

Dog Bites



- ❖ Do Not approach an unfamiliar dog
- ❖ Always ask the owner if it is OK to pet the dog
- ❖ Never touch or disturb a mother dog and her puppies or pet a sick or injured dog
- ❖ Do Not shout or startle a dog. Move slowly and calmly
- ❖ Let the dog sniff you before you pet it
- ❖ Never tease a dog or pull its tail or ears
- ❖ Never put your hands through a fence, open window or car window to pet a dog
- ❖ Do Not put your face near the dogs face
- ❖ Never leave a young child alone with a dog
- ❖ Dogs can bite children accidentally when they are playing
- ❖ Spaying or neutering usually makes dogs less aggressive
- ❖ Obedience training classes will help ensure that your dog is well behaved

Have your dog vaccinated for rabies