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Canine Pre-Consult Information

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Ref. by: Online search
Dog's Name: Rigel
Breed: Terrier Mix (?)
Age/Sex: 13wks / M
Spay/Neut.?Yes
None Other Pets in Household:
Other People in Household: None (Just me)
Occupation/Time spent outside home: Unemployed currently
Veterinarian: Caring Hands Veterinary Hospital, Dr. Langford
Medical Problems/meds/allergies: Not yet fully vaccinated as a puppy
Brand of Food: Orijen, switched to Purina Pro Plan
How many times per day?3x refresh food and water bowls
What times is dog fed? _5am, 12pm, 5pm
Eat right away/finish meals? Doesn't finish
Other treats/snacks & how often: Chicken, apple, cheese, 'training treats'; 3-5x/day while learning

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Where was dog obtained/How long ago: KOTR Rescue 1.5wks ago
Potty Trained? Crate trained? In progress
Where does dog sleep? In kennel / ex-pen near me
% time indoor/outdoor? 95%? Outdoors for potty breaks; not yet able to do walks
Where kept when owner gone? Lkeep him with me on errands so far
Any previous training? Behaviors dog knows/training methods used/trainer: He's consistent with using the paper pee pads as targets for eliminating
Exercise Type/FrequencyGets hyper 2-3x/day: we play w toys, practice something, or walk around house

Equipment used on walks: N/A (No walks yet; also having difficulty getting a harness that fits)

Has dog ever bitten or injured a person or animal? No_ (If yes, please describe)

Not to my knowledge; he is a puppy so he explores with his mouth but hasn't been aggressive in any way I've seen so far

Reason for Consultation:

I'd like to set Rigel up for success for a happy, calm, and fun life. My first priorities are safetyrelated (e.g., have him not mind or fear going in his travel carrier, kennel, or harness, have him able to be safely handled by vet or groomed if needed, etc.), and second priorities are figuring out how to channel his energy into constructive activities and behaviors (e.g., away from chewing pee pads and barking at unfamiliar noises coming from other yards).

What have you tried, if anything, to fix this problem?

I don't think he has problems yet; he's just a puppy. We're learning how all of this works together.

For carrier and kennel and harness, I've been trying to reward him with treats for approaching voluntarily, staying inside calmly, etc. He's doing ok with the travel carrier on car rides, but doesn't like to walk into it.

For his excess energy, we spend hours playing with his toys (~1-1.5hrs twice a day). attempting short training sessions with treats, and carrying him around my backyard so that he can smell even if he's not yet ready to roam around.

The training methods of Caring Behavior are practiced, gentle, and force free. Your pet's safety and well-being, as well as your own, are top priority. However, the behavior of animals,

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Client Signature:

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