

# REPTILE CARE QUESTIONNAIRE

**Most reptile illness is caused by problems with their diet or environment. To help the doctor properly treat your pet, please provide the following information in as much detail as possible.**

Your pet's name \_\_\_\_\_ Species \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you owned your pet? \_\_\_\_\_

How old is your pet? \_\_\_\_\_

What is your pet's housing? Check ALL that apply: 1) Roams in the house \_\_\_\_\_

2) Confined in cage with solid sides and solid top \_\_\_\_\_

3) Confined in cage with screen sides or screen top (or an open top) \_\_\_\_\_

Approx. cage dimensions: Length \_\_\_\_\_ Width \_\_\_\_\_ Height \_\_\_\_\_

What bedding is used? \_\_\_\_\_

How is water provided? \_\_\_\_\_

What is your pet's lighting? Check all that apply: 1) Reptile fluorescent tube (UV-B):

18 inches long \_\_\_\_\_ 24 inches \_\_\_\_\_ 48 inches \_\_\_\_\_ Compact UV coil \_\_\_\_\_ 2) Incandescent

(screw type) heat bulb \_\_\_\_\_ 3) Mercury Vapor bulb \_\_\_\_\_ 4) Room lighting only \_\_\_\_\_

Brand(s) of lights used? \_\_\_\_\_

How far is the light from your pet? \_\_\_\_\_

Is there glass or plastic between the light and the pet? \_\_\_\_\_

How old are the lights? \_\_\_\_\_

Does your pet hide in a dark place during the day? \_\_\_\_\_

How long is light provided daily (day length)? \_\_\_\_\_

What heat sources are used for your pet? Heating pad \_\_\_\_\_ Hot rock \_\_\_\_\_

Bright heat lamp \_\_\_\_\_ Dark heat lamp (purple or ceramic coated) \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

What is the air temperature in your pet's environment? \_\_\_\_\_

How do you measure the temperature? Mercury thermometer \_\_\_\_\_ Dial thermometer (rotating hand) \_\_\_\_\_

Color strip thermometer \_\_\_\_\_ Digital thermometer \_\_\_\_\_ Infrared gun \_\_\_\_\_ None \_\_\_\_\_

What do you feed your pet? Please list all food items: \_\_\_\_\_

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If insects are used as food, are they fed any supplements first? If so, what is fed?

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Do you use any vitamin or mineral supplements for your reptile? \_\_\_\_\_

If so, list the brand(s) and how much is used \_\_\_\_\_

List any animals your pet has contact with: \_\_\_\_\_

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