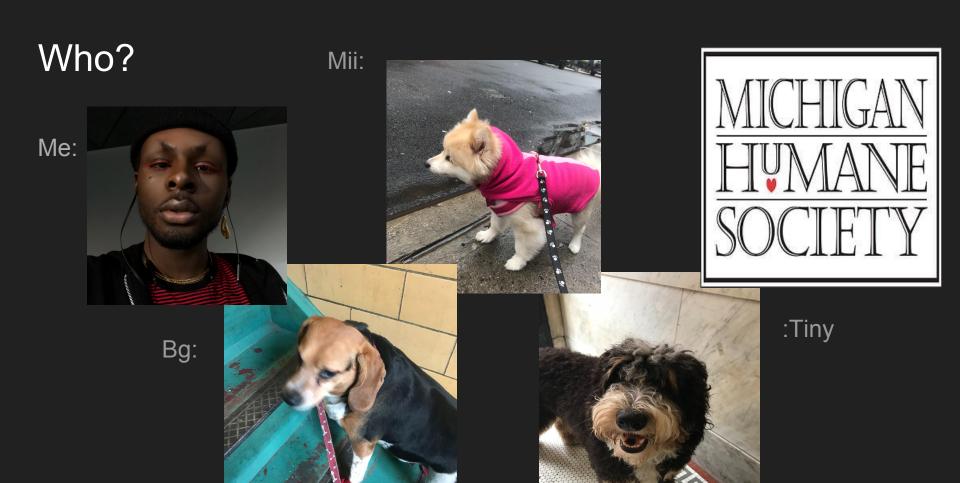
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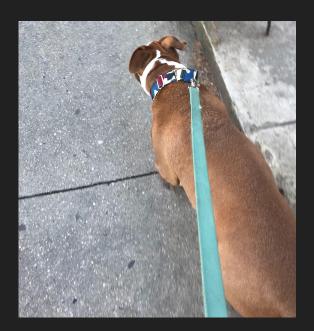


The special case of B-tone





At his new home!



What?

Caring for dogs with anxiety

Dogs can have anxiety?

Yes, Yes they can, dogs can develop anxiety from being abandoned, abused, loud noise, medical problems or other animals.

What I did

I volunteered with the humane society to take care of dogs that have anxiety. Feed, Walk, and play with them.

How?/ Skillshare

How to Help dogs with anxiety.

- 1. Get on their level
- 2. Talk to them
- 3. Pet them
- 4. Check yourself first
- 5. Be playful
- 6. Let them explore

Context

I think my project really operates in a social context in the way that by knowing how to interact with dogs who have been diagnosed with anxiety it can help people not only see, but understand signs of anxiousness in not only animals but people and know how to act accordingly. Not that people with anxiety are comparable to dogs with the same problem but understanding the social queues of both can help with the understanding and treatment of humans and other animal species that suffer from anxiety.

Words with an organizer

What I was able to gather from talking with organizer omar is:

"With working with these animals, especially dogs and especially dogs with anxiety, you learn that they are really just like us in more ways than you can imagine. They have triggers, they have ticks and tells that they are uncomfortable. And it really humanies them so that you see them as more than an animal."

Thank You