

5 WAYS TO PREPARE FOR FIREWORKS

WITH ONLY 14 DAYS TO TRAIN

START PREPARING NOW

1. DESENSITIZATION:

Play a video of fireworks, at a quiet volume, reward them when they are calm. Over the next two weeks, slowly increase the volume without having a reaction. Give them a long lasting chew, lick mat or frozen treat to enjoy while listening to the fireworks, stop the video when they are finished.

2. CRATE TRAINING:

Create a safe, confined, comfortable & dark space for your pet to use as an escape. Over the next two weeks, get them comfortable with this safe space by placing treats for them to discover and reward them for laying in the space on their own. You can increase their duration of relaxation by giving them a long lasting chew, lick mat or frozen treat.



3. CBD DOSING:

Try giving your pet CBD. start with a small dose and slowly increase the dosage as needed for the best results. Remember that they will need more than their usual dose for such a high stress situation like fireworks.

- Basic Dosing: 1-5 MG of CBD per 10 LBs of body weight.
- Dosage Timing for Fireworks: Every Four Hours! Begin in the afternoon and end in the evening before bed.

*Consult your vet about using CBD before using it for the first time.

DAY OF PREPARATION

4. MENTAL STIMULATION:

In addition to your usual routine...

- Make their meal time fun with a game of "find it".
- Provide long lasting treats like kongs, lick mats or chews to tire them out through the day (freeze them ahead of time).

5. CREATE A CALMING ENVIRONMENT:

Turn on white noise or relaxing music to drown out some noise and alleviate a bit of anxiety for your pup.

Ensure your pup can hide in their safe space that you've been rewarding them in.

Decrease their amount of stimulation by making their space very dark and cozy with their favorite things!

