

Pro-Positive

Pet
Behaviour
& Training



Services Information

A professional and positive approach to supporting you and your dog



Behaviour consultation package - What's included?

Behaviour Consultation

Up to 2.5 hours

This is held at your home or remotely (e.g. over zoom). During the behaviour consultation, I ask lots of questions regarding your dog, their history, background and behaviour. I then discuss the cause of the behaviour, and strategies for you to help manage and treat the behaviour. If we have time, we might practise any relevant training or go for a walk.

Behaviour Report

You will then be sent a tailored behaviour report both through the post and over email detailing all we discussed during the consultation. This includes the behaviour summary, causes, safety risks, and strategies to manage the behaviour.

This will accompany any additional training materials and information in a supplementary pack.

A copy of the report will also be sent to your referring vet, along with any necessary communications to discuss medical aspects of the case.

Follow-up Appointment

1-hour

This will either be held at your home, in a park, field, secure dog field or remotely. During the follow-up session, we discuss progress, any questions or concerns you may have, and we will discuss (and maybe practise) any necessary behaviour modification training.

Additional follow-up appointments can be booked for an extra fee.

You will also be provided with remote support in the form of email, phone calls or text for up to 3 months after the consultation.

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How to book a consultation

Step 1: Get in touch

Give me a call, message or email if you would like to arrange a booking.

Email: pro-positive@outlook.com

Phone: 07554 233 926

Not sure if a behaviour consultation is right for you? Give me a free non-obligatory call, email or message to discuss your questions and to see if a behaviour consultation is what you need.

Step 2: Choose a date and time

You will be sent a list of dates and times to choose for the behaviour consultation appointment.

Step 3: Payment

Once a date has been chosen, a 25% deposit is required for the booking to be secured.

Please note: Unless the 14 day 'cooling-off period' applies, the 25% deposit (or 25% of the full payment made) will not be refundable if you decide to cancel your booking within 5 calendar days of the arranged consultation date. Please see my terms and conditions for more information: <https://www.pro-positivepetbehaviour.com/terms-conditions>

DID YOU KNOW? Your pet insurance company may be able to reimburse you the consultation

Step 4: Veterinary Referral

I require a signed referral form from your vet concerning your dog before the consultation can take place. I may also need this for any other dogs in the home too. Your vet may first want to check your dog over for any signs of pain or medical issues that could be affecting the behaviour.

Why is this important?

Many behaviour problems are caused or affected by pain or medical issues. These issues may not be obvious, so it's important your vet rules this out before I provide a behaviour diagnosis and treatment plan.

Step 5: Questionnaire

You will be asked to complete and return a questionnaire regarding your dog at least a week before the consultation.

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Why choose Pro-Positive Pet Behaviour & Training?



Qualified

I am kept updated with methods backed up by science

I have a first class BSc (Hons) degree in Animal Behaviour & Welfare from Harper Adams University. This course has been validated by the Association for the Study of Animal Behaviour (ASAB) accreditation committee as delivering the academic elements necessary for an individual to achieve ASAB certification as a clinical animal behaviourist (CCAB). I also regularly seek continued professional development opportunities in the form of webinars, mentoring, conferences, group discussions and reading.



Experienced

I have learned from and practised with other professionals

I have been working with dogs for many years. My experience working with dogs includes:

- Working in boarding kennels.
- Work in a rescue centre for a year, including work with dogs with behaviour and training issues and implementing training plans.
- Assisting in dog training classes.
- Watching and leading dog consultations under the supervision of Certificated Clinical Animal Behaviourists (CCAB's).
- Providing behaviour consultations as an associate behaviourist for 'Second Nature Behaviour Ltd', and providing follow-up sessions for clients of 'Companion Animal Behaviour Referrals'.



Trustable

I follow a strict code-of-conduct

Unfortunately, the dog behaviour and training industry is currently unregulated. This means that anyone can set themselves up as a dog behaviourist or trainer, no matter what their qualifications, experience or training methods include.

- I am a Candidate Member for the 'Fellowship of Animal Behaviour Clinicians', and am gaining the experience necessary to gain full accreditation as a Certificated Clinical Animal Behaviourist (CCAB).
- I only work on veterinary referral, to rule out pain or medical issues contributing to the behaviour before I provide advice.
- I use the most scientific up-to-date methods, involving reward based training. I do not advocate the use of punishment, and I value safety and animal welfare above all.

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Pricing

Behaviour Consultation Package *(including a 1-hour follow-up session)*

£190

Additional 1-hour follow-up session*

£40

**Additional follow-up sessions can only be booked after the behaviour consultation package.*

If you have pet insurance, they may be able to reimburse you the fee. Check your policy to find out.

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Important Information

Polite note:

- I will not be able to 'cure' your dog's behaviour concerns. My services are aimed at providing you with advice necessary for YOU to manage and change your dog's behaviour. I will support you through this process through the provision of advice and (in some cases) training instruction, and it is YOUR responsibility to put any recommended changes in place.
- My service fee for in-person sessions only covers a 40-mile radius of Cresswell, Stoke-on-Trent. If you live outside of this 40-mile radius, I will charge an additional £1 per mile.
- As I have limited dates and times available for consultations, I operate a first come, first served basis with bookings. Therefore, if you are interested in a specific date for the consultation, then this will be reserved for 3 working days until payment is received. If the payment is not received, then the consultation date and time may be offered to someone else.

If you book a consultation with me, it's taken that you agree to my terms and conditions.

Please ensure you have read through these terms. My terms can be made available on request or found on my website:

<https://www.pro-positivepetbehaviour.com/terms-conditions>



If you have pet insurance, they may be able to reimburse you the fee. Check your policy to find out.

Get in touch for a non-obligatory chat to see how I can help you!

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