



# Lifetime Pet Wellness Center

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CHART \_\_\_\_\_ PATIENT \_\_\_\_\_ AGE \_\_\_\_\_ Weight \_\_\_\_\_ OWNER \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Circle the number that applies. If symptom doesn't apply, leave blank. Use (1) for MILD symptoms (occurs once or twice a month), (2) for MODERATE symptoms (occurs several times a month), and (3) for SEVERE symptoms (you are aware of it almost constantly).

### GROUP ONE

- |                                                   |                                                                  |                                             |
|---------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| 1 - <b>1 2 3</b> Dry mouth-eyes-nose              | 2 - <b>1 2 3</b> Keyed up, fails to calm                         | 3 - <b>1 2 3</b> Nervous                    |
| 4 - <b>1 2 3</b> Unable to relax, startles easily | 5 - <b>1 2 3</b> Obsessive compulsive behavior                   | 6 - <b>1 2 3</b> Vomits easily w/excitement |
| 7 - <b>1 2 3</b> Tends toward aggression          | 8 - <b>1 2 3</b> Fear biter                                      | 9 - <b>1 2 3</b> Paws sweat readily         |
| 10 - <b>1 2 3</b> High anxiety                    | 11 - <b>1 2 3</b> Isolates away from family or pets              |                                             |
| 12 - <b>1 2 3</b> Afraid of storms, fireworks     | 13 - <b>1 2 3</b> Cannot adapt easily to changes in home routine |                                             |

### GROUP TWO

- |                                                                     |                                                       |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| 14 - <b>1 2 3</b> Joint stiffness after arising                     | 15 - <b>1 2 3</b> Eyes or nose watery                 |
| 16 - <b>1 2 3</b> Always seems hungry                               | 17 - <b>1 2 3</b> Eats dirt                           |
| 18 - <b>1 2 3</b> Couch potato-like attitude                        | 19 - <b>1 2 3</b> Constipation, diarrhea, alternating |
| 20 - <b>1 2 3</b> Slow starter, slow mover                          | 21 - <b>1 2 3</b> Circulation poor, sensitive to cold |
| 22 - <b>1 2 3</b> Subject to respiratory infection                  | 23 - <b>1 2 3</b> Sleeps more than used to            |
| 24 - <b>1 2 3</b> Not interested in much of anything including food |                                                       |

### GROUP THREE

- (A)
- |                                                  |                                                     |                                    |
|--------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 25 - <b>1 2 3</b> Trembles, episodes of weakness | 26 - <b>1 2 3</b> Seizures                          | 27 - <b>1 2 3</b> Disoriented      |
| 28 - <b>1 2 3</b> Increased water consumption    | 29 - <b>1 2 3</b> Urinating frequently large amount | 30 - <b>1 2 3</b> Hungry often     |
| 31 - <b>1 2 3</b> Change in appearance of eyes   | 32 - <b>1 2 3</b> Weight loss                       | 33 - <b>1 2 3</b> Behavior changes |
- (B)
- |                                      |                                                 |                                             |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| 34 - <b>1 2 3</b> Increased sleeping | 35 - <b>1 2 3</b> Decreased activity level      | 36 - <b>1 2 3</b> Wheat, rice, corn in diet |
| 37 - <b>1 2 3</b> Overweight         | 38 - <b>1 2 3</b> Can not lose weight with diet | 39 - <b>1 2 3</b> Appetite varies           |
| 40 - <b>1 2 3</b> Eats feces         | 41 - <b>1 2 3</b> Passes a lot of gas           |                                             |

### GROUP FOUR

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|-------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| 42 - <b>1 2 3</b> Exercise intolerance                      | 43 - <b>1 2 3</b> Significant loss muscle mass | 44 - <b>1 2 3</b> Fainting, collapse    |
| 45 - <b>1 2 3</b> Cough, especially at rest                 | 46 - <b>1 2 3</b> Disoriented                  | 47 - <b>1 2 3</b> Swelling in rear legs |
| 48 - <b>1 2 3</b> Abdominal enlargement                     | 49 - <b>1 2 3</b> Rear legs tremble, weak      | 50 - <b>1 2 3</b> History of heartworms |
| 51 - <b>1 2 3</b> Difficulty breathing, shortness of breath |                                                |                                         |

