

Removing a tick safely

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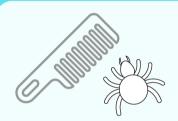
NEVER poke, prod, or cover a tick in vaseline to suffocate it. The tick needs to come out in one piece.





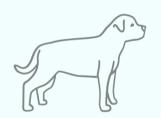
You will need a specially designed tick removal tool - you can buy a 2-pack from most vets, pet stores, and some online retailers.





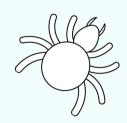
Once you have located the tick, part the surrounding fur.





Hook the tool under the tick as close to your pet's skin as possible.





Twist the tick whilst pulling, and ease it out.





Check there's no part of the tick stuck in your dog.





Dispose of the tick to stop it jumping onto your pet again, or you.



