

Foster Family Report

My Home is Located In: Ohio

Is this a NEW write-up or an UPDATE? New Write-Up

Foster Dog ID: OH1564

Foster Dog Name: Maggie

Foster Dog Gender: Female

Coat Color: Red & White

Breed: Boston Terrier

Approximate Age: 8 yrs old

Approximate Weight: 25 lbs.

Good with other Dogs? No. Owner said she did not do well with the new puppy. Reactive with two elderly dogs in foster care therefore they are kept them separate.

Good with Cats? No

Good with Kids? No. Owner said not good with kids due to jumping and mouthing

Crate trained? Yes

Housebroken? Yes

Energy Level: Active – jogging, walking, running

Training: Come, walks nice on a leash, touch.

Jumps on People: Yes, working on jumping

My Foster is already: Spayed (Female)

Does your Foster have any special medical needs? She is said to have a sensitive stomach but there are no signs of stomach issues in foster care.

More Info: Maggie is the sweetest girl who instantly loves all people. She wiggles her hind end, jumps, and licks you as soon as she meets you. She will instantly shower you with wet kisses and climb onto your lap as soon as she can. Maggie will stare right into your eyes as you love on her. She even does this very sweet, squinty eyed stare when she's a little sleepy. She is the softest girl, so it's difficult to stop petting her once you start.

Maggie is completely housebroken and crate trained and can wait 8-9 hours while her humans are at work if she has to. She knows "come" and learned "touch" in one day. When she hears "touch," she runs (from anywhere) to boop her nose on your hand. This helps when Maggie gets

in a barking match with the neighbor dog. Once she hears "TOUCH" she comes running for a little piece of her dog food that you have in your hand. Maggie is very food motivated. She can certainly learn many commands quickly. She learned that "Want to go outside" means go to our back door and "Want to go for a walk" means go to our front door within days of being in foster care. When she initially came into foster care, she didn't react to those phrases at all.

Maggie would love to be the only dog in her home. She is not a fan of her foster siblings and did not enjoy the puppy in her previous home. As mentioned, Maggie is always happy being around people. Her happiest days would include spending time sitting with her people, prancing around with or chewing on a bone, going for a car ride, laying out in the sun, or going for a walk. She can walk slower if needed, but she instinctively has a fast, calorie burning walk averaging 2 miles with no sign of fatigue. She is leash trained and rarely pauses unless you ask her to. She doesn't mind passing dogs on walks. She just worries about herself and her human as she moves along with her long legs. Those long legs are likely where most of her 25 pounds comes from because she's very petite otherwise.

Maggie exists at a moderate energy level with lots of time spent on the couch or laying out while you're working in the yard or reading a book, but when you are ready to get active, she's ready and willing to participate!

Pictures from Foster Family

