

Basset Hound Rescue of Georgia, Inc.
Foster Home Inspection Report

SECTION A – General Information

Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Directions to home: _____

Inspection Completed By: _____

Date of Inspection: _____

Please send this completed Foster Home Inspection Form to:

Whitney Harper
1755 Providence Farms Lane
Milton, GA 30009

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SECTION B - House & Yard

1. Check one: House Condo Apartment Mobile

2. Check one: Own Rent

If renting: Landlord's name & phone number: _____

3. Does home have central heat/air and adequate ventilation? _____
If no central heat/air, what type of cooling/heating/ventilation systems are in place?

4. Is yard fenced? _____

If yes,
 - a. What type of fence (chain link, privacy, picket, etc.)? _____
 - b. Is it adequately sized for the dog? _____
 - c. Is fence secure, free from holes, gaps, and weaknesses? _____
If no,
 - a. Discuss importance of leash walks & exercise.
 - b. Remind to never let dog have free roam outside.

5. Is there a hot tub or pool? _____
If yes, is dog adequately protected from entry into the hot tub or pool? _____

SECTION C – Family & Other Pets

1. Does the family have children? _____
If yes, how many and what are the ages? _____

2. Does the family seem happy and committed to the idea of fostering a homeless basset?

3. Does the family have other pets? _____
If yes, list pets here (type, breed): _____

- If no, skip to “SECTION D – Plans for Foster Dog”.

4. Are the pets getting along? _____

5. Are the pets clean? _____

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6. Are pets current on current on vaccinations, including bordetella? _____
7. Is heartworm preventative and flea/tick preventative on hand? _____
If so, when is the next dose due? _____
8. Family's vet name & phone number? _____
9. If pet is a dog, what is the dog fed? _____
10. How often is the dog fed? _____
11. Are food/water bowls (inside and outside) clean and of adequate size? _____
12. Is the dog provided with toys, chews, treats, and beds? _____

SECTION D – Plans for Foster Dog

1. Where will the foster dog be kept during the day? (Check one)
 Outside in fence. Is there adequate shelter and water available at all times? _____
 Outside in pen. Is there adequate shelter and water available at all times? _____
 Inside, free roam of house.
 Inside, crated.
 Inside, confined to certain room(s).
 Garage/Basement
Comments: _____
2. Where will the foster dog sleep? (Check one)
 Outside in fence. Is there adequate shelter and water available at all times? _____
 Outside in pen. Is there adequate shelter and water available at all times? _____
 Inside, free roam of house.
 Inside, crated.
 Inside, confined to certain room(s).
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3. If crate is to be used, is it adequately sized and in good condition, or will BHRG need to provide a crate? _____
4. Which BHRG veterinarian will they use? _____
5. Are there any questions regarding housetraining, barking, or chewing? _____

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6. Explain each of the following:
- a. ____ Once the foster dog is in foster care, he/she will need to see a BHRG vet (if not already seen) for vaccinations, heartworm occult & filter tests. If necessary, an appointment can be made for spay/neuter at that time. **No fecal test is to be performed since dewormer will be mailed to the foster home.** *With shelter dogs, BHRG prefers that the dog be given a 7-10 day waiting period before surgery (vaccinations and tests are fine) to give any diseases they might have picked up at the shelter a chance to surface.*
 - b. ____ A volunteer will mail supplies for the dog, such as collar, tag, adoption folder, flea preventative, heartworm preventative, and dewormer once the dog appears on the master list. If supplies are not received within a week, call 770.499.1164, option 0 to ask for supplies. Pick up additional supplies at adoption events.
 - c. ____ Recommend twice daily feedings. Remind the family that some rescue dogs arrive malnourished and will need to be fed more food, more often, and in some cases, higher calorie food such as puppy formula until sufficient weight is gained.
 - d. ____ Inform that adoption applications are approved by Lisa Weisenberger. Unless the adoption happens during an Adoption Event, Lisa will contact the foster home to call the applicants to discuss the dog's behavior, temperament, etc. No adoption should take place unless an approved application has been received.
 - e. ____ If the adoption paperwork is completed by them at another location other than an Adoption Event, the white and yellow copies of the Adoption Agreement, the white copy of the Disclosure Form, and the check for the adoption fee should be mailed to BHRG's P.O. Box immediately. If any questions arise during this process, call a BHRG Trustee immediately (*names & phone numbers are provided in the foster information flyer*).
7. Remind the family of each of the following:
- a. ____ Newsletter is published twice per year.
 - b. ____ Basset Bash is each fall and the Spring Fling Auction is each spring.
 - c. ____ Adoption Events are held each weekend. Current schedule is on BHRG's website.
 - d. ____ Importance of bathing, nail trimming, ear cleaning.
 - e. ____ BHRG will provide Frontline & Interceptor – do not purchase supplies.
8. Has the foster packet been read, and are there any questions? _____
9. Has the Foster Home Agreement been signed and mailed in? _____
Have both Department of Agriculture forms been completed and mailed in? _____
If not already mailed in, pick up the forms to send in with this Inspection Form.

General Comments: _____

Signature of Volunteer: _____