



## NOVA SCOTIA DUCK TOLLING RETRIEVER CLUB (USA)

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The following list of recommended Health Screenings has been approved by the Board of Directors for the NSDTRC (USA):

NSDTRC (USA) participates in the AKC Canine Health Information Center (CHIC) to promote responsible breeding practices. CHIC is a centralized canine health database jointly sponsored by the AKC Canine Health Foundation and the Orthopedic Foundation for Animals. The mission of the CHIC is to provide a reliable source of health information for owners, breeders and scientists that will assist in breeding healthy dogs. Required tests for the Toiler CHIC program.

- Hip Dysplasia (one of the following tests):
  - Orthopedic Foundation for Animals
  - Ontario Veterinary College
  - PennHip
- Eye Examination by a boarded ACVO Ophthalmologist
- Progressive Retinal Atrophy (PRA) — Optigen DNA test
- Buff Genetic Test
- Cardiac Exam
- Cleft Palate
- Juvenile Addison's Disease (JADD)