



New Pen Del Newfoundland Club
Rescue Service
Adoption/Foster Application

PLEASE PRINT

Date: _____
Name: _____
Street: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

This questionnaire has been designed solely for the intent of evaluating your lifestyle so we may secure the best match in placing each individual dog. There are no right or wrong answers. Nothing automatically disqualifies an applicant. Please answer ALL questions.

How long have you resided at the above address? _____
Do you have children living at home? _____ Ages: _____
Do other children visit your home? _____ How often _____
How many adults live in the home? _____

Please list the dogs you currently own or have owned.

Breed _____ Sex (altered/intact) _____ Age _____ Where acquired _____ In or out doors _____ Yrs. owned _____

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

What happened to each of the above listed dogs?

Have you ever bred dogs? If yes, please describe on a separate sheet.

Do you have a fenced yard? _____ Type/Material: _____ Height: _____

Will the Newf be primarily an inside or outside pet? _____

Do you have a run or sheltered area? _____

Do you have steps the dog will need to climb? _____

Where will the Newf sleep at night? _____

Who will be responsible for primary care of the dog? _____
Is anyone in the household allergic to dogs? _____
What amount of time would the dog be left alone, on average, each day? _____

What arrangements will be made for the dog during this time period along? Please circle your answer: loose indoors/basement/garage/crate/kennel run/yard/other:

Do you travel often? _____ Who will care for the dog in your absence? _____

Do you have one or more cats at present? _____

Do you have any other animals? _____

Are you interested in adopting a Newf mix? _____

Would you consider adopting an existing pair of Newfs? _____

Would you consider adopting a dog with special needs? i.e. arthritis, medications, allergies, heart disease? _____

What age dog are you primarily interested in? _____ Please be specific:

Male _____ Female _____ Why? _____

What do you consider to be adequate exercise for a giant breed dog? _____

How do you plan to discipline your Newf if/when he/she does something wrong?

Have you or a family member ever been an active participant in a dog obedience class?

When? _____

Are you a member of any dog clubs? _____

What attracts you to the Newfoundland breed? _____

Please tell us about your personal experiences with Newfs.:

Why would you like to adopt a Newf from Rescue? _____

What role would a Newf have in your life: Companion _____ Obedience _____

Draft work _____ Rescue work _____ Animal assisted therapy _____

Search and rescue _____ Agility _____ Tracking _____ Other _____

Name of current vet: _____

Phone number: _____

Address: _____

If you do not currently have a vet, you must provide the name, e-mail, mailing address and phone number of at least 2 references. (previous vet, groomer, dog trainer, neighbor, breeder) plus the vet you plan to use:

If you rent your home, you must provide the name and phone number of your landlord and supply a copy of the lease to the Rescue Representative that performs your home inspection.

How did you learn of Newfoundland Rescue? If online, which website?

Please initial here _____ to indicate you have read the general information sheet that accompanied this application regarding grooming, health care requirements, costs and time required in keeping a Newfoundland dog.

Do you have time every day to devote to a Newfoundland dog? _____

The lifespan of a Newfoundland is 10-13 years. Are you able to make this kind of a commitment? _____

Is your financial situation such that you can afford to properly care for a Newfoundland dog for his/her lifetime? _____

Please print out this application, complete in its entirety and mail to Nancy Weaver, Rescue Chair, 123 Branch Road, Bridgewater, NJ 08807. If you have questions about completing this application, you may contact Nancy at neveaver@optonline.net

If your circumstances change and you wish to be removed from our waiting list, please let me know.

We reserve the right to decline any application without explanation.