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Reptile History/Husbandry Worksheet

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

Today's date: _____

Your Name: _____

Reptile's Name: _____

Type of reptile (common name or genus/species): _____

1. How long have you had your reptile?
2. Where did you obtain your reptile?
3. If known, is it captive bred or wild caught?
4. What kind of cage is your reptile housed in? (i.e.: aquarium, wooden, plexiglass)
5. What objects are in the cage? (i.e.: branches, lights, hide box, water bowl)
6. What kind of substrate is used in the cage? (i.e.: newspaper, gravel, shavings, corn cob, indoor/outdoor carpet, reptile bark)
7. How do you keep the cage warm? (i.e.: hot rock, heating pad, heating tape, lights)
8. What is the temperature range of the cage? Do you use a thermometer (single/multiple)? Where are they located?
9. Do you have any other supplemental light source for the cage? (ie: UVB source)

10. What, and how often, do you feed your reptile? What do you feed the prey items prior to feeding them? If insects fed, are they dusted or gut loaded prior to feeding?

11. Do you use any vitamin/mineral supplements? What kind? How often?

12. Do you have more than one reptile? If so, are they housed separately or together?

13. To your knowledge, is there any history of illness or injury?