

How to conquer *Kennel Behavior*

When possible (and safe) observe behavior outside of the kennel. This can be done in many ways!

Playgroups

Dog Day Out feedback

Observation in office

Observe when kennels are calmer

Request foster

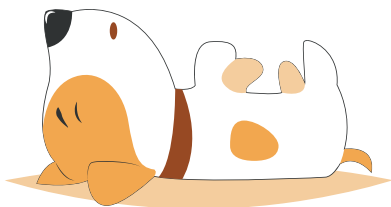
Creative solutions

Other tips to encourage calm behavior in kennels

Hang treat basket on kennel for everyone's use

Carry treats during morning cleaning

Encourage impulse control at meal time



Tips for handling

High-Energy Dogs!

Keep a short leash when needed



Use momentum to your advantage

Low voice, low energy



Toys and treats are your friend



Choose defensive body language over verbal corrections



Remember: Every interaction teaches the dog SOMETHING!