

*About Nicole.....*

*I have been an animal lover my entire life and currently share my home with a chocolate lab, and a border collie mix. My other recent breeds included a yellow lab, a rottweiler and a standard poodle.*

*I have been working professionally with animals since 1992 and served as the Program Director for a leading service dog organization from 1995-2002, when I opened Woofs of Wisdom.*

*Endorsed by The National Association of Dog Obedience Instructors, I have a certification in Animal Science and my professional experience includes:*

*Basic and Advanced Obedience*

*Private and Group Training*

*Clicker Training & Operant Conditioning*

*Volhard Motivational Training Method*

*Kennel Management*

*Veterinary Assistant*

*Service Dog Training & Placement*

*Therapy Dog Training & Visits*

*Therapy Dogs International Evaluator*

*AKC Good Citizen Evaluator*

*Behavior Modification Training*

*Companion Dog Matching & Placement*

*Shelter/ Dog/ Litter/ Puppy Evaluations*

*Shelter & Rescue Dog Rehabilitation*

*My chocolate Labrador has been trained to the level of service dog and has served as a demonstration dog for a service dog organization. We have been seen on local cable , NBC 10 and on Fox 29's Good Day. I was also named "Best of Philly 2010 Dog Trainer" by Philadelphia Magazine and "Best of Montco 2010" by The Times Herald.*

*I also have experience working with a wide variety of breeds and temperaments and understand the need to tailor training to what works best with each individual dog and handler*