



About Us

The **BCA Rescue Network, Inc.** is a non-profit organization with IRS 501(c)3 status.

Love-a-Bull is a division of the **BCA Rescue Network** who are working toward these objectives:

- To accept Bulldogs whose owners can no longer keep them and find responsible, stable, loving new homes for them.
- To rehabilitate Bulldogs before placement by providing necessary medical treatment and training to increase the chances of successful placement.
- To help reduce the population of unwanted pets by ensuring that all rescued Bulldogs are spayed/neutered before being placed.
- To place Bulldogs in suitable homes as soon as reasonably possible, so they can start their "new lives" quickly.
- To thoroughly screen applicants before making placement decisions.
- To inform prospective adopters about the rescue program and the requirements for taking care of bulldogs.

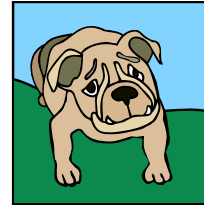
Surrendering a Bulldog

Do you have, or know of, a Bulldog that needs a new home?

Please call 952-873-3037.

Bulldog Warning

Bulldogs are extremely intolerant of heat. They must be kept in an air-conditioned area with limited trips outside when the outside temperature is over 80 degrees or the humidity is high. Close supervision is required during outside activity, especially in spring and summer to prevent over-exertion leading to over-heating.



I don't like heat or humidity!

Quick Tips

Bulldogs have distinct characteristics that set them apart from other breeds. In addition to a short, wide muzzle with an undershot jaw, a Bulldog's tail is also quite short. It can be straight or screwed (kinked or knotty), but is never docked.

Love-a-Bull Minnesota Bulldog Rescue

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Love-a-Bull Minnesota
Bulldog Rescue

Is it a bulldog?

Your guide to identifying purebred bulldogs



English, French, or "Olde", you make the call!

Unfortunately, due to limitations, we rescue **only** the purebred Bulldogs sometimes referred to as "English" or "British" Bulldogs. The AKC breed name is just "Bulldog". There are other organizations that rescue other bull-breeds, such as -- American Bulldogs, French Bulldogs, Boston Terriers, Olde English Bulldogges, American Pit Bull Terriers, American Staffordshire Terriers, Bullmastiffs, and so on.

We recognize because of the bulldog's varied colors, sizes, and anatomy, it may be difficult to identify a purebred bulldog. Because we wish to partner with your organization, and are as much about education and responsibility as you, we created this informational brochure. This is not meant to replace human communication, but another tool to aide your volunteers.



Bulldogs come in many colors including brown, red, white, tan, brindle, and piebald (cow splotches).



BULLDOG

Height: 12-15
Male Weight: 50-70
Female Weight: 40-60
Other Names: English bulldog, British Bulldog



FRENCH BULLDOG

Male & Female Height: 11-13
Weight: Less than 28
Other Name: bouledogue Francais



AMERICAN STAFFORSHIRE TERRIER

Male Height: 18-19
Male Weight: 57-67
Female Height: 17-18
Female Weight: 57-67



BULL TERRIER

Male Height: 21-22
Male Weight: 60-70
Female Height: 21-22
Female Weight: 50-60
Other Name: English bull terrier



BULLMASTIFF

Male Height: 25-27
Male Weight: 110-130
Female Height: 24-26
Female Weight: 100-120



OLDE BULLDOGGE

Male Height: 20+
Male Weight: 65-85+
Female Height: 19+
Female Weight: 50-70+
Tail is docked or long but not "naturally short"



STAFFORSHIRE BULL TERRIER

Male Height: 18-19
Male Weight: 35-40
Female Height: 17-18
Female Weight: 30-35



BOXER

Male Height: 22.5-25
Male Weight: 65-80
Female Height: 21-23.5
Female Weight: 50-65



AMERICAN BULLDOG

Male Height: 22-28
Male Weight: 70-120
Female Height: 20-26
Female Weight: 60-100

*all heights are averages in inches
**all weights are averages in pounds

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