



Bunker receiving his initial rehabilitation assessment



Mekah receiving LASER therapy



Shepp strengthens his muscles in the underwater treadmill



Jack strengthens his core muscles while crawling through the tunnel



Daisy balances on a peanut to build strong leg muscles



Tipper improves her balance and coordination with the weave cones



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**CERTIFIED  
CANINE  
REHABILITATION**

## WHAT IS CANINE REHABILITATION?

- Certified Canine Rehabilitation is one of the most exciting offerings in veterinary medicine. We are pleased to provide this service to you at Paws In Motion Canine Rehabilitation Center.
- Canine Rehab, similar to physical therapy in human medicine, is ideal for dogs that have been injured, undergone surgery or who suffer from arthritis, obesity, or neurological disease.
- Our goal is to use all of the Canine Rehabilitation techniques and modalities to maximize your pet's ability to recover physically while minimizing his/her pain.



## WHAT IS INVOLVED?

All rehab patients receive an initial assessment. Each assessment includes an examination of all joints, muscles, and bones. Any area of concern is identified and prioritized. Using the information from the assessment, as well as, the client's goals for their pet, a rehab plan is developed.

## SIGNS OF PAIN AND DISCOMFORT

- Sleeps more
- Restlessness, especially at night
- Lethargic
- Doesn't want to walk as much or at all
- Cannot jump onto bed or sofa
- Pants more
- Lameness
- Stiffness
- Whines or moans for no apparent reason
- Irritability or personality changes
- Any or all of the above but doesn't seem or act painful

## AVAILABLE SERVICES

- Underwater Treadmill – uses water as a tool to improve muscle and joint function
- LASER Therapy – reduces pain, inflammation, swelling and stimulates cartilage regeneration
- Manual Therapy – helps mobilize joints, relieve restrictions, and improve mobility
- Massage – increases muscle mobility and helps relieve muscle trigger points
- Passive Range of Motion (PROM) – improves joint mobility
- Dry Needling – removes painful and restrictive Myofascial Trigger Points (muscle knots) and improves muscle function
- Neuromuscular Electrical Stimulation – prevents muscle loss and atrophy
- Acupuncture – stimulates acupoints which release neurotransmitters to aid in pain relief
- Chinese Herbs/ Supplements – fundamental therapy for acute and chronic conditions to help regain balance in the body

## MEET OUR TEAM



*"Even as a Certified Canine Rehabilitation Therapist, I am amazed at the dramatic improvement many patients have shown. Dogs want to be pain free and active!"*



*"Seeing patients regain function with Canine Rehabilitation is often the highlight of my day. Seeing their owner's excitement about that improvement is icing on the cake!"*



*"The enthusiasm I see from patients receiving Canine Rehabilitation makes what I do worth so much more!"*