



SUBJECT	Foster Dog Bio Template
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Please complete all sections:

Name(s):	Snoopy (aka Snoop-a-loop)			
Age:	2 years old (DOB June, 2022)			
Size (weight):	6.3 kgs			
Coat & colour:	Longhair, dark brown brindle			
Primary Breed:	Dachshund	Secondary Breed	N/A	Mix breed N
Temperament:	Shy, sweet, curious, adventurous, loves car rides, guards high value items, crate trained.			
Good with Dogs:	Indifferent and/or unsure; if another dog is in the home that dog needs to be well-balanced.			
Good with Cats:	Indifferent but not fully tested with cats			
Good with Kids:	No, adults only – no grandchildren etc.			
Needs another Dog:	No	Needs to be an only Dog:	No	
Housetraining:	Has had accidents; quiet when requesting to go out; good on a routine; hates the rain!			
Crate Trained:	Yes, and needs to be maintained or x-pen trained			
Suitable for an Apartment:	No, as elevators and being in confined areas is too much pressure for him to handle			
Origin:	Owner surrender	Adoption Fee:	\$550	

And now a few words from me:

Hi there, it's Snoop-a-loop here and clearly, I'm too handsome for my own good! I can easily suck anyone into my "cuteness vortex"! I'm a shy boy when meeting new people but I love humans ... sometimes a bit too much. I'm still young and need a home with very confident humans who will maintain structure and routine for me. I love to walk on a leash and explore. If my human has a dog already, I need a fur sibling that is well balanced in temperament and behaviour. I may not snuggle with them, but I can live with them. I don't know what it is to be a dog and I want to learn to play and build the confidence that I lack. I've been better since coming into foster care, but my foster mom says that this is a marathon and not a sprint.

And now a few words from my foster family:

Snoopy is a lovely dog that needs a home with experience in building confidence and providing rules and structure. Snoopy bit his former owners due to lack of knowledge and experience. He guards his food dish – empty or full - and other high-value items. He is learning that they are not his and when he behaves correctly, he earns things. Snoopy is eager to learn but sometimes forgets the house is not his at all. Currently he is handfed or eats off the floor; this could be a lifelong thing, it's too early to tell. He takes guidance and cues well from other dogs and understands that he is the lowest in the alpha hierarchy. He wants to play and engage but just doesn't know how. He does love his people though and when you are sitting in a chair, he will lay down and rest his head on your feet. He hasn't earned the right to sit on the furniture yet. Only experienced Dachshund owners, or people with experience who will follow this training approach, will be screened for this lovely boy. Currently fostered in Clayton, Ontario (40 minutes west of Ottawa) and a meet-and-greet is mandatory.