

Approach with caution



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**Dog bites can
occur when dogs are
wandering at large.**

**Never pat a dog
you do not know.**

Never approach a dog that is wandering on the streets. If you see a dog with its owner, always ask the owner for permission to pat the dog. Allow the dog to sniff the back of your hand first. If it is happy to be patted, it will sniff your hand and move towards you. You can then stroke the dog under its chin. Visit GoodDogSA.com to find out how you can become a responsible dog owner.

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