



Ownership Questionnaire

Thank you for taking the time to fill this questionnaire out completely and email or mail it us.

Name:

Address:

City:

State / Country:

Zip / Postal Code:

Phone Number:

Email Address:

Number in Family:

Children's ages:

Other Pets (type & age):

Have you ever owned a dog before? (Y / N)

If Yes - Age / Breed:

Ever taken animal to shelter: (Y / N)

If Yes – Describe situation briefly:

Briefly describe your experience with dogs:

Have you ever competed with dogs? (Y / N)

If so, level of training experience?

Have you ever owned a therapy dog? (Y / N)

If Yes – Describe briefly:

Why are you considering a Portuguese Water Dog?

Occupation?

Do the adults in family work outside of home? (Y / N)

Longest amount of time dog will be left alone?

Describe briefly:

How much time do you believe it will take to care for your dog?

per day: _____

per week: _____

Are you committed to feeding, exercise, training, grooming, playing & socializing activities?

(Y / N)

How do the other members of your family feel about getting a Portuguese Water Dog?

Have you given any thought to housebreaking your dog? How will you proceed?

How long do you expect this to take?

Describe briefly:

Do you live in a house or an apartment? (H / A)

Do you own or rent? (O / R)

If you rent, does the lease permit dogs? (Y / N)

Are there size restrictions? (Y / N)

If there are, what are they?

Do you have or have access to a fenced area? (Y / N)

Size? (give length by width and fence height)

If you do not how will you provide your dog exercise and potty breaks?

Will your dog be inside or outside when you are away? (I / O)

Will your dog be confined when you are away? (Y / N)

Who in your family will be responsible for the following tasks?

Housebreaking:

Feeding:

Training:

Grooming:

Veterinarian appointments:

Walking / Exercise / Potty breaks:

Socializing:

Costs associated with ownership:

What is your estimate of the annual cost of owning a Portuguese Water Dog?

Are you prepared for these costs? (Y / N)

Are you prepared for any emergency costs and time the dog may require? (Y / N)

Do you have a veterinarian?

If so, please provide all contact information for your vet.

If not, it is time to consider finding a vet who will help you care for your dog.

Do you know of a training facility in your area for:

Puppy socialization (Y / N)

Therapy training (Y / N)

Basic obedience training (Y / N)

Provide contact information:

Do you plan to compete with your dog? (Y / N)

If yes, would you like information on the various competitions open to the dogs? (Y / N)

What if you move to a residence that doesn't allow dogs?

What will you do if your dog is missing or becomes aggressive or you cannot care for them?

Are you familiar with AKC? (Y / N)

Do you belong to any local, regional or national dog clubs? (Y / N)

Are you interested in a male or a female dog? (M / F)

Please list or discuss any other comments or concerns you may have: