New Patient Form – Aquatic Turtles

HISTORY

Name: Species: Age: Sex:

How do you know your pet's gender?

Where did you get your pet?

When?

Has your pet been to a vet before?

Where?

Any prior medical concerns?

Do you have any medical records?

Is your pet on any medications?

HABITAT

What kind of habitat do they live in?

Where in the home is it located?

Size?

What is the top covered with? Is there any kind of substrate?

How often is it cleaned, and with what?

How much water is available for swimming?

What is the water source (ex: bottled, tap, etc.)?
How often is it changed, what percent each time?
Is there a filter system?
What kind of filter system? (ie canister filter vs leads)

What kind of filter system? (ie canister filter vs biofilter) How many gallons is it rated for?

Any water additives / dechlorinators used?

Is there access to a dry basking area?

Basking temperature?

What is in the enclosure with your pet?

Hides?

Plants (real or artificial)?

If real, what kind?

Other "furniture" or decorations?

What type of light source(s) are used?

Do you provide UVA? Do you provide UVB? How often is it replaced? Where is lighting positioned?

New Patient Form – Aquatic Turtles

What time is it turned on/off?

What type of heat source is used?

Lamp:

Does it also provide light? How often is it replaced? Where is it positioned?

Underwater heater?

What barrier is between the heater and the pet? Is the heat source ever turned off for any amount of time?

What is the typical water temperature?

How is the temperature monitored?

DIET

Do you feed in enclosure or in a separate feeding tank?

What is being fed?

Live prey:

Type?

Amount and frequency?

Veggies:

Type?

Amount and frequency?

Pellets / Commercial diet:

Type?

Amount and frequency?

Anything else?

Any supplements? (Ex: Calcium, multivitamin, etc.)

Type amount and frequency of each? How is it provided?

ENRICHMENT

Does your pet spend time outside of their habitat?

How often and for how long? Inside or outside? Are they ever allowed to roam unsupervised?

Does your pet interact with any other animals? What kind?

Is your pet routinely handled and by who?