



# AKC Temperament Test EVALUATOR SCORE SHEET

Event # \_\_\_\_\_

Owner name \_\_\_\_\_ Dog call name \_\_\_\_\_

Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Age of dog \_\_\_\_\_

[ ] First test (Temperament info covered)

[ ] Second test (Temperament covered in first test)

## SCORING

**Judge must score 3 of 4  
items in each category**

0	1	2	3	4
Refuses to do item	Nervous or agitated. Has recovered within 30 sec. or needs 3 tries.	Moderate fear or startle. Takes a while to recover (within 15-sec.) or needs 2 tries.	Brief fear or brief startle but recovers quickly (within 5-sec.) or needs 1 try.	Calm, confident. No startle or refusal.

### SOCIAL (do this section first)

S1. Greets handler, pets dog	0	1	2	3	4
S2. Evaluator approaches, brief exam	0	1	2	3	4
S3. Approach standing person who pets dog	0	1	2	3	4
S4. Person approaches (carrying item), pets	0	1	2	3	4

### AUDITORY

A1. Shake large plastic bottle w/coins	0	1	2	3	4
A2. Vacuum cleaner (hand held)	0	1	2	3	4
A3. Loud whistle	0	1	2	3	4
A4. Bike horn (bulb)	0	1	2	3	4

### VISUAL

V1. Umbrella opened (REQUIRED)	0	1	2	3	4
V2. Roller bag, wagon, crate dolly, cooler	0	1	2	3	4
V3. Streamers on stick	0	1	2	3	4
V4. Shake hand towel	0	1	2	3	4

### TACTILE

T1. Walks on wire grate (REQUIRED)	0	1	2	3	4
T2. Plastic tarp	0	1	2	3	4
T3. Plastic lattice over memory foam	0	1	2	3	4
T4. Pegboard over air mattress	0	1	2	3	4

### PROPRIOCEPTIVE (motion, position)

P1. Cavaletti (pvc ladder or low bars)	0	1	2	3	4
P2. Intersecting hoops (8)	0	1	2	3	4
P3. Low teeter	0	1	2	3	4
P4. Up and over low platform (e.g., Klimb ™)	0	1	2	3	4

### UNEXPECTED STIMULUS

U1. Approach, carries large box & objects	0	1	2	3	4
U2. Approach, drops chair	0	1	2	3	4
U3. Uses walker, crutches, or wheelchair	0	1	2	3	4
U4. Approach briskly - unusual clothing	0	1	2	3	4

### PASS

Scores of 3 and 4; only one item on the test may be scored as 1.

### DOES NOT PASS (NEEDS WORK)

Score of 0 on any item. More than one item scored as 1.

Score of 2 on more than 3 items.

Any sign of aggression or extreme shyness.

☐**PASSED**☐**NEEDS WORK**

Evaluator signature \_\_\_\_\_

*Evaluator signature must be handwritten*

Evaluator number \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_