

# Pets on Wheels of Scottsdale Inc. Handling Test

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant Full Name \_\_\_\_\_

Dog's call name \_\_\_\_\_

Application Form

Paid Fee

Health Verification

Background check

**Handling test sections 1-6 Each handler team must pass each section of this test.**

**1. Initial Meeting: Pass Fail**

Was the handler in control?	Yes	No
Were the handler and dog polite?	Yes	No
Was the dog corrected for poor behavior?	NA	Yes No
Was the dog praised for good behavior?	NA	Yes No
Was the dog clean and well groomed?	Yes	No

**NOTES/EXCEPTIONS:**

**2. Canine-human Behavior - friendly stranger: Pass Fail**

Small dog held for testing*	NA	Yes No
Was the handler in control?	Yes	No
Did the dog bark at person(s)?	Yes	No
Was the dog interested in the person(s)?	Yes	No
Team going up to a seated person for petting* **	Yes	No
Was any sign of aggression demonstrated?	Yes	No
Did the handler correct the dog if needed?	NA	Yes No
Did the handler praise the dog?	NA	Yes No

**3. Physical handling of the dog by tester: Pass Fail**

Small dog held, lifted or carried for testing	NA	Yes No
Stroking the head, body and tail with both hands	Yes	No
Touching the paws	Yes	No
Scratching/petting the throat	Yes	No
Holding the ears	Yes	No

\*Any dog that might be held, lifted or carried during visits must perform this exercise by the handler. \*\* A dog that is too short to be reached for petting must have its front legs lifted or propped up for this exercise.

**4. Handler control of dog with loose leash: Pass Fail**

Team moving forward, changing pace between normal, slow and quick	Yes	No
Team making left and right turns and turning around	Yes	No
Stopping with the dog staying calmly by the handler's side for 5 seconds	Yes	No
A person rushing past the team while in motion (from front/back/sides)	Yes	No
Near a person walking unsteadily *	Yes	No
Team going up to a seated person for petting * **	Yes	No

**5. Canine-canine behavior: Pass Fail**

Was the handler in control?	Yes	No
Did the dog bark at the other dogs?	Yes	No
Was the dog interested in other dogs?	Yes	No
Was any sign of unprovoked aggression demonstrated?	Yes	No
Did the handler correct the dog if needed?	NA	Yes No
Did the handler praise the dog?	NA	Yes No

**6. Dog's apparent responsiveness: Pass Fail**

Did the dog demonstrate a willingness to participate in the exercises?	Yes	No
If initially excited, did the dog calm down and begin to respond?	NA	Yes No
Did the dog exhibit signs of avoidance or stress during the test?	Yes	No

Tester Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Tester Name (print) \_\_\_\_\_