Identifying Aggressive Body Language in Dogs

These body language signals indicate that a dog may act aggressively

Freeze, ears back, eyes wide
Wide eyed/whale eye
Showing teeth
Curled lips, tense mouth, growl
Barking and/or growling
Air snap

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