

Amphibian History Form

Name or identification _____

Species _____

Age _____

Origin wild caught captive bred unknown

Sex female male unknown

How long have you owned? _____

Chief Complaint

What is the primary reason you have brought your amphibian here today?

When did the problem or signs begin?

How long has the problem or signs lasted? Have the problem or signs changed in any way?

Have any medications been given or treatments attempted?

Have there been health problems in the past?

Collection

Do you own other amphibians? If so, please describe the number of animals and the species housed.

Have there been any recent introductions?

Has the amphibian presented today had contact with other animals, particularly in the last 30 days?

Environment

What is the cage type? terrestrial (land-dwelling) arboreal (tall, climbing)
 semi-aquatic aquatic

What is the cage size?

The cage is made of... glass plastic/fiberglass metal wood

How is ventilation provided?

What is the cage substrate (what is used to line the bottom of the cage)?

List all cage furniture and accessories?

What cage cleaning methods are used?

What is the frequency of cleaning?

What is the temperature gradient or range?

Are there heat sources?

What is the humidity (high and low)?

What light sources are provided?

Is full-spectrum lighting used?

How old are the full-spectrum lights? How often are they changed?

How many hours of light are provided daily? How many hours of dark per day?

How are the heat and light source(s) placed relative to the thermometer(s)?

Have any pesticides, aerosol sprays, or chemicals been used in the immediate vicinity of the amphibian environment?

Water Quality

What is the water source? city water or local well bottled water
 distilled water reverse-osmosis

For city or well water, how are chlorine or chloramines removed?

- aeration (aging) agitation
- activated charcoal filtration
- chemical treatments _____

What is the frequency of water changes?

How often are filters cleaned or changed?

Is the water heated? yes no

If yes, what is the water temperature range?

Is any type of water testing done? yes no

If yes, please provide latest results here:

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| pH | _____ | Ammonia | _____ |
| Nitrite | _____ | Alkalinity | _____ |
| Nitrate | _____ | Hardness | _____ |
| Dissolved O2 | _____ | | |

Nutrition

What is the diet? (What is offered and what is eaten?)

How long are prey items kept in with the animal?

Where are food items obtained?

Please describe the type and frequency of supplementation

What is the frequency and timing of feeding?

When did the animal last eat?

Please describe appetite or eating habits

Where is food purchased?

If live prey is offered, what care is provided?

For non-aquatic species, how is water provided?

Miscellaneous

How often is the animal handled?

Has the animal gone through brumation (hibernation)?

What breeding practices are utilized?

Have there been in recent changes in diet, environment, or husbandry?