The Dangers of Retractable Leashes

- If your dog is too far away from you, you do not have adequate time or space to react quickly and safely when confronted with unexpected or sudden triggers, such as other dogs or squirrels.
- Retractable leashes can cause serious injury to your dog if they run out of line and their neck or body are suddenly jerked.
- Retractable leashes are responsible for many injuries including severe cuts and even amputations.
- Retractable leashes are easy to accidentally drop.
- You are most likely training your dog to pull.
- Cords can easily snap and cause injury or damage.
- The noise of the leash alone when retracted or dropped can cause dogs fear.