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### **Correcting and praising your dog:**

- Practice at home not at the park or outside of your house first.
- Correct your dog by saying “NO” (verbally) and using the leash (physically) if needed anytime your dog makes a mistake or when performs a behaviour that is unwanted.
- Praise your dog (verbally) by saying “good boy/girl and/or (physically) by petting.
- Try not to get emotional when correcting or praising your dog. Through repetition you will be able to find and practice the right state of mind.

### **How to correct and praise with your dog:**

<b>If the dog makes a mistake:</b>	<b>If the dog does something good:</b>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Say “NO” (up to 3 times) in a firm but neutral tone.</li><li>2. If ignored, put the dog on leash or hold the collar.</li><li>3. Pull to a side and redirect the dog to you.</li><li>4. Ask the dog to do something else or to calm down.</li><li>5. Repeat if necessary.</li></ol>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Reward your dog.</li><li>• Praise or play with your dog.</li><li>• Celebrate.</li></ul>