

FREE PUPPY SOCIALIZATION CHECKLIST

Check off by week what you have introduced your new puppy to.

The greater variety, the more socialized your puppy will become. As opportunity allows continue to introduce them to other things beyond 16 weeks of age

AGE BY WEEK	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
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PEOPLE:

Current household family members										
Babies, toddlers, children										
Teenagers, adults, elderly people										
People in wheelchairs, on crutches, prosthetics										
Skaters, skateboarders, bicycles										
People in uniform: Military, Veterinarians, Postal Workers, Delivery Services										
Repairman: people with tool belts										
People with accessories: hats, glasses, umbrellas, canes										
People with parcels, capes, sacks, lumber, building materials										
People with strollers, wagons, tricycles										
People of various ethnicities and with different accents, soft and loud voices										
Kids at the park on school grounds										
Crowds with noises like clapping or cheering										
People yelling, loud speakers and announcers										
People dancing, singing, loud speakers and music										
Men with beards										
Other:										

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NOISES:

Loud noises like fireworks or gun shots										
Traffic noises: trains, motorcycles, OHV, busses										
Watercraft: Boats, jet skis, snowmobiles										
Aircraft: Helicopters, airplanes, hot air balloons										
Lawn & Yard Equipment: rakes, shovels, lawn mowers, tillers, tractors										
Home appliances: washer, dryer, dish washer, ice machine, vacuum cleaner, hair dryer, microwave										
Construction and heavy machinery noises										
Sporting events, fairs, group gatherings, carnivals										
Other:										

