



## Four-Week Board & Train Program

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For dogs with behavioral needs - or for owners who want to take their dog everywhere.

Ideal for:

- Rescue dogs with trauma or major behavioral challenges
- Dogs needing slow, structured exposure to new environments
- Future service dog prospects
- Owners who want a calm, confident dog in everyday life: restaurants, stores, patios, crowds, and more

What This Program Does Differently:

- Cafés and coffee shops
- Outdoor restaurant patios
- Pet-friendly stores and shopping plazas
- Parks and nature trails
- Controlled greetings with people and dogs
- Calm time in public (place command, down-stay, neutrality)

Includes everything in the 3-week program plus:

- An additional week of immersion
- Daily video updates
- Slower introduction to triggers

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- Extended decompression
- 6-8 hours of coaching focused on real-world readiness

Imagine sipping coffee with your dog calmly at your feet-confident, relaxed, and ready for life together.

Since we only take one dog at a time, we are booked in advance. Do not wait too long!

### Why We Don't Guarantee Basic Obedience Commands?

At The Dog Services, we don't guarantee obedience commands like "sit," "stay," or "heel"—because our priority isn't performance. It's behavior change and emotional regulation.

Your dog will absolutely learn functional skills like walking calmly on leash, waiting at thresholds, and settling around distractions. But more importantly, they'll learn to think, to regulate, and to make better decisions in the real world. We teach your dog how to cope with stress, how to navigate uncertainty, and how to find safety through structure and communication.

Many programs focus on obedience alone—getting a dog to perform commands on cue—but overlook what's happening inside the dog: their nervous system, their emotions, their triggers. That kind of training can suppress symptoms without solving the root cause. We don't want a dog that just

"listens." We want a dog that understands.

That's why our focus is on long-term behavioral change, not short-term command compliance. It's also why our contract makes clear that results vary—because every dog is different, and healing isn't linear.