

	<b>Alliance of Therapy Dogs</b> <a href="http://therapydogs.com" style="color: white;">therapydogs.com</a>	<b>Pet Partners</b> <a href="http://petpartners.org" style="color: white;">petpartners.org</a>
<b>Requirements</b> <i>(aside from no history of aggression and current on vaccinations)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dogs only</li> <li>• No breed restrictions (excludes wolf/coyote hybrid)</li> <li>• Dog must be at least 1 year old</li> <li>• Dog must have lived in the owner's home/known by owner for 3 months</li> <li>• No restriction on food, rabies titer must be 0.5 IU or less within 2 years</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Registers Dogs, cats, equines, rabbits, guinea pigs, llamas/alpacas, birds, pigs and rats</li> <li>• No dog breed restrictions</li> <li>• Animal must be at least 1 year old</li> <li>• Animal must have lived in the owner's home/known by owner for 6 months</li> <li>• No animals with PP can be fed raw protein diet or have a rabies titer in lieu of vaccinations</li> </ul>
<b>Registration Process</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Required background check (\$20)</li> <li>• Initial evaluation for handling skills and good manners by dog</li> <li>• 3 supervised visits at a facility, 2 required to be at medical facility</li> <li>• Yearly written test on current guidelines required for all members</li> <li>• Current and yearly Health examination by veterinarian required for all dogs (includes negative fecal exam)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Required animal handler course (on-line or in-person)</li> <li>• Health examination by veterinarian</li> <li>• Evaluation of team: animal is tested for skills and aptitude in a simulated environment</li> <li>• Team is re-evaluated with the same test every 2 years</li> <li>• Current and yearly Health examination by veterinarian required for all dogs (includes negative fecal exam)</li> </ul>
<b>Frequency of Visits</b>	Minimum of one visit every three months per handler/dog team	No minimum requirements, however team is re-evaluated every 2 years.
<b>General Fees/ Cost</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$40 for one team first time member (one person/one pet) for 1 year membership</li> <li>• \$30 subsequent years per year</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$60 for handler course: in-person workshop <i>(required for registration) includes workbook &amp; lunch</i></li> <li>• No fee for required evaluation</li> <li>• \$25/year registration <i>(paid bi-yearly)</i></li> </ul>
<b>Insurance</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Liability insurance for injury, illness and property damage resulting from therapeutic visitation with your dog.</li> <li>• \$5,000,000 per occurrence</li> <li>• no deductible</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Commercial general liability insurance (CGLI) policy for accidents that occur while a volunteering on behalf of Pet Partners</li> <li>• \$2,000,000 per occurrence</li> <li>• no deductible</li> </ul>

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