



APPLICATION FORM

Association of Pet Dog Trainers Ireland Membership

Section A- Personal Details

Name

Address

Home#

Work#

Mobile#

Email

D of B **Nationality**

Section B- Type of Membership (Please see attachment for details of memberships and fees)

Professional **Student**

(complete all sections) (complete sections A-D)

Section C- Current involvement with Dogs

Pet Owner Sitter/Dog Walker Dog Trainer/Training Instructor

Behaviour Consultant Dog Groomer Veterinarian

Veterinary Nurse Puppy Socialiser Assistance Dog Trainer

Pet Shop Worker Kennel Worker/Manager

Other.....

Please feel free to give additional details

Section D- Education

Have you completed any relevant certified Dog Training educational courses?

Yes **No** **Currently studying**

Please give brief details under the following headings. (most recent first)

COURSE TITLE.....
CERTIFYING/AWARDING BODY.....
AWARD TYPE (e.g Degree/Diploma/Certificate).....
COURSE PROVIDER.....
START DATE.....
COMPLETION/EXPECTED COMPLETION DATE.....
GRADE (If appropriate)
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Section E- Seminars & Workshops Attended

Please give brief details of recent Seminars and Workshops attended.

SEMINAR/ WORKSHOP TITLE	SPEAKER/ INSTRUCTOR	LOCATION	DATE(s)

Section F-Professional Work with Dogs

Professional Dog Training Service

Name.....

Please give details of services offered.

Individual One-one training	<input type="checkbox"/>	Individual Behavioural Consultation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Puppy Classes	<input type="checkbox"/>	Obedience	<input type="checkbox"/>
Clicker Training	<input type="checkbox"/>	Agility	<input type="checkbox"/>
Schutzhund /Personal Protection	<input type="checkbox"/>	Search & Rescue	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other.....	<input type="checkbox"/>

Do you consider your professional service as full time or part time?

Full Part time

On average how many hours a week would you spend offering professional Dog Training?

Do you offer Residential Training for Dogs? Yes No

Please feel free to give additional details about your professional service

Section G- Other Membership

Are you a member of any other APDT?

No Yes

which and membership#.....

Are you a member of any other group/society or association?

No Yes

which

Section G- Personal Statement

Please use the space below to explain why you wish to become a member of the Association of Pet Dog Trainers Ireland.

Section H- Declaration

I confirm that in signing below, the details given above are true and correct. I understand that this is an initial application for membership and if applying for professional membership I understand I will be contacted by the Association regarding assessment.

I enclose the membership/assessment fee of

- €150 Professional Membership Assessment**
(see supporting notes for full membership fee details)
- €20 Student Membership**

Please make cheques or bank drafts payable to: APDT Ireland and send with this completed application to:

Association of Pet Dog Trainers Ireland,
c/o Ballykelly,
Broadford,
Co. Clare.

Applicants Signature

**Applicants Name
(block capitals)**

Date

The information provided will be treated confidentially as per data protection regulation. APDT Ireland do not share data with third parties. Due to the high number of applications processing may take some time, please be patient, but if you have any queries please contact us at info@apdt.ie or on 0858232936.

SUPPORTING NOTES FOR APPLICATION FORM

Association of Pet Dog Trainers Ireland Membership

Please read the following notes carefully prior to completion of the application form.

The Association of Pet Dog Trainers Ireland offers two levels of membership:

1. Professional Membership.

Applicants for Professional Membership should be currently offering services in positive dog training and/or behaviour modification and/or consultation. Applicants for Professional Membership are required to complete a three part assessment including written, practical and oral assessment for which there is a one off additional fee of €150. Successful applicants, having signed their adherence to the Code of Practice, will be issued with a membership number and welcomed into the Association as a positive, dog friendly dog trainer. Members will be obliged to conduct their professional services in line with the Code of Practice. Should an applicant be deemed currently not ready for professional membership they shall be given a refund of €100. Professional membership applicants will be contacted regarding the date for their assessment.

2. Student Membership.

This membership is specifically for individuals that are studying in the area of canine behaviour and training, either full time, part time or through correspondence in Ireland or the UK. Some students will be working towards their application for Professional Membership on completion of their studies. Confirmation of student status or further details of the course being studied may be requested.

The following table outlines the membership types, annual membership fees and what members can expect to receive for their membership

Membership Type	Fee	Membership Entitlements
Professional	€60 per annum (excluding initial membership assessment of €150)	Full years membership, access to discussion forum, reduced fees to all APDT Ireland events and seminars, APDTire membership number and use of Logo, Newsletter
Student	€20 per annum	As above excluding membership number and use of logo.

Membership renewal will be due annually by 31st March with a 10% penalty for payment received later than the renewal date. Members who do not make their renewal by 31st May will be deemed to have terminated their membership. If reapplying for membership more than one year after such termination, the person must reapply for membership as a new applicant.

New Professional Members are given a 50% discount on their initial years membership fee after payment of assessment fees and successful assessment.

Current membership fees must be made payable in a cheque or bank draft to 'APDT Ireland' and sent with membership application form to:

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c/o Ballykelly,
Broadford,
Co. Clare.

In completing the application form, please do not use any additional pages and write in the spaces provided.

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