



Fraser Valley Service Dogs

Service Dog Candidate Criteria

When looking for a service dog candidate, There are standards that are needed to be met, here are some credentials we look for in a consultation.

0.1 that the dog is calm around; (cars, loud noises, unexpected noises, public areas, people walking, bicycling, and jogging. As well as being calm around kids, squirrels and other dogs.) Being excited is a good sign. We are not looking for any fear or under confidence.

0.2 The dog is OK with the trainer touching its mouth, paws, tummy, back and tail.

0.3 The dog doesn't get easily frustrated and gives up when they are learning something new.

0.4 The dog does not get aggressive around food, whether that is treats or its kibble.

0.5 The dog is not scared of new environments and getting into cars.

0.6 The dog is eager to work and is not shutting down and disregarding treats, pets, or a toy.

0.7 Can they be passed on to someone other than their primary handler?

0.8 Do they have any health conditions or had surgery? Other than a neuter.

