

X DOGGY DO'S & DON'TS ✓



Direct eye contact is an intimidating gesture in the canine world - show appeasement, not confrontation.



Invading the dog's space is rude and can evoke predictable aggression - turning away is a neutral gesture showing friendship.



Make your presence a positive experience that lasts by appreciating that dogs don't have to like you so don't force them to. The more liver treats the better!



Pushing dogs past their threshold often results in predictable aggressive behaviour. For non urgent treatments, use the 6 Top Tips for Desensitisation handout and reschedule the appointment.



Encourage owners to build positive association with your practice by bringing the dog in for liver treats regularly.



Capitalise on interactions with your dog clients to help build positive association: keep liver treats in every room.



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