

Thank you for choosing All About Training Dogs LLC for your Consultation. Our goal is to help you live a fun and easy life with your dog now, and for years to come.

### Before your Consultation:

A behavior consultation is an analytical tool that, in combination with medical evaluations and the animal's history can point toward a prognosis. Training and behavior modification are recommended, based on the prognosis, but as a separate service. There are no guarantees with training or behavior modification, and it is important for pet parents and all members of the household understand that the success of training and behavior modification requires a commitment from everyone.

The initial consultation can take up to three hours. During the initial consultation, you will receive immediate management and behavior suggestions to help you manage and prevent the unwanted behaviors from becoming stronger or more practiced. It will then be your responsibility to seek treatment via training and behavior modification, either with All About Training Dogs LLC or another trainer.

#### Day of the consult:

1. If your dog has any diet restrictions, please inform me ahead of time. I use mostly high-end food, including turkey and chicken.

3. Please do not have your dog on a choke chain, pinch collar or electric collar of any type.

4. Your dog should be secured in a safe and enclosed area before I arrive. I will inform you when to bring the dog in. <u>I do not need to "see or experience" the behavior first-hand to help your dog. It's more important that I can see your dog's trainability and that is difficult to judge when a dog has exploded or imploded.</u>

5. Please make sure the television, cell phone and or anything else that may distract you from being focused on your dog during the visit are Off or on silent.

6. When possible, I will video tape you and your dog so I can later look at the behaviors and the body language your dog uses to better form an opinion and for educational reasons.

7. If children are part of the dog's behavior problem, I would like to have them in the room at some point. In general, your children may watch and be involved during the consultation as long as they are not taking your attention away from your dog or our conversation. This is very important if there has been a history of aggression.

8. Email this from to sherry@allabouttrainingdogs.com

### **Training/Consultation Information**

## **Owner's Information:**

- 1. Name (first, last):
- 2. Address and City:
- 3. Home Phone:
- 4. Cell:
- 5. Email address:
- 6. How did you hear about us?

# **Dog's Information:**

- 7. Name:
- 8. Breed:
- 9. Age:
- 10. Weight
- 11. Sex:
- 12. Color
- 13. Spayed/Neutered: \_\_\_\_YES/NO\_\_\_\_
- 14. If yes, at what age?
- 15. How long have you had your dog?
- 16. Does your dog live primarily inside or outside?
- 17. Does your dog have any food sensitivities?
- 18. Current type of food?
- 19. Date of the last physical exam?
- 20. What medication, if any, is your dog currently on?

21. Any known medical issues?

22. How does your dog handle being at the vet's office?

23. List people living in the house including children's ages under 18.

24. Please list any other pets in the household: species, breed, and age.

25. Please describe a typical day in your dog's life. Where he sleeps, what time he wakes, daily walks, playing, and any nocturnal behaviors.

26. What is your dog's main behavior problem?

27. What any method used stop the behavior and the dogs response?

28. What does your dog do when he sees a dog on a leash? (For example, bark, lunging, bite, snap, growl, ignore, pull, wiggle, hide or none).

29. What does your dog off leash with another dog off leash?

30. Has your dog ever bitten a dog? If yes, please describe the situation.

31. How does your dog react to strangers in the house or outside?

32. Has your dog ever growled at a person? If yes, please describe the situation.

33. Has your dog every bitten a person? If yes, please describe.

34. Have you done any previous training with your dog? If yes, name of the company or person.

35. What type of gear or tools have been used with your dog in the past or are currently being used? For example, flat collar, slip lead, choke chain, prong/pinch collar, harness, spray collar, shock chollar/ecollar/ stim collar, head halter, invisible fence, other).

36. Does your dog work well for food, ball, praise, pets, or play?

37. Do you agree to the Terms & Conditions of All About Training Dogs IIc?