

# Cyber Rally-O Foundation Rally Skills Titling Program Summary of Changes



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## **AUGUST 24, 2025**

### **LEVEL 1 NO CHANGES**

### **LEVEL 2 NEW VIDEO LINK**

Page 11, link to revised FRS Level 2 Demo videos.

### **LEVEL 3 CLARIFICATION**

Page 12, L3-2, clarification, added “(in a sit, stand or down)”, and emphasis added, “two front or four feet” now in bold.

### **LEVEL 4 EMPHASIS ADDED**

Page 15, L4-1, emphasis added, “two front or four feet” now in bold.

## **AUGUST 18, 2025**

### **CLARIFICATION AND MINOR CHANGES**

All instances of “FS” revised to “FRS”.

Pages 4, 7, 11, 14 and 17, added link to playlist of FRS Sample Entries on CRO YouTube channel

### **LEVEL 1 CLARIFICATION AND MINOR CHANGES**

Page 6, L1-7. Stationary Heel/Side Position, duration of at least 2 seconds, clarification, added “with all feet and paws stationary.”

Page 6, L1-9. Position Changes in Heel/Side, clarification, added “This exercise is performed in place without moving forward or backward between position changes.”

Page 7, L1-13. Do a Trick, more examples added, rollover, catch (treat or toy), retrieve.

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Page 7, L1-16. Targeting for Front Position, clarification, dog may stand or sit in Front position. Also underline emphasis added "Begin the exercise by tossing a treat away in any direction."

### **LEVEL 1 CHANGE IN CRITERIA**

Page 7, L1-15. Pivot for Hind End Awareness, exercise may begin with dog's front paws already on the pivot object, showing dog's approach to object is now optional.

### **LEVEL 2 CLARIFICATION AND MINOR CHANGES**

Page 8, L2-3. Voluntary One-Way Eye Contact, clarification, dog looks at handler's eyes / face (not the mirror)

Page 9, L2-6. Dog Circles Handler, further clarification that the use of a lure is optional.

Page 10, L2-12. Walk Around, further clarification that the use of a lure is optional.

Page 10, L2-13. Position Changes at Heel or Side, minor grammatical edits.

### **LEVEL 2 CHANGE IN CRITERIA**

Page 8, L2-3. Voluntary One-Way Eye Contact: marker signal now required, the mark may be verbal, mechanical, visual or tactile.

Page 8, L2-4. The Ready Game: marker signal now required, the mark may be verbal, mechanical, visual or tactile.

Page 9, L2-9. Figure 8 Around the Legs, this exercise must begin with dog "Starting in either Heel or Side position" and "returning to the starting position".

Page 10, L2-14. Pivot 180 into Position, exercise may begin with dog's front paws already on the pivot object, showing dog's approach to object is now optional.

### **LEVEL 3 NO CHANGES**

### **LEVEL 4 CLARIFICATION AND MINOR CHANGES**

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Page 15, L4-4. Schutzhund Turns, emphasis added, "At least 2-3 steps are required leading into and coming out of each exercise."

Page 16, L4-6. Serpentine, L4-7 Spirals, and L4-8 AKC Offset Serpentine, clarification, added "Only a step or two is required for the approach and exit."

Page 17, L4-15. Call Front Sequence and L4-16 Turn Sequence, clarification, added "At least 2-3 steps are required at the start and between exercises."

### **LEVEL 4 - NO CHANGE IN CRITERIA**

#### **OCTOBER 22, 2024**

#### **CLARIFICATION**

Page 2, Entry by Video, "The entire team must be in view for the entire clip (a second or two of head or tail out of frame will not NQ the entry)."

Pages 4, 7, 11 and 14, All Levels 1-4 - Reinforcing and Luring, "platforms and barriers are not permitted (unless they are part of the exercise)".

Page 4, L1-2, heeling will not NQ an entry

Page 5, L1-8, jump with jump bar not allowed

Page 6, L1-16, "accurate" Front position and definition

Pages 7, 11 and 14, Levels 2-4, Reinforcing and Luring, only praising is permitting during an exercise "unless delivering a treat is part of the exercise"

Page 9, L2-15, "handler marks the first step and then reinforces"

Page 11, L3-2, and page 14, L4-1, added examples of targets, "such as a folded towel, small rug, bath mat, low platform."

#### **CHANGE IN CRITERIA**

Page 2, Entry by Video, now two options for numbering and labeling clips,

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#1. Focus and Following L1-2” OR 1. Focus and Following L1-2.

Page 8, L2-9, added, “If starting from Heel or Side, the dog will go between the handler's legs only two times.”

## **JULY 08, 2024**

### **CHANGE IN CRITERIA**

Page 2 - Entry by Video, Labelling clips, the FRS level # and exercise # are both now required.

## **JUNE 22, 2024**

### **CLARIFICATION AND MINOR EDITS**

Page 2 - Entry by Video, clarification on how to number and label clips.

Page 2 - between paragraphs 5 and 6, formatting, line break inserted

Page 3 - paragraph 1, clarification, 30 day window applies to the discount fee, not to retrying after an NQ.

Page 5 - between Exercises 10 and 11, formatting, line break inserted

Page 7, Level 2 Reinforcing and Luring, clarification, target sticks permitted only where luring is permitted.

Pages 8 and 9, L2 Exercises 5, 8, 9, 10, 12, clarification, target sticks permitted only where luring is permitted.

Page 15, L4-13, paragraph rearranged for emphasis and clarification

Page 16 - L4 -15 and 16, formatting, inserted a line break.

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## CHANGE IN CRITERIA

Page 7, L2-1, wait cue now optional

Page 9, L2-12, lure is now optional

Page 11, L3-2, duration now consistent with all other FS exercises with a duration criteria (at least 2 seconds)

Page 16, L4 -15, the last two exercises may be coupled

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