



HUMANE SOCIETY OF BROWARD COUNTY

Basic Obedience for Dogs

Hand Signal - Sit



Dogs communicate with each other primarily through body postures and body language. They also attempt to communicate with us using the same techniques. Using hand signals in addition to verbal cues will help your dog to understand more quickly and easily what it is you want him to do.

When using hand signals your motion or signal should start prior to your verbal cue.

Sit: Right arm straight down in front of you, at your side with your palm facing out and fingers pointing down. Bend your arm slightly at the elbow and bring your palm up slowly to face you.