

Program Profile – Be Doggone Smart at Work

Concepts Covered

- ❖ How to defuse a dangerous situation
- ❖ How to assess the bite risk
- ❖ What a safe dog looks like
- ❖ What a dangerous dog looks like
- ❖ How to meet a dog safely
- ❖ How to interpret dog body language
- ❖ How to send body language signals to a dog to calm him
- ❖ Understand what constitutes dangerous behaviour around dogs
- ❖ Understand what motivates dogs to be aggressive
- ❖ Understand the role of fear (both the dog's and the worker's)



**No live dogs are used in the program
Doggone Safe focuses on prevention
and avoiding confrontation with dogs**

Since writing this book, I have been referred to many DogBite Prevention programs and I must say with all honesty that I think your[s] ...could be one of the most effective programs I've seen.

**Karen Delise – Author of
Fatal Dog Attacks: The
stories behind the
statistics**

Teaching methods used in the Worker Safety Program:

- ❖ Visual learning – students will see photos and videos and learn to interpret dog body language and predict dog behaviour
- ❖ Interactive risk assessment quizzes to evaluate responses to various scenarios
- ❖ Scenario evaluation – students will describe real-life situations and the group will discuss and develop strategies
- ❖ Question and Answer – students will have opportunity to have their specific questions answered
- ❖ Follow-up – students will be given resource material and access to private Yahoo group where they can post questions and get additional information on a on-going basis

On-line version of the course is available

Students work individually and earn a certificate

Various pricing options are available; custom content can be included

Program details:

- ❖ Contact us for pricing information; volume discounts available
- ❖ On-site training (travel expenses extra)
- ❖ Group size of 20-50 attendees is recommended
- ❖ Program lasts for 2 hours
- ❖ Audience participation and opportunity for discussion of individual situations
- ❖ Course content can be customized to ensure relevance for your workers
- ❖ Handouts and access to private Yahoo group for participants

Knowledge Empowers People to Make Safe Choices Around Dogs