

Robertson's Retrievers & Doodles Puppy Health Guarantee

This Health Guarantee "Agreement" is made between Robertson's Retrievers & Doodles (hereinafter "Breeder" or "Seller") and the "Buyer."



Health at Time of Sale

The Seller guarantees that the puppy is in excellent health at the time it leaves for its new home. Each puppy receives a veterinary examination at approximately 6–7 weeks of age, which includes evaluation of hips, elbows, ears, eyes, mouth, teeth, heart, and overall wellness. The Buyer will receive a **Health Certificate** from our veterinarian detailing the vaccines administered to the puppy.

1. One-Year Congenital Health Guarantee

The guarantee is until the puppy reaches **one (1) year old** against fatal or life-altering congenital defects that negatively impact the puppy's long-term health. Coverages include severe hip dysplasia requiring surgical correction (see **2-year** guarantee below), and severe life-threatening or life-altering kidney, heart, pancreas, spine, or liver conditions. Also, see *PA Puppy Lemon Law*.

2. Two-Year Hip Dysplasia Guarantee

Hip dysplasia is guaranteed until the puppy reaches **two (2) years old**. This guarantee becomes void if the puppy becomes overweight, is under-exercised, or is otherwise improperly conditioned, as these factors can contribute to hip issues.

The following must be met to qualify for the *Hip Dysplasia Guarantee*:

- A licensed veterinarian must diagnose severe hip dysplasia.
- Documentation must include OFA Certification testing without sedation and veterinary-recommended surgical intervention.
- The Seller reserves the right to confirm results with a veterinarian of the Seller's choice before issuing any refund.

3. Requirements to Make a Claim

- The Buyer must submit all veterinary records and diagnosis to the Seller *within five (5) calendar days* of diagnosis.
- The Seller reserves the right to obtain a second veterinary opinion from a veterinarian of the Seller's choosing.
- This guarantee is void if the puppy is euthanized or dies without the Seller's opportunity to obtain a second opinion.

4. Refund Limitations

Under no circumstances will any refund exceed the original purchase price of the puppy (excluding the non-refundable deposit). The Seller does **not** reimburse veterinary fees, diagnostic testing, or treatments.

5. Buyer's Responsibilities

The Buyer agrees to maintain the puppy's health and provide routine, preventive veterinary care, including, but not limited to: vaccinations, internal and external parasite control, regular grooming and hygiene care, and the administration of medications and treatments recommended by a veterinarian—failure to provide routine care voids this Health Guarantee.

6. Non-Transferability & Rehoming

This Health Guarantee is non-transferable. If the Buyer rehomes the puppy, this Guarantee becomes void. If, at any point, the Buyer can no longer keep the puppy, they agree to consult their veterinarian about appropriate rehoming options first.

7. Health Guarantee Exclusions

The following are **not covered** under this Agreement: DNA or Genetic Marker Testing: Any DNA test results that indicate a *possible* future disease risk but do not diagnose an active condition are excluded. Consequential Damages: The Seller is not liable for any consequential, incidental, emotional, or third-party damages related to the puppy. Breed Profiling / Genetic Linkage Tests: The Seller makes no guarantee regarding breed profiling results or genetic "linkage"/"heritage" analysis. Expected Traits: The Seller makes no guarantee regarding the puppy's ultimate size, coat type or condition, temperament, or trainability.

FULL AND FINAL AGREEMENT

Upon execution of this Agreement, all ongoing veterinary care and associated expenses become the sole responsibility of the Buyer. This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the Buyer and Seller and supersedes all prior discussions, representations, or agreements.

Buyer's Signature _____

Date _____

Seller's Initials _____ *Robertson's Retrievers and Doodles*

Date _____