



## Capri Plaza Pet Clinic - Chicken Exam Questions

### REASON FOR TODAY'S VISIT

**If for illness or injury, please include date first noticed, changes observed during the problem, methods of treatment used (if any), and any other important, pertinent details.**

### Has your chicken been (having):

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|---|---------------------------------|
| Polyphagia (Eating more)                                    | Change in voice                 |
| Anorexia (Eating less)                                      | Sleepy                          |
| Coprophagy (Eating droppings) Polydipsia<br>(Drinking more) | Weak                            |
| Drinking less   | Puffed                          |
| Vomiting (active)   | Uncoordinated                   |
| Regurgitating (passive)                                     | Abnormal posture                |
| Diarrhea  | Known external wounds, bleeding |
| Smaller droppings   | Does less talking               |
| Larger droppings  | playing                         |
| Change in color or appearance of droppings                  | singing                         |
| Change in odor of droppings                                 | Does more biting                |
| Polyuria (Having larger urine puddles)                      | chewing                         |
| Straining (to pass droppings or eggs)                       | vocalizing                      |
| Sneezing  | Alpha bird                      |
| Nasal discharge   | Labored breathing               |
|   | Wheezing                        |

**PAST HISTORY**

**Please list briefly any previous health problems, including when they were noticed and when and how they were resolved:**

**Has your chicken been vaccinated?      When? \_\_\_\_\_ For what diseases? \_\_\_\_\_**

**Current ongoing condition(s) and medications (name, dose, frequency)?**

**Date of last fecal parasite test and results:**

**Ectoparasite preventative (what& when)?**

**DIET    \_\_\_\_\_Pellets    \_\_\_\_\_Crumble    \_\_\_\_\_Mash    \_\_\_\_\_Scratch**

**Level    \_\_\_\_\_Layer    \_\_\_\_\_Grower    \_\_\_\_\_Starter**

**Vegetables: (Please list):**

**Fruits:(Please list):**

**Nuts:(Please list):**

**Other treats:(Please list):**

**Human foods:(Please list):**

**Medications and supplements: (Please specify dose and frequency)**

**Gender:** Male Female Unknown Not sure, but probably based on behavior/appearance

**How old is your bird? Length of time in household?**

**Has this bird had previous other homes?**

**Where did you obtain your bird from?**

Pet Store (which one?) Breeder Private party Rescue group Found Gift Other

**How many birds are in the household?**

**How many birds are in the same enclosure?**

**Any other sick birds?**

**Other pets or livestock?**

**Females only: Has this bird ever laid eggs before? If yes: Any history of egg problems? If yes, describe.^**

**Is your bird intended for breeding?**

**How many clutches of eggs in the past year?**

**Total?**

**When was the last clutch?**

**Is there a mate or mate substitute present?**

**Does the bird have a nest box and nesting materials?**

**Is there nesting activity?**

**Housing: Does chicken have access to entire house?**

Indoor Outdoor Both Yard

**Environment exposed to any wildlife/insects? What kind?**

**Exposure to direct sunlight?**

(not through glass/plexiglass/plastic) Free roam? Chicken coop?^ Other special quarters?

Do they have a dust bath/sand pit? \_\_\_\_\_

What material?

How often is it changed?

What kind of substrate is it on?

**Housing: Does bird have access to entire house?**

Indoor   Outdoor   Both            (% indoor/outdoor)

**Exposure to direct sunlight? (not through glass/plexiglass/plastic)**

Cage    Outdoor aviary?    Playstand/foraging tree?

**What kind of perches?**    Dowel rods    Branches    Cement    Sandpaper

**What kind of toys/enrichment items are in the cage?**

Swing    Mirror    Acrylic toys    Rope toys    Shreddable    Foraging    Other

**Do you take your chickens anywhere other than here?**

Pet Store (Which?)    Chicken Club    Friend/relative's house with chickens, Boarding (Where?)

**Is your chicken exposed to, or have access to:**

Insecticides (ant, flea, roach, mosquito)

Heavy metals (lead, zinc)

Cigarette smoke

Disinfectants, hair spray

Mite protector

Teflon (heaters, pans, etc.)

**Grooming:**

Are your chicken's wings trimmed?

When was the last grooming?

Was it done here? (If not, by whom?)

When was the last molt?

How often does your chicken molt?

Have you noticed more feathers on the cage bottom?

Have you noticed any changes in the appearance of the feathers?

Have you noticed any feather picking or feather damaging behavior?

If yes, where on the body and for how long? ^