



Tooth or Consequence!



Information on Dental Procedures

Does your pet have BAD BREATH? Guess what - right now your pet probably has dental disease that is destroying the tissue and bone supporting the teeth!



A COHAT stands for Comprehensive Oral Health Assessment & Treatment, and is key to keeping your pet's mouth healthy. Periodontal disease is the single greatest cause of health problems in animals, and is often present in most pets by age 3! If left untreated, dental disease is a key factor in the development of heart, kidney and liver problems, as dangerous bacteria spread to your pet's vital organs.



A Dental Exam should be part of a regular check up, so your Vet can recognize loose or fractured teeth, resorptive lesions, gingivitis, infection or masses in the mouth. However, what you can see on your pet's teeth are just the most visible and obvious problems, as most dental pathology is hidden beneath the gumline. A COHAT, which includes radiographs (an important tool in determining severity of disease), charting, scaling & polishing of all teeth, with extraction of any diseased or broken ones, is the best method to treat Dental Disease and get your pet's mouth in 'tip-top' shape. This should be followed up with an at-home maintenance routine, which can be accomplished with brushing, special treats, diets and water additives.

Because, in animals—just like in people—good oral health is conducive to overall health and quality of life.

FELINE BASE FEE

\$330.00

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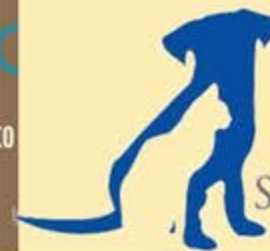
\$380.00

What is involved in a COHAT?

- a detailed oral examination/assessment
- intra-oral radiographs to evaluate the health of the jaw and tooth roots
- full charting & measuring of teeth & gums
- scaling to remove plaque & tartar (above and below gumline) and polishing to smooth enamel
- oral surgery/extractions if required

What is included in the Base Fee?

- individualized anaesthetic protocol
- pre-anaesthetic bloodwork and IV fluid therapy to maintain a healthy blood pressure
- full mouth Radiographs
- full assessment, scale and polish
- constant monitoring of anaesthesia and vital signs by a qualified RVT
- a recheck 10-14 days post-op
- ** NOT INCLUDED: fees for Extractions, dental surgery and post-op Pain relief medications **



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