



VelvetFrenchie Bulldogs New York, NY

Health Guarantee & Sales Contract

This French Bulldog Puppy is being sold as a pet and **not for breeding**.

Puppy Description: _____

Born on: _____ **Sex:** _____

The consideration for this sale shall be in the sum of \$_____.

All puppies will have a full health check prior to leaving the Seller.

One-Year Congenital Health Guarantee

Should this puppy be found to have a **life-threatening congenital defect** within **one year from date of birth**, the puppy may be **refunded**, upon a **written and conclusive diagnosis** containing the congenital defect and a description of the puppy in question from **two separate veterinarians**. A **speculative or inconclusive** diagnosis WILL NOT warrant a refund from the Seller. **No Exceptions!**

The **Seller shall not be held responsible** for the development of disqualifying faults, diseases, viruses, or disorders that are the result of **Buyer's negligence**.

This guarantee **does not cover common ailments**, including but not limited to: Hookworms, Demodex, Hernia, Hips, Patella, Small Nares, Elongated Soft Palate, Hemivertebrae, and Cherry Eye.

The Buyer understands and agrees that **NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN FOR ANY REASON** other than those stated in this agreement.

_____(Buyer's Initials)

Hip & Spinal Health

Severe Hip Dysplasia must be confirmed via x-ray and must be graded **severe**.

Mild dysplasia is **not covered**, as it cannot be definitively determined if it is genetic or environmental (e.g., trauma, excessive exercise, rough play, jumping off furniture, etc.).

Severe Spinal Abnormalities – Most French Bulldogs have at least one hemivertebra, if not more. Refunds for spinal issues will be discussed **case by case**, taking into account:

- Quality of life
- Veterinary opinion
- Whether surgery is necessary

■ Please do not allow your dog to **jump from high surfaces**, as this can cause otherwise benign vertebrae to become symptomatic.

In the Event of Death

In the case of **sudden/unexpected death**, a **necropsy** must be performed at the **Buyer's expense**. A **conclusive diagnosis** stating the cause of death is **directly related to a congenital defect** must be provided, along with the **necropsy report** and **registration papers**.

Buyer's Responsibilities

Buyer understands and agrees that the Seller is **not responsible** for any **veterinary medical expenses** incurred by the Buyer **after** the puppy has left the Seller's possession.

Common puppy illnesses such as **Coccidia**, **Giardia**, and **Kennel Cough** are not covered in this contract, as they are treatable and not life-threatening. The Seller strongly recommends **avoiding dog parks and daycares**, which are common sources of disease, even for vaccinated dogs.

_____(Buyer's Initials)

■ Vaccination Protocol Acknowledgement (Protocol Y)

To preserve the validity of this health guarantee, the Buyer agrees to follow the Seller's **conservative and holistic vaccination protocol**, as follows:

1. Core Vaccines Only

The Buyer agrees to limit vaccinations to **core vaccines**:

- **Canine Distemper**
- **Parvovirus**
- **Adenovirus (Hepatitis)**
- **Rabies** – Only if legally required
 - Recommended at **6 months old minimum** per Dr. Karen Becker, DVM
 - Seller recommends delaying until at least **18 months** in French Bulldogs

- Buyer agrees the puppy will only receive a thimerosal-free killed rabies vaccine (such as Imrab 3 TF), given separately from other vaccines, at the latest safe age, with ongoing titer testing for monitoring.
- **2. Non-Core Vaccines Not Recommended**

The following **non-core vaccines** are **not recommended** unless absolutely necessary, based on lifestyle and veterinarian input:

- Leptospirosis
- Bordetella
- Lyme
- Canine Influenza

⚠ If the Buyer administers any non-core vaccine and the dog suffers seizures or injury, **no refund will be issued**, as this goes against Seller's vaccine protocol.

3. Spacing of Vaccines

The Buyer agrees to:

- Space all vaccines **a minimum of 4 weeks apart**
- **Avoid multiple vaccines at one time**, unless medically required

Administering multiple or closely spaced vaccines can lead to serious reactions.

4. Monitoring & Medical Records

To maintain health coverage, the Buyer must:

- Monitor the puppy for any adverse reactions
- Inform their vet about breed-specific sensitivities
- Retain **detailed vaccine records**, including:
 - **Vaccine name and brand**
 - **Lot or batch number**
 - **Date administered**

_____(Buyer's Initials)

Pet Insurance Acknowledgement

The Seller strongly recommends that the Buyer obtains a comprehensive pet insurance policy. Pet insurance provides financial protection in the event of unexpected veterinary expenses, including accidents, illnesses, and chronic conditions.

The Buyer understands that the costs associated with dog ownership can be substantial, especially in cases of unforeseen medical emergencies. By having appropriate pet insurance, the Buyer can mitigate the financial burden and provide the best possible care for their beloved bulldog.

It is the Buyer's responsibility to ensure that they have adequate pet insurance coverage.

_____(Buyer's Initials)

Additional Terms

- This Sales Contract is **non-transferable**.
- If the Buyer **relinquishes ownership** of the dog, this contract becomes **null and void**.
- All information submitted to the Seller for any refund consideration **will be verified**.
- Buyer agrees to authorize the **release of veterinary records** to the Seller or Seller's veterinarian for review within **72 hours** of any health-related claim.

The undersigned agree to uphold all covenants of this Agreement as of:

Buyers Full Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip _____

Buyer Signature: _____

Melissa Leta:  _____