

## **Study Participants Needed**

The Animal Behavior Clinic at Tufts Cummings School of Veterinary Medicine is currently enrolling **Bull Terriers and mini Bull Terriers** into a study regarding the clinical manifestation and genetic underpinnings of compulsive tail chasing behavior. Bull Terriers that are unaffected with compulsive behavior are also desired for our control group. Participants will be required to fill out a survey about their dog's behavior and a blood sample is needed. Reimbursement for costs associated with having a blood sample drawn at your local veterinary establishment and shipped to Tufts Animal Behavior Clinic is available. A visit to Tufts is not required to participate. Owners of Bull Terriers with compulsive behavior will receive our written treatment protocol.

If you are interested in learning more about this study, please fill out a Qualification Form at [www.tufts.edu/vet/behavior/case\\_current.shtml](http://www.tufts.edu/vet/behavior/case_current.shtml) or contact Nicole Cottam at 508-887-4802 or [nicole.cottam@tufts.edu](mailto:nicole.cottam@tufts.edu).