### GROUP FIVE

- (A)
- |                                                  |                                                               |                                      |
|--------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 52 - <b>1 2 3</b> On meds over long time         | 53 - <b>1 2 3</b> Stool watery or diarrhea                    | 54 - <b>1 2 3</b> Appears bloated    |
| 55 - <b>1 2 3</b> Recent onset allergies         | 56 - <b>1 2 3</b> Seizures, tremors                           | 57 - <b>1 2 3</b> Change in appetite |
| 58 - <b>1 2 3</b> Stands with back arched        | 59 - <b>1 2 3</b> Elevated cholesterol, lipase, triglycerides |                                      |
| 60 - <b>1 2 3</b> Lethargic, depressed, restless | 61 - <b>1 2 3</b> Frequent anesthetics, multiple surgeries    |                                      |
- (B)
- |                                                  |                                        |                                             |
|--------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| 62 - <b>1 2 3</b> Increased shedding             | 63 - <b>1 2 3</b> Food sensitivities   | 64 - <b>1 2 3</b> Ocular discharge          |
| 65 - <b>1 2 3</b> Red eyes or ears               | 66 - <b>1 2 3</b> Swollen puffy eyes   | 67 - <b>1 2 3</b> Itching or squinting eyes |
| 68 - <b>1 2 3</b> Anal Sac problems              | 69 - <b>1 2 3</b> Rubs at ears or face | 70 - <b>1 2 3</b> Scooting                  |
| 71 - <b>1 2 3</b> Licks or chews at feet or anus | 72 - <b>1 2 3</b> Crusty lip sores     | 73 - <b>1 2 3</b> Red tummy                 |
| 74 - <b>1 2 3</b> General itchiness              | 75 - <b>1 2 3</b> Gas                  | 76 - <b>1 2 3</b> Sporadic vomit/diarrhea   |



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### GROUP SIX

- |                                    |                                    |                                  |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 77 - 1 2 3 Vomits after fatty meal | 78 - 1 2 3 History of pancreatitis | 79 - 1 2 3 Middle-aged female    |
| 80 - 1 2 3 Halitosis               | 81 - 1 2 3 Recurrent diarrhea      | 82 - 1 2 3 Intermittent vomiting |
| 83 - 1 2 3 Pale-colored stool      | 84 - 1 2 3 Rancid odor to stool    | 85 - 1 2 3 Poor coat             |
| 86 - 1 2 3 Stomach distress common |                                    |                                  |

