

## Is Your Dog Aggressive?

Of course not all breeds and not all individual dogs are aggressive. But, you may be wondering if YOUR dog could bite someone.

There are warning signs that your dog could attack someone, so you should be aware of them.

In many cases, if you know your dog's potential before you have an incident, you can prevent a problem later.

Here's the list of questions to ask yourself:

- 1. Has your dog ever attacked another dog or animal, without being provoked?
- 2. Has your dog ever bitten a person, without being provoked?
- 3. Does your dog ever growl, snap or otherwise warn the veterinarian who is examining him?
- 4. Does your dog ever growl, snap or otherwise warn his groomer? Does the groomer insist on medicating your dog in order to groom him?
- 5. Has your dog ever attacked you or any other member of your family?
- 6. When you are walking and see another dog or animal, does your dog immediately growl, snarl and strain on his leash to get closer to the cat or dog?
- 7. Are you or is any other family member afraid of your dog?

- 8. Does your dog pull away from someone reaching for its head and then snap or bite at them?
- 9. Does your dog growl or bite if you try to take away one of his bones or pet him while he's eating?
- 10. Does he growl or snap at you if you restrain him by the collar?
- 11. Does he growl or snap at a family member when he wakes up after a nap?
- 12. When a child forces your dog to run or get up from lying down, does your dog whip around, growl or bite at the child?
- 13. Does your dog ever snap or growl when you remove him from the couch or a chair?
- 14. When in the car, and you go to a gas station or through a toll booth, does your dog lunge at the window, attempting to bite the toll booth attendant or the gas station person?
- 15.If you have 2 dogs, does your dog attack the other dog when he has a chance?

So, did you answer "yes" to any of the questions?

If so, you have some work to do. Your dog has the potential to become aggressive with someone or to bite them.

You'll need to work with your dog to make sure he behaves appropriately or that he is under your control at all times.

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