

Dog A.I.D. client eligibility.

Those wishing to be considered for training with their dog will have to complete the Initial Enquiry form, this can be acquired from admin@dogaid.org.uk

Once your enquiry has been received it will be reviewed and you will be emailed to acknowledge that we have got it.

If we have a trainer available in your area you will be contacted.

If we do not, we will endeavour to give you some advice on where to access some basic training and what to do next.

Eligibility Criteria.

- Client must be 16 years of age or over.
- Client to have a physical disability which impacts on their mobility and their ability to perform daily tasks such as:
 - Picking up dropped objects.
 - Opening and shutting doors.
 - Finding articles which have been mislaid.
 - Putting washing in and removing from the machine.
 - Placing articles where required.
 - Any other task that helps to mitigate the person's disability.

The dog must be less than 5 years of age when entering the scheme and a minimum of 6 months old before training can start.

N.B. Dog A.I.D. does NOT train dogs to assist with mental impairment, autism or seizure alert for those with epilepsy. Nor do we accept clients with hearing impairment unless they have another significant physical disability.

Availability is regularly published on our website.

In order for you to be considered you should live within approximately 30 minutes travel of the location of trainer. This is to keep the costs of travel and expenses to a minimum.

It will be on a 'first come first served basis' if we are to have multiple applications for the same location.

The only way to be considered is to complete the form; we will acknowledge receipt by email. This does not guarantee that you will be accepted as an initial assessment of suitability will need to take place.

Completing the form does not mean that you are a client of Dog A.I.D. this will only be possible when all paperwork and assessments have been completed satisfactorily.