

An illustration of three cartoon dogs standing in a row. The dog on the left is orange and white, the middle one is black, white, and yellow, and the one on the right is light blue and white. Above each dog is a speech bubble. The orange dog's bubble says 'I POOP', the black dog's bubble says 'YOU SCOOP', and the light blue dog's bubble says 'GOT IT?'.

I POOP

**YOU
SCOOP**

GOT IT?



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Dog waste carries harmful microorganisms that can have a major impact on wildlife and the environment, so picking it up is not only good manners, it's the law.



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The 78 million dogs living in the United States create 10 million tons of poop annually – that’s a lot of ick on our lands! And the longer dog waste stays on the ground, the greater contamination becomes. Bacteria, worms and other parasites thrive in waste until it’s washed into the waters.

Picking up our dog’s waste and throwing it out is a small change that can make a big difference in keeping our waters clean.