

# Mastro Labradors

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## PUPPY OR DOG PLACEMENT QUESTIONNAIRE

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| NAME(S): _____                            | HOME PHONE: _____ - _____ - _____ |                                    |
| WORK PHONE: _____ - _____ - _____ x _____ | CELL PHONE: _____ - _____ - _____ | OTHER PHONE: _____ - _____ - _____ |
| HOME EMAIL: _____                         | OTHER EMAIL: _____                |                                    |
| PHYSICAL STREET ADDRESS: _____            |                                   |                                    |

***This is NOT a test. There are no right or wrong answers. Please answer thoughtfully and completely.***

***IF THERE ARE MULTIPLE PEOPLE IN THE HOUSEHOLD, PLEASE FILL THIS OUT TOGETHER.***

***These questions should help you understand how a puppy or dog may affect your life. Your responses will be used to help make the best possible match of a puppy or dog with your family members, home and lifestyle.***

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| How many people live in your house? _____ How many are adults? _____ How many are children? _____   |
| If children, what are their ages and genders? _____   |
| Who else lives or spends a significant amount of time in your house, such as a nanny, housekeeper, elderly parent, grandparent, grandchildren or other? _____ |
| Will your dog "belong" to a particular family member? _____ If Yes, to whom? _____  |
| Is everyone in the household in agreement on acquiring a new dog? _____ If No, who is not and what are their concerns? _____                                  |
| Is there anyone in your home who is allergic, doesn't like or is afraid of dogs? _____ Who? _____   |
| If so, how do you plan to accommodate this person? _____  |

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| How did you first learn about Labradors and why would you like to own one? _____  |
| Do you have any pets now? _____ If Yes, what kinds, how many and are they altered? _____                                |
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| If you now own or have owned dogs before, where did you get them, what were they like, and what happened to them? _____ |
| _____   |
| _____   |
| Have you ever had a pet hit by a car or lost and not recovered? _____ If Yes, please explain. _____                     |
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| Describe the <b>MOST IMPORTANT CHARACTERISTICS</b> you are looking for in a dog (REQUIRED) _____ |
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| Describe the <b>LEAST IMPORTANT CHARACTERISTICS</b> (REQUIRED) _____                             |
| Do you prefer a black, yellow, chocolate – in what order - or no color preference? _____         |
| If so, why? _____ Will you switch if a puppy of that color is not available? _____ Which? _____  |
| Do you prefer a male or a female – in what order - or no gender preference? _____                |
| If so, why? _____ Will you switch if a puppy of that gender is not available? _____              |
| Do you plan to spay or neuter your dog? _____ If no, why not? _____                              |

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| What hobbies or activities do you or your family enjoy? _____  |
| _____  |
| Will your dog participate in any of these? _____ Which? _____  |
| Do you plan to do any of the following activities with your dog? _____ Please check all that apply.  |
| ( ) obedience training classes, ( ) obedience shows, ( ) breed conformation shows, ( ) breeding, ( ) rally, ( ) agility, ( ) hunting, ( ) hunting tests, ( ) field trials, ( ) tracking, ( ) Canine Good Citizen, ( ) therapy. |
| Do you have experience in any of the above? _____ If so, please explain. _____   |
| _____  |

Do you live in a single family house, duplex, condo, apartment, trailer or other? Which? \_\_\_\_\_  
 If you rent, does your lease allow dogs? \_\_\_\_\_ Do you have a letter or proof of permission? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Do you have your own yard? \_\_\_\_\_ Is your yard completely fenced so that the dog could not escape? \_\_\_\_\_  
 If Yes, is your fence conventional or invisible? \_\_\_\_\_ If conventional, what type? \_\_\_\_\_  
 If No, what arrangements will you make to keep the dog on your property? \_\_\_\_\_

What size is your yard? \_\_\_\_\_ Any other enclosure for a dog? \_\_\_\_\_ Please describe \_\_\_\_\_  
 Describe your street, the traffic on it and the speed limit. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Describe the neighboring streets. \_\_\_\_\_

Is someone usually home during the day? \_\_\_\_\_ If Yes, who and when? \_\_\_\_\_  
 If No, is someone planning to come home during the day on a regular basis? \_\_\_\_\_ If Yes, who and when? \_\_\_\_\_

If No, are you planning on any other form of daytime care? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, please describe. \_\_\_\_\_

If planning on daytime care, will this be only during puppyhood or will this schedule continue when the dog is mature? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Do you have a crate? \_\_\_\_\_ If No, are you getting a crate? \_\_\_\_\_ Do you have prior experience using a crate? \_\_\_\_\_  
 How many hours per day will the dog spend in the crate? \_\_\_\_\_ Where will the crate be located? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Where will the dog be while you are at home? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Where will the dog be kept while you are out? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Where and how will your dog spend most of his time during the day? \_\_\_\_\_

Where will the dog sleep at night? \_\_\_\_\_

A dog can live 12-18 years. Are you prepared and willing to give this dog the love and care required for its entire lifetime? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Are you financially prepared and willing to give this dog the routine and medical care it will require for its lifetime? \_\_\_\_\_  
 If you could not care for this dog in the future, what arrangements would you try to make for this dog? \_\_\_\_\_

How did you get my name? \_\_\_\_\_

Please list your Veterinarian and two other **NON-FAMILY MEMBER** references with their phone numbers.

