



# Ferret Questionnaire

*Please fill out as much of the information below as possible.  
A full background is essential in helping us work toward the diagnosis of any problem.*

Appointment date \_\_\_\_\_ Owner's name \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone numbers \_\_\_\_\_

## Pet Information

Pet's name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Color \_\_\_\_\_  
Sex \_\_\_\_\_ Spayed/neutered? \_\_\_\_\_ Place of acquisition \_\_\_\_\_ Age at acquisition \_\_\_\_\_  
Problem(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## Cage Information

Dimensions and type of cage \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Is the floor solid or wire? \_\_\_\_\_

Is your ferret kept indoors or outdoors? \_\_\_\_\_

What bedding materials do you use? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Does your ferret have free access around the house? \_\_\_\_\_

What kind of toys does your ferret have? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Any cage mates? \_\_\_\_\_

Any other pets in the household? \_\_\_\_\_

What type of product do you use to clean the cage? How often? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Do you bathe your ferret? If yes, how often and with what? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## Diet

What and how much does your ferret eat? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Where do you buy the food? \_\_\_\_\_

How often do you feed and/or replace uneaten food? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you give any supplements (e.g., vitamins/minerals), treats, or table food? How often? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you use a bowl or bottle for water? \_\_\_\_\_

How often is the water changed? \_\_\_\_\_

## Health

Any previous illnesses? \_\_\_\_\_

How long has your ferret been ill? \_\_\_\_\_

Any other ferrets/pets affected or ill? \_\_\_\_\_

Any new ferrets introduced in the past six months? \_\_\_\_\_

Has your ferret been vaccinated for distemper and/or rabies? If yes, when? \_\_\_\_\_

Has there been any change of food or water (type or source)? \_\_\_\_\_

Any signs of weight loss? \_\_\_\_\_

Any decrease in activity level? \_\_\_\_\_

Any change in appetite? \_\_\_\_\_

Any change in water consumption? \_\_\_\_\_

Any increase in urine production or straining to urinate? \_\_\_\_\_

Any episodes of collapse? \_\_\_\_\_

Any signs of increased salivation? \_\_\_\_\_

Any coughing/sneezing? \_\_\_\_\_

Any vomiting/regurgitation? \_\_\_\_\_

Any diarrhea? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you noticed any new lumps or bumps on your ferret? \_\_\_\_\_

Any signs of hair loss or itchiness/skin rashes? \_\_\_\_\_

Any difficulty breathing or discharge from the eyes or nose? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you treated your ferret with any medications? If so, what and from where? \_\_\_\_\_

Has your pet had access to any potential toxins, for example toys or paint that may contain zinc/lead, toxic plants, rubber chew toys, etc.? \_\_\_\_\_