cannot take your dog, have you considered any arrangements for the care of your dog while you are gone?

If yes, please explain:

Is there any other information that would be of interest to properly evaluate your home's suitability for a rescue Vizsla?

REFERENCES

Veterinarian

Name:

Address:

Phone:

Personal Reference 1

Name:

Phone:

Years Known/ Dog Experience:

Personal Reference 2

Name:

Phone:

Years Known/ Dog Experience:

Please email this completed questionnaire to:

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