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BEHAVIOURAL CONSULTATIONS

Sometimes your dog's behaviour gets to a point where they are no longer a delight to live with and where they need constant management and attention. If this is the case then a behavioural consultation is probably the best solution for you, your family and your dog.

The consultation process lasts for at least two hours but may need to be followed up by further ½ hour training sessions but this will be at your discretion as it will be only you who will know when you are comfortable with where your dog's behaviour and your management (if still necessary). This also includes a written report covering suggestions and practical steps towards improving your dog's behaviour.

Some of the areas covered under behavioural consultations include but are not limited to:

- Separation Anxiety
- Aggression towards other dogs
- Aggression towards humans
- Resource guarding (toys; food; places)

The above behaviours are only an example of what a behavioural consultation may focus on and some of the consultation may include items from the general issues list; but the above behaviours often require a lot more attention; analysis and rehabilitation which is why I have separated them out from the general behaviours list. If it is just one issue that isn't combined with a lot of other issues then it might be that a slightly shorter consult is more suitable.

I can offer qualified, practical advice and training plans from my wealth of experience and knowledge. Consultations may take place either at your home or at my consultation room in West Molesey. Please contact me to discuss and arrange for an appointment.

The Canine and Feline Behaviour Association (CFBA) is accepted by Pet Insurance Companies who cover behaviour problems on their policies and meets their criteria for excellence in the field. I Karen McCarthy am an accredited Member of the CFBA and as such, your pet insurance policy may assist with costs. Each insurance company will have its own criteria of what it deems a behaviour problem which the client can discuss with their insurance company prior to booking an appointment.

Canine behaviour problems are defined by each individual company. Dog training is NOT a part of pet insurance cover.

If you think your insurance company may cover your behavioural problem the following may help identify what you need to do in regards to the procedure of referral:

- Vets can instruct a client to contact one of the CFBA's Behaviour Practitioners after providing them with a referral letter/communication or completed and stamped CFBA referral form.
- Alternatively, the Vet can contact one of our behaviourists to pass the client and case details directly. - A client can request any veterinarian to recommend a particular behaviourist.

Behaviour Consultation £150.00 (VAT Inclusive)
Single Issue Shorter Consult £90.00 (VAT Inclusive)

Mileage rate of 50p per mile after 3 miles from either of our premises
