

Appointment Date: _____



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Dog Behaviour Questionnaire

Client Information:

Name of Owner / Handler:		Date :				
Address & POSTCODE						
Contact No(s):	(M)	(H)				
E-mail:						
Veterinary Practice:						
Where did you hear about me?	Google search <input type="checkbox"/>	Veterinary Practice <input type="checkbox"/>	Yell.com Yellow Pgs <input type="checkbox"/>	Previous client Recommendation <input type="checkbox"/>	Real XS Radio <input type="checkbox"/>	Other <input type="checkbox"/>

Dog Information:

Name of Dog:			
Breed of Dog:		Age of Dog:	
Sex: Male <input type="checkbox"/>	Female <input type="checkbox"/>	Intact <input type="checkbox"/>	Spayed <input type="checkbox"/> Neutered <input type="checkbox"/>
Age when spayed/neutered?:			
Did you notice any short or long term changes in your dog's behaviour after neutering?			
Was your dog neutered because of a behaviour problem? If yes, explain:			
Are vaccinations up to date?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Is your dog regularly wormed (4 x's per year)?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Does your dog have any medical conditions? If yes, please explain.			
Is your dog currently given any medications? If yes, what meds & dose?			

Please answer the following questions. All information that you provide is confidential. It is important to answer carefully since the information will be used to help assess your dog's behaviour. Please add any additional information as you see fit. If a particular question is not relevant to your dog, please mark N/A.

Section 1:

How old was your dog when you acquired it?
Has the dog had previous owners? If yes, explain.
Where did you get your dog? Breeder <input type="checkbox"/> Pet store <input type="checkbox"/> Animal shelter <input type="checkbox"/> Friend <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>
How does your dog spend the majority of its time? (<i>i.e. asleep, following you around, playing etc</i>)
Where is the dog left when no one is home?
Where does your dog sleep? Bedroom <input type="checkbox"/> Crate <input type="checkbox"/> Kitchen <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>
How often is your dog exercised?.... And for how long? More than... 10 mins <input type="checkbox"/> 45 mins <input type="checkbox"/> 1 hour <input type="checkbox"/> 2 hours <input type="checkbox"/>
Briefly describe your dog's daily exercise routine: (<i>Please note I will not judge your honesty if your dog is not walked</i>)
When is your dog fed? AM <input type="checkbox"/> PM <input type="checkbox"/> Both <input type="checkbox"/>
What do you feed your dog? Canned <input type="checkbox"/> Dry <input type="checkbox"/> Table Scraps <input type="checkbox"/> Treats <input type="checkbox"/> OR Raw <input type="checkbox"/>
Dog Food Brand Name(s):
Do you leave food down all day?: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> He picks throughout the day It is eaten straight away
What are your dog's favourite toys?
What sort of play does your dog enjoy most? Ball <input type="checkbox"/> Chase games <input type="checkbox"/> Tug <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>

Section 2

Please describe the general social layout of the family: (e.g. children, other adults and animals) Children's ages are also useful to note.
Has your household changed since acquiring your dog? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
If yes, please describe:
Does your dog enjoy the company of children: If not, please explain:

Please describe your dog's interaction with other animals in the household:

Describe how your dog reacts to guests and unfamiliar people:

Describe your dog's behaviour around unfamiliar dogs:

Section 3

Why did you decide to acquire a dog? Companion For the children For Protection

Describe your dog's behaviour as a puppy. Anything unexpected?

Why did you choose the breed?

Have you owned other dogs in the past? (If yes, which breeds)

Section 4

Describe your dog's reaction to being left alone?

Describe your dog's behaviour when you return home:

Do you use a crate? If yes, when did you begin to crate your dog?

Does your dog happily go in his crate by himself?

How many hours a day is your dog kept in the crate?

Less than....

5 hours

10 hours

15 hours

Section 5

Has your dog ever been to puppy or obedience classes? No <input type="checkbox"/> Private 1 to 1 ^s <input type="checkbox"/> Group <input type="checkbox"/>
How many weeks of training?
What training school or professional trainer/behaviourist did you use?
What training methods or philosophy did the trainer emphasize? Food treats / toys / water pistols / shaker bottles etc
Briefly describe your impressions and benefits from training?
Does your dog come when called?
Will your dog lie down on command?
Does your dog pull when being walked on a lead?
Please describe your dog's general attitude and response to obedience training:

Section 6

What do you consider to be your dog's most undesirable behaviour(s)? (this is what I will focus on during our session / training programme)
When did you first notice the problem?
Rank the severity of the dog's problem: Mild <input type="checkbox"/> Moderate <input type="checkbox"/> Severe <input type="checkbox"/>
How often does the problem occur? Frequently <input type="checkbox"/> Occasionally <input type="checkbox"/> Rarely <input type="checkbox"/>
Has there been a recent change in frequency or severity? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Have there been any changes in the household that could help to explain the appearance of the problem?
What have you done so far to correct your dog's behaviour problem?
Why do <i>you</i> think the dog is exhibiting the behaviour problem?

Section 8

How old was your dog when it exhibited the first signs of aggressiveness?

Is there anyone who the dog is **never** aggressive towards?

Does your dog suffer from any physical condition that might explain its aggressiveness?

Is your dog more aggressive towards males or females?

Has your dog ever killed any animals? (Birds, Squirrels etc)

Does your dog show signs of fear prior to becoming aggressive? How?

IF THERE WAS A BITE

What was the location of the bite? (i.e. my forearm / other dogs ear)

Did it cause bruising? (i.e. yes two small bruises an inch apart)

Did it break the skin? If so; Was it a tear or a puncture wound? Was there blood? (tear with slight bleeding, puncture wound)

If a puncture wound, how many holes were there?

Would you describe the wounds as shallow (*less than 1/4" deep*) or deep (*1/4" deep or more*)?

Was there one bite, multiple bites, or a 'grab-and-shake' (*i.e. one bite, then he let go; he held on and shook from side to side*)

What happened right after the incident? (*i.e. I put my dog in the garden, I was angry and hit him, nothing we left the scene*)

