

Warranwood Veterinary Centre

The Best of Care for People and their Pets

HOSPITAL REGISTRATION FORM FOR YOUR SNAKE

To assist us in keeping your snake healthy, please complete this form and, if necessary, use the additional space on the back of the pages. Please answer as many of the questions as possible.

Owner's name.....

Address.....

..... Postcode..... Telephone no.....

Name of snake..... Date of acquisition/Purchase/How long have you had snake?

Species Age Sex.....

Source: Pet shop(name?) Friend Breeder Other (give details)

Do you keep other reptiles?

If so, please give details of their type, sex, date of acquisition and any problems they have had recently.

What other pets do you have?

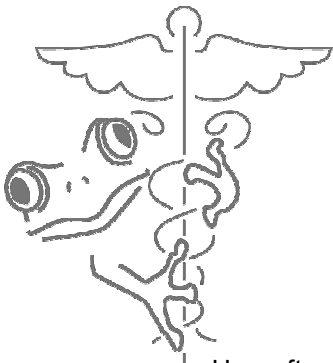
Your snake's environment

Is the snake confined in a vivarium or at times allowed to be carried/wander in the house?

Is the snake housed alone? If not, **list** all other reptiles in the enclosure & **how long** they have been together.

How is the room/house heated e.g. centrally by radiators, storage heaters, ducted warm air?

Describe any changes in household since you acquired your snake.



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Size and type of cage

Please describe the cage and its **dimensions**, and **draw a plan** on the back of this page. Perhaps you have a photograph that we may have.

How often do you check the cage?

How is the cage cleaned? How often? With What?

Substrate (material on the bottom on the enclosure)

What is the cage substrate- material on bottom of cage (type and depth)?

How often is the substrate changed?

Hides

What is the cage furniture e.g. hide box, climbing branches, rocks? Include these in the cage plan.

How often are these cleaned and how?

Heat sources

Describe the heating of the vivarium.

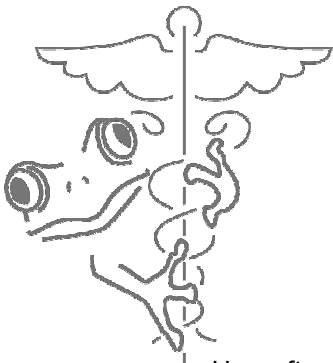
Are there thermometers and, if so, where are they positioned?

Lighting

Describe the lighting, including UV and access to natural (NOT through glass or Perspex) sunlight.

How long is your snake kept in the light (both natural and artificial)?

What is the *temperature gradient* (**lowest to highest temperature range**) of the enclosure (NOT just what thermostat set at), if known?



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Water

What is the water source and where is it in the cage?

How often is the water changed?

Your snake

How often do you check your snake?

How often is your snake handled?

Reproduction

What is your snake's breeding history? Does it display sexual activity?

If female, has your snake laid eggs? If so, when and how many?

Food

What diet do you feed & how often? Is the food fed live or frozen/thawed?
Indicate the percentage of the diet that each item occupies.

List any supplements, vitamins, minerals, tonics, medicines, probiotics etc. Are these given in food or in water?

How long have you fed this diet?

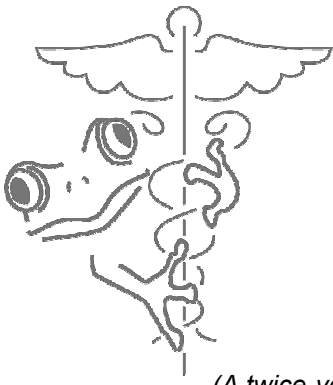
What was the previous diet?

What is your snake's favourite food?

When was the last feed? (List the last few feeding dates, if possible)

Skin

Describe the skin shedding. When was the last skin shed?



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Medical history

When was the last faecal examination done on this snake? Detail any worming dates & drugs.

(A twice-yearly faecal examination is recommended)

Has your snake had a Health Screen performed (blood examination)? If so, please detail.
(We recommended yearly blood screens)

Who are the veterinary surgeons that have previously treated your snake?

List all past medical problems, including dates and medications.

Detail the current problem (duration, treatments etc) – ie why you are here!

How long has the problem been going on? Is it getting **worse/better/same**?

Is there anything else that you think is important for us to know?

THANK YOU FOR FILLING OUT THIS DETAILED FORM!

Please note that payment is required at time of consultation

Payment Method (Please circle):
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