**By providing this information, you are giving your permission for me to contact them.**

Your current or former veterinarian \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

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***If there are any other comments you would like to make, or information or questions you would like to have answered, please write them below.***

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***Please note that filling out and returning this questionnaire does not in any way guarantee that you will get a puppy or older dog from Mastro. All members of your household will be required to meet with the Mastro breeder in person before the breeder will decide if a puppy or dog will be offered to you.***

**PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM AS SOON AS POSSIBLE IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN A MASTRO PUPPY OR DOG. THANK YOU FOR YOUR RESPONSES.**

***Please email to [showdogbis64@epix.net](mailto:showdogbis64@epix.net) or mail to Mark and Melissa Mastrogiovanni 473 Bennis Hill Rd. Bangor, PA 18013. If you do not hear back within a couple of days, please contact me to make sure your Q was received. Thank You.***

# COMPATABILITY SUMMARY

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**CIRCLE OR BOLD OR COLOR OR HIGHLIGHT ALL THAT APPLY**

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| Have you owned a dog before?   | As an Adult<br>YES or NO                                 | As a Child<br>YES or NO   |  |  |  |  |
| Have you personally housetrained a puppy?  | As an Adult<br>YES or NO                                 | As a Child<br>YES or NO   |  |  |  |  |
| The last time you owned a dog was  | Within the last 2 years                                  | 3 – 10 years ago  | 11 or more years ago   | I currently have _____ dog(s)                        | Breeds / sizes?<br>_____   | Neutered?<br>YES or NO   |
| Your new dog needs to be good with   | Kids over 5 yrs<br>How many? ___                         | Kids under 5 yrs.<br>How many? ___                                | Elderly or Disabled Persons  | Other Dogs   | Cats   | Any other kinds of animals?<br>_____                           |
| Your new dog will primarily spend the day  | As an inside house dog                                   | As an outside dog   | Inside, with you visiting at lunch                                     | inside with visits by Dog Walkers                    | At Doggy Day Care  | At work with you   |
| Your new dog needs to be able to be alone each day   | Rarely more than 1-2 hours                               | 3-4 hours   | 5-6 hours  | 7-8 hours  | 9-10 hrs   | 11 or more hrs   |
| When you ARE at home, you want your dog to be with you   | All of the time  | Some of the time  | Little of the time   | None of the time                                     |  |  |
| When you are NOT at home, your dog will spend it's time  | Loose in the house                                       | In a crate in the house   | In the garage  | Loose outside in the yard                            | Tethered or tied in the yard   | In a dog run outside   |
| Where will your dog get potty time, exercise & playtime?   | In your own fenced-in yard                               | In your own NON-fenced yard                                       | On walks   | At a dog park  | Other: _____   |  |
| You want a new dog for   | A family companion                                       | A guard dog   | Hunting  | Herding  | Therapy  | Other?<br>_____  |
| You want a dog for competing in  | Breed Conformation                                       | Obedience   | Agility  | Rally  | Dock diving  | Hunt tests   |
| Which of these personality traits do you prefer your new dog to have?<br><i>(Circle or Bold as many individual traits as apply)</i>                      | Adaptable, Aggressive, Aloof, Assertive, Bold, Cautious, | Confidant, Couch Potato, Curious, Demanding, Dependant, Dominant, | Fearless, Happy, Independent, Likes to Cuddle, Likes to Kiss, Low Key, | Middle of the Road, Outgoing, Playful, Pushy, Quiet, | Reserved with Strangers, High Retrieving Drive, Sensitive, Sociable, | Social with Strangers, Submissive, Sweet, Very Active, Upbeat. |
| What activity level do you prefer for your new dog?  | Very High  | High  | Moderately High  | Moderate   | Moderately Low   | Low  |
| How Enthusiastic do you want your dog to be in showing affection for you and other people?   | Extremely  | Very  | Somewhat   | A little   | Not at all   | Not Important  |
| How Playful or Energetic do you want your dog to be?   | Extremely  | Very  | Somewhat   | A little   | Not at all   | Not Important  |
| How Laid Back or Calm do you want your dog to be?  | Extremely  | Very  | Somewhat   | A little   | Not at all   | Not Important  |
| How comfortable or experienced are you in training your new dog for basic obedience?   | Extremely  | Very  | Somewhat   | A little   | Not at all   |  |
| How comfortable or experienced are you in training your new dog to avoid or remedy bad manners, such as jumping, stealing, barking and pulling on leash? | Extremely  | Very  | Somewhat   | A little   | Not at all   |  |
| You would be interested in a new dog that is   | A baby puppy only  | An older puppy finished with teething and housetraining           | A young adult  | A middle aged adult                                  | A senior adult   | A show dog that must come back occasionally for breeding       |
| Would you be interested in a dog with special Medical needs?   | Extremely  | Very  | Somewhat   | A little   | Not at all   | Need more info   |
| Would you be interested in a dog with special Behavioral needs?  | Extremely  | Very  | Somewhat   | A little   | Not at all   | Need more info   |