### GROUP SEVEN

- (A)
- 87 - 1 2 3 Hyperactive  
88 - 1 2 3 Weight loss  
89 - 1 2 3 Increased skin temperature  
90 - 1 2 3 Racing heart
- (B)
- |                                       |                                              |                                |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 91 - 1 2 3 Increased shedding         | 92 - 1 2 3 Thinning, sparse coat, bald spots | 93 - 1 2 3 Warts               |
| 94 - 1 2 3 Dry, scaly skin            | 95 - 1 2 3 Oily, greasy coat                 | 96 - 1 2 3 Weak pulse          |
| 97 - 1 2 3 Elevated blood cholesterol | 98 - 1 2 3 Cold intolerant, likes warm       | 99 - 1 2 3 Fatty tumors        |
| 100 - 1 2 3 Depression, mentally dull | 101 - 1 2 3 Exercise intolerant              | 102 - 1 2 3 Back/neck problems |
| 103 - 1 2 3 Increased pigment to skin | 104 - 1 2 3 Obese or can't lose weight       | 105 - 1 2 3 Stiff gait         |
| 106 - 1 2 3 Dry eyes, change in eyes  | 107 - 1 2 3 Weak knee ligaments              |                                |
- (C)
- 108 - 1 2 3 Failing memory  
109 - 1 2 3 Abnormal thirst  
110 - 1 2 3 Weight gain around rear end  
111 - 1 2 3 Neutered male retains sexual activity  
112 - 1 2 3 Abnormal heat cycles of intact females  
113 - 1 2 3 Intact female: no heat cycle
- (D)
- |                                           |                                  |                                  |
|-------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 114 - 1 2 3 Excessive water consumption   | 115 - 1 2 3 Increased urination  | 116 - 1 2 3 Abnormal urination   |
| 117 - 1 2 3 Thin skin                     | 118 - 1 2 3 Panting all the time | 119 - 1 2 3 Respiratory distress |
| 120 - 1 2 3 Lethargic                     | 121 - 1 2 3 Change in behavior   | 122 - 1 2 3 Pacing               |
| 123 - 1 2 3 Muscles weak                  | 124 - 1 2 3 Distended abdomen    | 125 - 1 2 3 Weak knees           |
| 126 - 1 2 3 Decline in arthritic symptoms |                                  |                                  |
- (E)
- |                                                |                        |                        |
|------------------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| 127 - 1 2 3 Weakness                           | 128 - 1 2 3 Depression | 129 - 1 2 3 Slow heart |
| 130 - 1 2 3 Intermittent anorexia              | 131 - 1 2 3 Weak pulse | 132 - 1 2 3 Collapse   |
| 133 - 1 2 3 Intermittent vomiting and diarrhea |                        |                        |

### GROUP EIGHT

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|-------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| 134 - 1 2 3 Older dog                           | 135 - 1 2 3 Difficulty getting up and down        |
| 136 - 1 2 3 History of knee or hip surgery      | 137 - 1 2 3 Arthritic, degenerative joint disease |
| 138 - 1 2 3 Back or disc problems               | 139 - 1 2 3 Losing muscle tone in legs or back    |
| 140 - 1 2 3 Has had ligaments damaged           | 141 - 1 2 3 Healing fracture in body              |
| 142 - 1 2 3 Bone spurs or enlarged joints       | 143 - 1 2 3 Suffering from a sprain or strain     |
| 144 - 1 2 3 Rapidly accumulates tartar on teeth |                                                   |



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### GROUP NINE

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|------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 145 - <b>1 2 3</b> Abnormal/frequent urination | 146 - <b>1 2 3</b> History of bladder infections  | 147 - <b>1 2 3</b> Kidney disease |
| 148 - <b>1 2 3</b> Licking at penis or vulva   | 149 - <b>1 2 3</b> History of bladder stones      | 150 - <b>1 2 3</b> Leaking urine  |
| 151 - <b>1 2 3</b> Painful urination           | 152 - <b>1 2 3</b> Wants to go outside more often |                                   |

### GROUP TEN

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|---------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 153 - <b>1 2 3</b> Increased shedding             | 154 - <b>1 2 3</b> Itching                              | 155 - <b>1 2 3</b> Red bumps to skin |
| 156 - <b>1 2 3</b> Scabs or crusts to skin        | 157 - <b>1 2 3</b> Dandruff, flaking                    | 158 - <b>1 2 3</b> Body or ear odor  |
| 159 - <b>1 2 3</b> Skin crawls                    | 160 - <b>1 2 3</b> Poor fur quality                     | 161 - <b>1 2 3</b> Sores on skin     |
| 162 - <b>1 2 3</b> Changed skin appearance        | 163 - <b>1 2 3</b> Frequent infections                  | 164 - <b>1 2 3</b> Rubs at ears      |
| 165 - <b>1 2 3</b> Moisture under front/rear legs | 166 - <b>1 2 3</b> Goopy ears                           | 167 - <b>1 2 3</b> Shakes head       |
| 168 - <b>1 2 3</b> Repeatedly taken prednisone    | 169 - <b>1 2 3</b> Odor that returns shortly after bath |                                      |

### IMPORTANT

TO THE OWNER: Please list below the five main physical and or health complaints for this pet in order of their importance:

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_

**OTHER COMMENTS YOU WOULD LIKE TO MAKE:**