

CANINE SENIOR QUESTIONNAIRE

MOBILITY / HEART / LUNGS

- DECREASE IN PLAY; SLOWER DURING WALKS
- SHAKING OF HIND LIMBS WHEN STANDING
- DIFFICULTY ON HARD SURFACES, SLIPPING
- STRUGGLING TO GET UP AFTER LYING DOWN
- CROSSING HIND LEGS WHEN STANDING
- DRAGGING OF PAWS WHEN WALKING
- HESITANT WITH STEPS; SLOWER MOVING UP AND DOWN STEPS
- LIMBS SEEM STIFF; NO LONGER BENDING KNEES WELL WHEN WALKING
- LAMENESS; LIMPING
- LICKING OF JOINTS; LICKING ON TOP OF PAWS
- RAPID BREATHING EVEN WHEN RESTING
- HEAVY PANTING AFTER ACTIVITY; HARD TO CATCH BREATH
- COUGHING MORE; HACKING
- TIRES EASILY WITH ACTIVITY

A SENIOR IS DETERMINED BY ANY CANINE OVER THE AGE OF 7. AS OUR FURRY FAMILY MEMBERS AGE, THEY CAN DEVELOP THE SAME GERIATRIC CONDITIONS THAT HUMANS DO. BY FILLING OUT THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONNAIRE, WE CAN HELP YOUR DOG LIVE THE BEST QUALITY OF LIFE POSSIBLE.

BEHAVIORAL / NEUROLOGIC / SKIN

- CONFUSION OR DISORIENTATION; STARING AT WALLS; STANDING IN CORNERS
- PRESSING HEAD AGAINST WALLS
- BARKING OR HOWLING WITHOUT REASON
- LESS INTERACTION WITH THE FAMILY
- CHANGES IN SLEEP PATTERN; HEAVY SLEEPING
- PACING; WANDERING AT NIGHT
- INCREASED IRRITABILITY OR AGGRESSION TO OTHER PET HOUSEMATES OR FAMILY MEMBERS
- CIRCLING OR REPETITIVE MOVEMENTS

BODY FUNCTIONS

- BAD BREATH OR DROOLING
- DIFFICULTY CHEWING; BECOMING MESSY WHEN EATING
- INCREASED APPETITE; BEGGING; STEALING FOOD
- INCREASE IN THIRST; BEGGING FOR WATER; DRINKING OUT OF THE TOILET
- DECREASE IN APPETITE; FINICKY EATER (NEEDS VARIETY)
- INCREASE IN URINATION; WANTING TO GO OUT MORE
- HAVING FECAL OR URINE ACCIDENTS IN HOUSE
- VOMITING / DIARRHEA
- WEIGHT LOSS; MUSCLE LOSS
- WEIGHT GAIN
- NOTICEABLE DECREASE IN VISION
- NOTICEABLE DECREASE IN HEARING