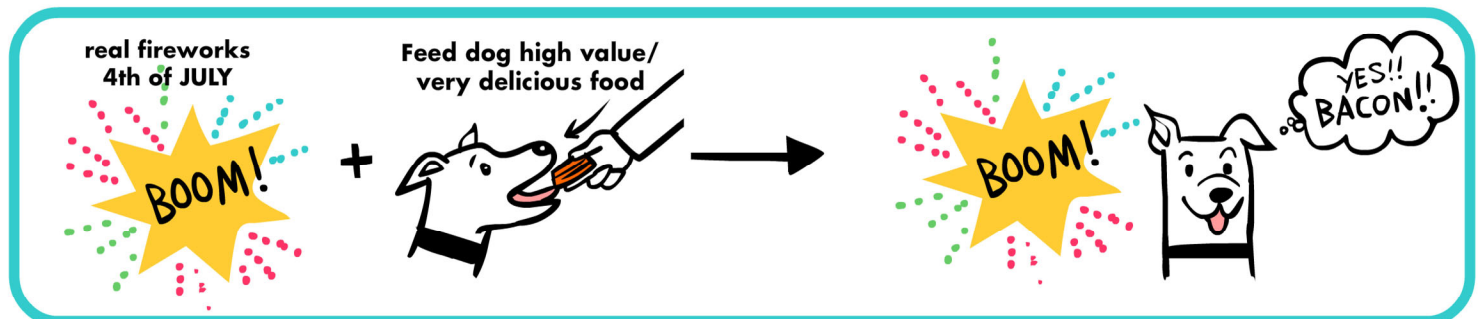
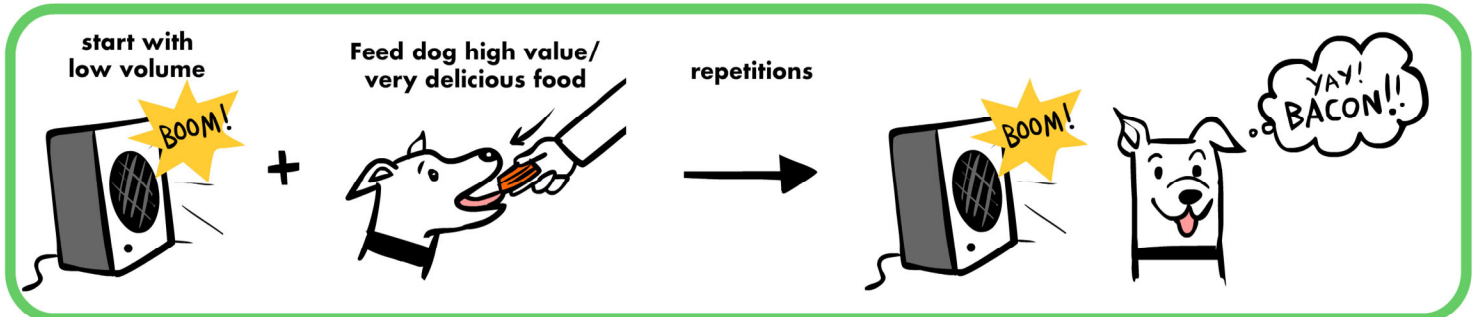


Counterconditioning: Fear of Fireworks

1. **PREPARE IN ADVANCE:** Use low volume recorded noise to start.
2. Use a high value (very delicious) known food.
3. Timing is important. The eating comes **AFTER** the aversive stimulus.

START EARLY to make it easier for your dog



COMMON MISTAKE

When **GOOD STUFF** comes **BEFORE** THE SCARY STUFF, the food can be associated with the bad stuff and lead to stress/nausea for the dog. This also does not change the dog's fear of fireworks.

