

# All Bird Clinic of the Palm Beaches

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## Behavior Routine

Each command is to be performed ten times.

- UP** The bird should step up on the “Up” command. If not, you may gently press against the legs or chest, in effect pushing the bird up.
- STAY and UP** Hold one hand up in front of the bird saying, “Stay,” then place other hand in front of the bird, repeating the word “Stay.” Drop the raised hand and use the “Up” command. The bird should step up.
- SHAKE** Touch the bird’s foot saying, “Shake.” The bird should raise the foot.
- WINGS** Repeat the word “Wings” while petting underneath the wings.
- HOOD** Drape a towel over the bird’s head while saying “Hood.”
- HOOD and UP** Drape a towel over the bird’s head while saying, “Hood” and give the “Up” command.
- HOOD and SHAKE** Drape a towel over the bird’s head while saying, “Hood” and give the “Shake” command.
- HOOD, UP and WALK** Drape a towel over the bird’s head while saying, “Hood” and give the “Up” command. With the bird still covered, slowly walk around the room.