

Reptile and Amphibian History Form

Please complete this form prior to your visit. You may e-mail it back to us in advance, or bring the completed forms with you for your appointment.

We would appreciate if you could e-mail us photographs of your pet's enclosure/cage, or bring photos with you for your pet's exam.

Client: _____ Pet name: _____

Phone number: _____ Sex: Male Female Unknown

Species (please be as specific as possible, i.e. scientific name if known): _____

Identifying marks (e.g. missing tail, broken spines, etc.): _____

When did you acquire this pet? _____

Where did you buy/adopt your pet? _____

Did your pet have any previous owners? For how long? _____

Age at acquisition: _____

Do you know if your pet is (check one): Captive bred Wild caught Farmed Unknown source

Has your pet had any health problems in the past? What were they, and where/how were they treated? _____

Is this animal used for breeding? Yes No If yes, how often? _____

If female, what is her cycling history? _____

Do you have any other reptiles or amphibians in the home? Yes No If yes, describe: _____

Where are they housed, in relation to the pet you are presenting? _____

If you have multiple animals in the same room/enclosure, do you have a quarantine protocol? Yes No

If yes, describe: _____

Enclosure/caging:

What kind of enclosure is this animal housed in? Describe dimensions, cage materials and shape: _____

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What heating devices do you use, and where are they located? Please be as specific as possible (list brand of bulb if applicable): _____

How do you monitor the enclosure temperatures? How many thermometers, and what kind? Where are they located?: _____

Please describe the thermal gradient (how warm is the basking/heating spot, and how cold is the cool end): _____

Do you notice any day-to-night temperature changes, or seasonal temperature changes? _____

What kind of lighting devices do you use? Please be as specific as possible (list brand of bulb if applicable): _____

When was the bulb last changed? _____

How long is/are the light source(s) on during the day? _____

Do you use an electric timer to turn the heat and/or light on/off? Yes No

Do you use a hygrometer to measure humidity? Yes No If yes, is it analog or digital? _____

What is the typical humidity level (in %): _____ Do you use a humidifier, misting system or hand mister? If yes, describe the equipment and change in humidity (in %): _____

Do you provide a humid hide(s)? If yes, describe: _____

Describe the animal's water dish (or other receptacle): _____

What substrate do you use? _____

How often is the substrate cleaned and/or changed? _____

Do you use any cleaning products? If yes, what are they and how often? _____

Does your pet spend any time out of its enclosure (e.g. for exercise, in the bathtub or pool): _____

Aquatic animals:

Do you use a filter? If yes, describe: Yes No _____

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How often is the filter serviced and the filter medium changed? _____

How often is the water changed, and what proportion? _____

How often is the water quality checked, and what kind of kit do you use? _____

Diet and feeding:

What do you feed your pet? Please include approximate proportions in percentage: _____

How often do you feed your pet each item? _____

Do you gut-load insect prey? If yes, what do you use? _____

How is the food stored? _____

When is food offered during the day? _____

Do you use any vitamin or mineral supplements (including calcium)? Yes No If yes, please note which brand/product, how much is used and how often: _____

Recent medical history:

What is the reason for your visit? _____

When did the problem start? _____

Has this problem happened before? If yes, when? _____

Has your pet's activity level changed? Is s/he more or less active than before? _____

Have you noticed any change in appetite? _____

Have you noticed any other change in behaviour? _____

When was your pet's last bowel movement? Was it normal? _____

When did your pet last shed its skin? _____ Was it normal? Yes No