

PAWTECTED GEAR POLICIES

Terminology

Gear – Any member specific item provided by or hired from PAWtected. Usually royal blue.

Uniform – Any member specific textile item provided by or hired from PAWtected. Usually royal blue.

Blue Passport (BP)

This must be kept in good condition and with the dog when in gear. If your BP requires updating, please contact the team. Please also contact the team if your BP needs replacing.

The BP must be returned at each stage of qualification and then annually when achieved Assistance Dog status.

The Blue Passport remains the property of PAWtected.

Compulsory uniform

Member dogs must wear a piece of uniform with the logo whenever doing public access.

Compulsory uniform remains the property of PAWtected.

ADP gear is optional.

ADiT members must hire a bandanna, vest and/or cape to use during assessments and public access work.

AD members must hire a vest and/or cape to use during reassessments and public access work.

Optional uniform

Additional items such as settle mats and leash sleeves can also be hired through PAWtected. If you require something specific which is not available through our order form, please contact us.

Optional uniform remains the property of PAWtected.

Gear and uniform maintenance

All gear must be kept looking smart and presentable. Uniform should be kept clean, neat and well fitting.

Alterations of gear and uniform are prohibited.

Gear and uniform returns

All gear and uniform must be returned when your dog retires, or your membership is terminated.

Unneeded gear (e.g. old terminology or ill fitting) must also be returned.

Gear and uniform return must be done promptly, at the cost of the member and through a safe delivery service. Proof of postage must be provided to PAWtected.

PAWtected reserves the right to change these policies. Notification of change will be made on our Moodle platform, website and social media platforms.

Please contact enquiries@pawtected.co.uk for full copies of any of our policies/procedures.