



This questionnaire is designed to help me know you and your soon to be GSMD family
 It will raise questions that you might not have considered when choosing a Swissy as well as
 help me to pair the right puppy to the right owners.
 Please take time to thoughtfully and thoroughly answer these questions with all honesty and the
 puppy's best interest in mind.

Greater Swiss Mountain Dog Application

Name		Name	
Cell #		Cell #	
Address			
City		Country	State
Employer		Employer	
Work #		Work #	
List all members of your household and their ages (include housekeepers and nannies)			
Names	Age	Names	Age
Do you plan on adding a baby to your house in the near future?		Yes	No
If so when?			

Who will be the primary person taking care of the puppy /dog?			
Name		Age	

Tell me about where you live?

Do you live in a	House		Condo		Apartment		Floor/s	
Do you rent or own?								
Do you live in an urban, suburban, or rural area?								
Please describe & also include photos of both in side and outside your home.								

Tell me about your pets.

Have you ever owned a dog?	Yes		No		Does it live with you now?			
Type / Breed	Spayed or Neutered?				Yes		No	

What happened to these dogs that no longer live with you?

Tell me about the other pets in your home. What kind and how many.

Lets talk about your Swissy's lifestyle.

How many hours would the dog/ puppy be left alone during the day/night? & with whom?

Tell me how your GSMD will be taken care of when you are working or away.

Will your Swissy live in doors or outdoors?

Describe the conditions when outdoors, will it be in a fenced yard, leashed, or loose?

Tell me about your yard.

How Large is your yard?	
If it's fenced what type of fencing do you have?	
If your yard is not fenced how will you exercise your Swissy?	

Lets talk about your puppy.

Did you know that housebreaking may take up to 6 months?	
Are you willing to housebreak using a crate?	
Did you know that GSMD's shed ?	
Did you know that if you have children in your home either your own or visiting etc., you will need to teach your Swissy and the children how to interact in order to avoid injury. How will you do this?	
Have you encountered a GSMD ?	
What was your experience?	

To what extent will you use a crate?

How will you socialize your GSMD ?

How will you discipline your GSMD ?

What type of training classes do you think your GSMD needs?

What experience have you had with large breed (**working**) dogs?

How did you come to the decision that a GSMD was right for you?

Are you currently looking at other breeds, breeders, rescues, or on other waiting lists?

What other breeds are you interested in?

Describe your ideal GSDMC . Do you prefer a male or female and why?

Do you plan to spay or neuter your GSMD, explain?

Have you researched the diseases that can affect GSMD's ?

Describe Bloat	
Describe Gastric Torsion	
Describe Hip Dysplasia	
Describe OCD	
Describe Epilepsy	
Name and address of an emergency pet clinic near you familiar with GDV (bloat-torsion)	

Name of Veterinarian Clinic			
Address			Phone#
Describe your ideal Swissy, include if you prefer a male or female and why?			
Do you plan to spay or neuter your Swissy, explain?			
Are you interested in a companion/pet or a potential show puppy & why?			
Have you ever owned/ co owned a show quality dog?			
Do you have any experience showing AKC dogs?			
Do you plan to breed your Swissy ?			
Have you researched Swissy performance sports?		Would you be interested in any of these ?	
Carting			
Packing			
Weight Pulling			
Herding			
Agility			
Rescue			

Finally

Please write a few paragraphs and tell me about yourself and your situation. Please also include pictures of your home, family and yard.

Print Applicants Name			
Name of person completing the application if different from the applicant.			
Applicants Signature		Date	
EMAIL :		PHONE	