

Neutering Policy for Assistance Dog Training Program

As part of our commitment to responsible dog ownership and the success of our assistance dog training program, we require all dogs to be neutered before taking their final public assessment. Neutering helps promote focus, reduces the risk of unwanted behaviours related to hormones, and supports the long-term wellbeing of the dog.

Veterinary Guidance

We strongly encourage all clients to seek advice from their veterinarian regarding the most appropriate timing for neutering based on their dog's breed, size, and individual health needs. Your vet can provide guidance on the best approach to ensure your dog's development and overall welfare.

Neutering Requirement

All dogs must be neutered before they take their final public access assessment unless there is a documented medical reason preventing the procedure. If your vet advises against neutering for health reasons, we require a written statement from them confirming this exemption.

This policy is in place to maintain a professional training environment and ensure that all assistance dogs are set up for success in their working roles.