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Highlights

- Some behaviors may be unattractive to adopters and an indicator of poor welfare in kenneled dogs.
- We assessed the effects of providing calm interaction and exercise on in-kennel behavior of 16 shelter dogs.
- These interventions result in both a reduction of some, but also in an increase of other unattractive behavior.

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