

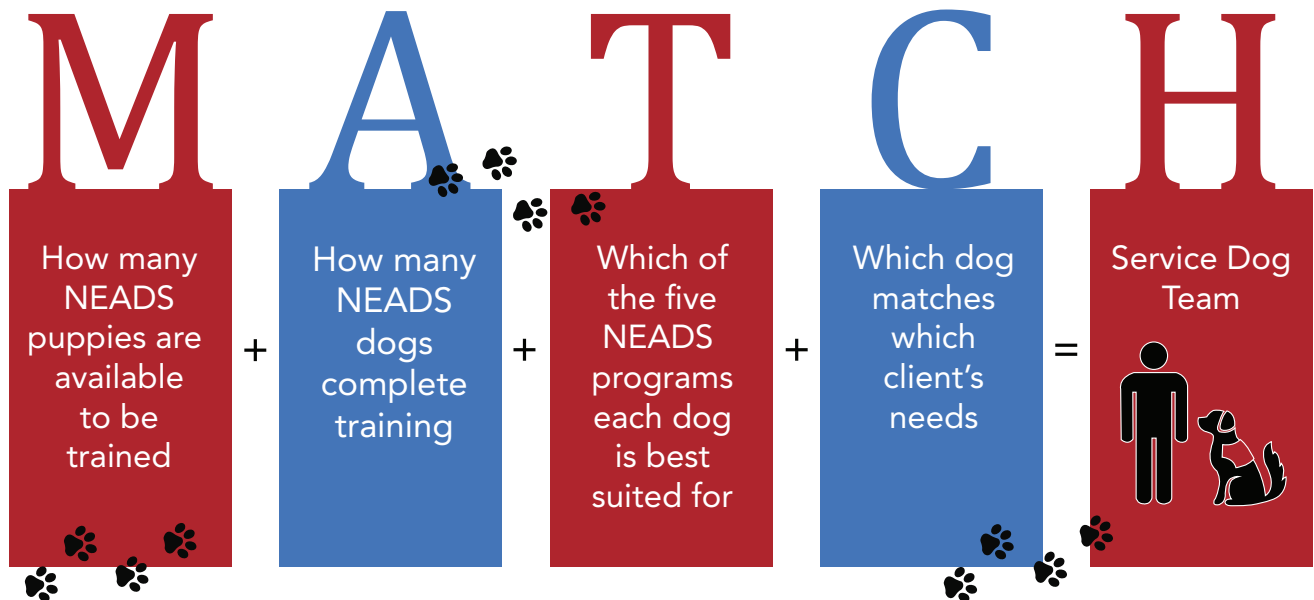
# Why the Wait for a Match?

**Hint: It's the dogs!**

Being matched with a Service Dog isn't a race, and the goal isn't how to be matched the fastest. NEADS' goal is the right match for each client at the right time.

**Dogs drive the matching decision in terms of:**

*finding the perfect*



## More about NEADS:

- NEADS is a non-profit organization that was founded in 1976 and has trained over 1,900 Service Dog teams.
- The average cost of raising and training a NEADS dog is over \$45,000.
- NEADS clients commit to support NEADS by raising a minimum of \$8,000 for the organization. NEADS is also supported by generous individual donors, businesses, and foundations.

Thank you for supporting NEADS

