

## Merlot Blue Dot: Temperament Assessment

D.O.B: 12.13.22

Weight: 4.38



VIDEO LINK:

<https://smeraglia.wistia.com/medias/qppnlypaa0>

<https://smeraglia.wistia.com/medias/nyr00tnjzr>

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**Individual Notes:**

Merlot blue dot is confident and self-assured. He shows no stress in new situations, around new people, and in circumstances typically considered stressful. He is curious and investigative with new sites and sounds, including those that should be considered startling. He has excellent motivations for interaction, food, and toys at fairly equal and balanced levels. He also has very good memory, focus, and problem-solving abilities above average for his age and stage of development. He is socially appropriate in his interactions with litter mates, cats and with other dogs. He is also socially appropriate in his interactions with people. Blue Dot has mid to moderate energy. The litter overall have no red flags and show no possessiveness. They are all calm, comfortable, and tolerant of handling and restraint. These puppies are very consistent. Differences are only noted when comparing them side-by-side. These puppies are very well balanced and intuitive. They are calm and gentle with handling and interaction. They are playful and happy when on the ground on their own. All of these puppies are content to explore and play on their own while still being playful, curious, social, and happy. Overall, I would say this litter is fairly easy-going. They are eager and engaging. These puppies are very well balanced and most Annie has good potential for therapy work.

## **Health notes:**

Blue Dot has no health notes.