

Public Relations PASS / FAIL Criteria Level 1

1) Tie a neck scarf or bandana around the animals' neck. The animal should wear the neck scarfoughout the trial.

Pass: The animal stands calmly and allows scarf to be wrapped around neck and tied. **Not pass:** Any type of resistance.

2) Back the llama in L shape using either tables or chairs to form the L.

Pass: The animal backs willingly through the L. Verbal cues and hand signals may be used.

Not Pass: The animal balks or has to be forced to back: Animal knocks over chairs/tables

3) Walk the animal up to a cone, stop and have stand still for 30 seconds

Pass: Animal stands still for 30 seconds. Verbal cues such as stop, stand, etc,.may be used

Not Pass: Animal fidgets or refuses to stand

- 4) After standing for 30 seconds have stranger approach and pet animal on the neck. Pass: Animal stands still and allows stranger to pet No Pass: Animal fidgets or moves away from the stranger
- 5) Hand the llama to the stranger and step back and take a photo of stranger with llama (photo may be simulated, no flash is required). Pass: Animal remains calm and stands still

Not pass: Animal fidgets and tries to get away from the stranger

6) After photo is taken have stranger walk llama to cone and hand back to owner (owner is standing at cone).

Pass: Llama willingly walks to cone and stops. **Not Pass:** Animal refuses in any way

7) Walk over tarp on the ground.

Pass: Llama willingly moves over tarp. Handler may stop and let animal look at surface before proceeding.

Not Pass: Animal refuses or balks or tries to sidestep surface or move off of surface.

8) Step up onto a platform (and cross it) raised at least 12 inches off the ground (this may be a piece of ply wood on two bales of hay or any other type platform that is available. May or may not include stairs.

Pass: Animal steps on platform and follows handler across. **Not Pass:** Animal refuses or steps off the platform.