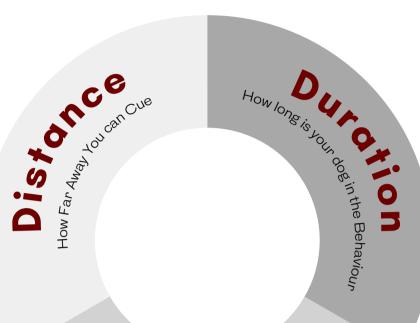
## The 3 D's of Training

### Ideal Distance:

 The dog can split it's attention between trigger and handler



### Ideal Duration:

 Your dog remains in position until they are released

## Ideal Distraction:

 Something you have control of at first, food or a leashed dog

# Markhing Extra or New in the Environment

# How to Strengthen the 3D's

Only Focus on one at a time and expand in the order listed

**DURATION** = decrease distance + decrease distractions

**DISTRACTIONS** = decrease distance + shorten duration

DISTANCE = decrease distractions + shorten duration

