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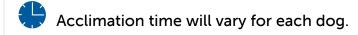
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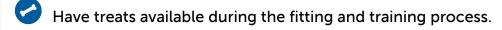
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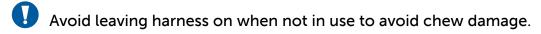
Welcome

to your new PetSafe® Easy Walk® Harness!

A few things to keep in mind:





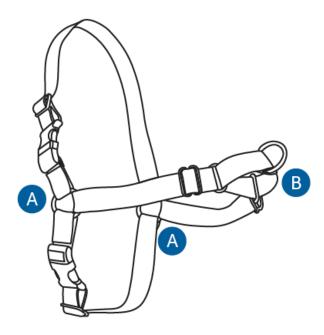




Not intended to be used as a tie-out.

Understanding your harness











- O-ring Rests just behind the shoulder blades.
- **B** No-pull attachment Martingale loop helps prevent pulling when leash is connected to the D-ring.
- **Shoulder strap** Adjustable strap that sits across your dog's shoulders.
- Girth strap Adjustable strap that sits under your dog's chest. Strap is a different color than the rest of the harness.
- **Chest strap**

Sits across the front of vour

dog's chest. Features the no-pull attachment.

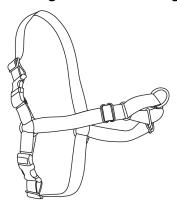
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Prepare

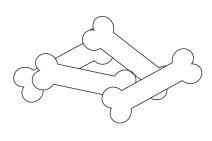
Proper fitting is necessary for the no-pull function to correct the behavior and avoid chafing. Keep the following in mind when fitting the harness on your dog:

- Your dog must be standing the entire time the harness is being fit.
- Encourage your dog with praise and treats.
- Fit the harness in a stress-free, quiet environment.
- Dogs may tense up during the fitting process. Check the harness fit after a few minutes of wear.

Have the following available during the fitting process:



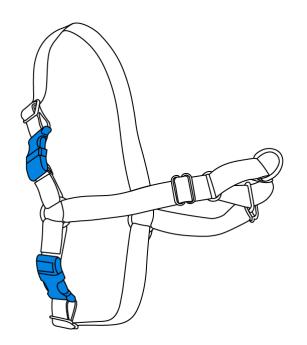


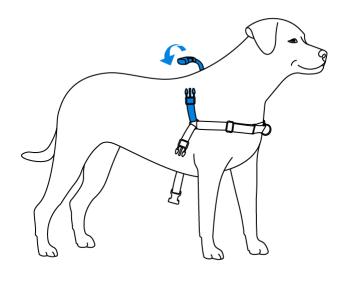


Treats

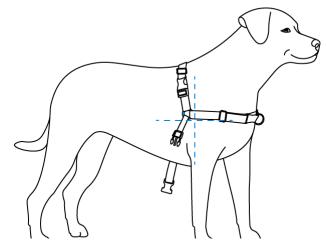
Adjust shoulder strap







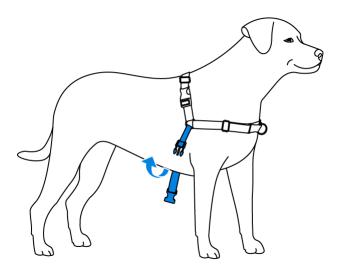
- Unbuckle the shoulder and girth straps.
- Place the harness over your dog's back with the martingale loop centered on the breast bone. Buckle the shoulder strap.





Adjust the shoulder strap so the Orings on either side of the harness sit above and behind your dog's shoulder blades.

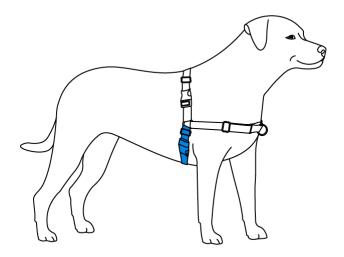
Adjust girth strap



Buckle the girth strap.

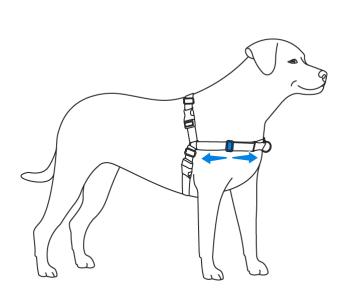
Note: The girth strap is a different color than the rest of the harness.

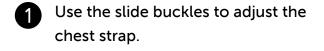


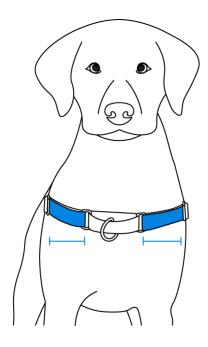


Adjust until the strap is snug around your dog's chest and a T-shape is formed.

Adjust chest strap





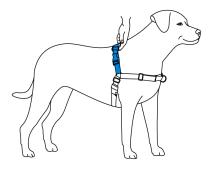


Adjust both sides of the chest strap equally until the strap is snug and centered on your dog's chest.

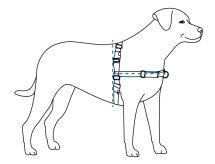


Important: Loose fitting straps can cause chafing and encourage chewing of the harness.

Check fit



Snug fit Make sure that two fingers fit snugly between the shoulder strap and your dog.



T-shape Check that the girth strap creates a vertical line and the chest strap creates a horizontal line, forming a horizontal T-shape.

Step 2: Training

To help make wearing the harness a positive experience for your dog, continue to offer praise while acclimating to the harness.

Important: The harness is not recommended for jogging, running, bike attachments or couplers.

Have the following ready to assist in acclimation:

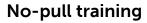


Treats





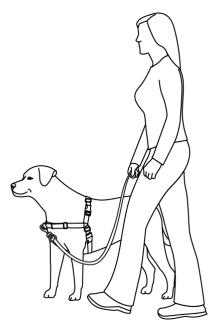
Four to six foot non-retractable leash





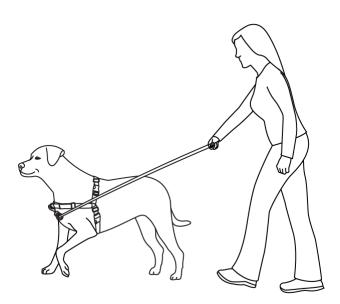
Tension on the leash corrects unwanted behavior by redirecting your dog into the correct position.

No tension on the leash rewards your dog for good behavior.





- Start with your dog standing next to your side.
- Begin walking. Reward your dog with treats and praise when he walks next to your side with a loose leash.



As soon as there is tension on the leash, redirect your dog to your side by slowing down or stopping.



Important: Never jerk or yank the leash.



Reward your dog with treats and praise when he is next to your side with a loose leash and begin walking again.



Repeat steps 1-4 until your dog walks calmly by your side with a loose leash.

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