



Puppy Applicant Questionnaire

Please complete the following form so that we can have the opportunity to get to know you better. If you are approved to purchase a puppy from us, the information that you provide will be carefully considered so that we can do our best to pick the best puppy for *your* home. Please answer each question honestly and with as much detail as possible. There are no wrong answers.

Please send your completed questionnaire to amoregoldens@gmail.com

How did you learn about us?

Name:

Address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Mobile Phone:

Home Phone:

Work Phone:

Email:

Occupation:

Type of dwelling:

Do you rent or own?

Do you live in an urban, suburban, or rural area?

Please describe your backyard. Is it fenced?

Please list the names and ages of everyone who lives in your home:

Who will be the primary caregiver?

Is anyone in your home allergic to dogs?

Does anyone in your family smoke?

Have you ever owned a dog before?

Please briefly describe your experience with dogs:

Why are you interested in owning a golden retriever?

What might some of the challenges of owning a golden retriever be?

Do you currently have other pets?

If so, please tell us about them including type, sex, age, and personality:

If you have dogs, what do you feed them?

Where will the puppy be kept during the day?

Where will the puppy be kept at night?

On average, how many hours per day will the puppy be left alone?

On average, how many hours per day will your puppy be left outside?

How will you exercise your dog?

Have you ever trained a dog before?

Will you be attending training classes?

If yes, describe the classes that you are interested in taking and at what age you want to begin:

Where will the puppy go when you travel?

Do you have friends that could care for the puppy in the event of an emergency?

Have you ever given a pet away, returned a dog to a breeder, or surrendered a dog to a rescue organization or animal shelter? If yes, please describe the circumstances:

How long did your last pet live? What were the circumstances surrounding its death?

Do you intend to breed this dog?

Do you understand that our puppies will be sold on [AKC limited registration](#)?

Would you be willing to commit to your dog's health by making sure that it visits the veterinarian regularly and receives timely doses of heartworm preventative?

Would you be comfortable waiting until eighteen-months of age to spay or neuter the puppy?

Would you be willing to have your dog's eyes examined annually by a veterinary ophthalmologist in order to be added to the [OFA](#) registry?

Would you have any problem maintaining contact with Amore Goldens regarding your puppy's health, development, and general information throughout the life of the dog?

Please provide three references below:

Veterinarian contact information:

DESIRED PUPPY CHARACTERISTICS

Do you want a male or female puppy? Would you be fine with either sex?

What kind of activity level do you want for your puppy to have?

What kind of activities do you hope to do with your dog?

Which of the following do you hope your dog might be well-suited:

good family pet

conformation

obedience

rally

agility

tracking

hunting

nose work

therapy work

other:

Please provide any additional information that you believe would be beneficial for us to know in order to help us select the right puppy for you:

Thank you for taking the time to complete this questionnaire!

If you are approved, we will use the information that you provided to help us determine which puppy will be best for you. Due to factors beyond our control, we might be unable to select a puppy that is well-suited for everyone. Completing this questionnaire does not create a contractual or binding relationship between you or Amore Goldens, nor does it guarantee that you will be able to purchase a puppy from us. We do **not** consider a puppy applicant's race, color, religion or creed, national origin or ancestry, sex, age, physical or mental disability, or veteran status in determining whether we are able to offer you a puppy. Everyone deserves to share their life with a Golden.