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Small Mammal History/Husbandry Worksheet

Please answer the following questions as accurately as possible. Health problems relating to improper housing and feeding are common among small pets. Your answers will help us recommend any changes that may influence your pet's well being. We will also provide you with a list of our recommendations to consider.

Today's Date: _____ **Your Name:** _____

Pet's Name: _____ **Type of pet:** _____

Has your pet been spayed? _____ Or neutered? _____ When? _____

1. Has your pet had any vaccinations in the past or recently? Yes _____ No _____

If yes, what and when? _____

2. Chief complaint/reason for veterinary visit? _____

3. How long have you had your pet? _____

4. Where did you acquire your pet? _____

5. What type of cage is your pet housed in? (i.e.: aquarium, Plexiglas, wire, wooden) _____

6. Where is the cage located? (i.e.: inside, where in house, outside, other) _____

7. What is in the cage? (i.e.: toys, branches, boxes) _____

8. What type of substrate do you use? (i.e.: shavings, towels, newspaper, kitty litter) _____

9. How often do you clean your pet's cage? What do you use to clean it? _____

10. What do you feed your pet? (people food, treats, supplements) _____

11. Do you give your pet vitamins? What kind? _____

If so, how are they offered and how often? _____

12. Do you have any other pets? Are they housed separately or together? _____

13. Is your pet used to being handled? _____

14. Does your pet ever roam free in the house? _____

15. To your knowledge, does your pet have any history of disease or illness? _____

16. Have you noticed any changes in your pet's behavior, eating or drinking habits, or stools lately? _____

17. Has your pet been on any medications in the past or is it on any now? What medication? _____

Dosage? _____