

Positive Housetraining for Your Puppy

Follow these seven steps to a housetrained dog..

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Step 7: Know When You're Done

Your puppy may be the smartest dog you've ever encountered, but it may still take a while to master the art of basic bathroom manners. And until he does, you need to keep up the housetraining routine.

How do you know when your puppy is a housetraining ace? Most puppies younger than 6 months of age don't qualify, nor do those who have an accident every few days or so. Consider your puppy fully housetrained only when he turns 6 months of age and has not had an accident for at least a month.