

Rocky Point Animal Hospital



Reptile Husbandry Form

Please answer the following questions to the best of your ability. If you are unsure of an answer or do not know an answer, please put that down. Husbandry and nutritional issues are very common in exotic animals. Answering these questions will help your veterinary team recommend, if needed, any changes to improve your pet's health.

Today's Date: _____

Client Name: _____

Pet's Name: _____

Age: _____

Sex: _____ How was this confirmed (DNA sexing, egg laying)? _____

Spayed or Neutered? _____

1) How long have you had your pet? _____

2) Where did you acquire your pet? _____

3) Is your pet captive bred or wild caught? _____

4) OTHER PETS:

Are there any other pets in the household, if so, please list how many and what type?

Are any of your pets housed together, or do they come into direct contact with each other?

Does your pet come into contact with other animals that are not part of your household (Pet

Store, boarding, shows etc)? If so, where and when? _____

5) HOUSING:

What type of enclosure is your animal housed in (aquarium, wooden, wire), please describe in detail?

List what is in the cage (branches, hides, water bowls etc)? _____

What type of substrate (repti carpet, bark, mulch etc): _____

What type of lights do you have? _____

Do you have a UVB light bulb? _____ When was it last changed? _____

How do you keep the cage warm? _____

What is the temperature range in your enclosure?

Cold Side _____ °F; Basking Area _____ °F; Warm Side _____ °F; Humidity _____%

Where is the cage located in your house?

8) Percent of time your pet spends:

Confined in cage ____ Out without supervision _____ Out under direct supervision _____

9) DIET:

What type of food and how often do you feed your reptile?

Do you gut load? _____ **Yes** _____ **No**

Do you use any vitamin or mineral supplements? If so, what brand, type, and how often?

How much do you feed your pet?

How often do you feed your pet?

10) HUSBANDRY:

How often and how long do you soak your reptile? _____

Does your pet shed normally (all in one piece)? _____ **Yes** _____ **No**

If not, please describe: _____

How often do you clean your pet's enclosure?

If applicable, how often do you do water changes? _____

What do you use to clean your pets enclosure? _____

Have there been any changes in your pets environment in the past 6 months?

11) Have you noticed any recent changes in your pet's normal behavior, such as change in appetite, stool production, or temperament?

12) Does your pet have any chronic health conditions? If so, please list them? _____

13) Has your pet ever been reproductively active? _____

14) Is your pet currently or has your pet in the past ever been on any medications? If so, please list what type and reason for administration. _____

15) Does your pet have any current problems or new changes you are concerned with? If so, please explain. _____

Please provide pictures of your enclosure or other relevant information