

# THE CUTEST NEW SAFETY GEAR FOR YOUR LITTLE GUYS



## Why dog-proof the fence when you can fence-proof the dog?

Puppy Bumpers® (originally called "Condo Collars") were invented by Ann Price in order to keep her own dog from getting through a baby gate. Initially, Price was making Puppy Bumpers® in her kitchen – just for friends and local shops. In order to make Puppy Bumpers® available to others, a website [www.PuppyBumpers.net](http://www.PuppyBumpers.net) was designed and a Facebook page started to direct people to the newly launched website. Search engines worked their magic, bringing people to the website when they were looking for solutions for their small dogs



who were getting out between fence rails!

Since then, Puppy Bumpers® have been endorsed by dog trainers, veterinarians and other dog professionals as a non-aversive way to keep dogs safely inside a fence. As demand grew, Ann needed to find manufacturing and she wanted to keep it in the United States. In 2009 she began having Puppy Bumpers® manufactured at STEPS, Inc., a private nonprofit in Farmville, Virginia that provides jobs and training to individuals with disabilities.

Puppy Bumpers® are now available in several national catalogs including In the Company of Dogs, G.W. Little, Whatever Works and Blair.

In the past year, due to customer demand, Ann has added larger and tougher "Ultra" Puppy Bumpers® for bigger dogs in active situations and water-resistant "Rainy Day" Puppy Bumpers®. (They're made of a cotton material with a water-resistant coating so dirt, water and snow wipe right off and are filled with polyester fiberfill so they are light and comfortable just like the original Puppy Bumpers®) Most recently, collars and leashes to match some of the most popular patterns have been added to the line



**NOTE:** A portion of every Puppy Bumpers® sale goes to **ASK**, an organization that gives support to families of children with Cancer.

Ann and her Therapy Dogs, Rocky, Izzy and Daisy visit with Pediatric Patients at the ASK Clinic in Richmond, Virginia every Friday morning.

Puppy Bumpers come in three sizes  
Up to 10" - **\$29.95**, 10-13" - **\$29.95**, and 13-16" - **\$32.50** based on neck size.

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