

**CDS (Cognitive Dysfunction Syndrome)
Diagnostic Aid
SENIOR DOG BEHAVIOR HISTORY FORM**

This checklist is intended to help facilitate the diagnosis of CDS and document a patient's behavior changes. If a dog (7+ years of age) shows signs in one or more categories, CDS should be considered and a complete physical and brief neurological examination completed.*

Client Name: _____ Patient Breed/Sex: _____

Patient Name: _____ Patient Birth Date: _____

	Visit 1	Visit 2	Visit 3	Visit 4	Visit 5	Visit 6
DATE (month/day/year)						
Disorientation**						
Wanders aimlessly						
Appears lost or confused in house or yard						
Gets "stuck" in corners, or under/behind furniture						
Stares into space or at walls						
Has difficulty finding door; stands at hinge side of door; stands at wrong door to go outside						
Does not recognize familiar people						
Does not respond to verbal cues or name						
Appears to forget reason for going outdoors						
Interaction with Family Members						
Solicits attention less often						
Is less likely to stand/lie for petting (walks away)						
Is less enthusiastic upon greeting						
No longer greets owners (once dog is aware owners have arrived)						
Sleep and Activity						
Sleeps more (overall) in a 24-hour day						
Sleeps less during the night						
Shows decrease in purposeful activity in a 24-hour day						
Shows increase in aimless activity (wanders, paces) in a 24-hour day						
Houstraining***						
Urinates indoors (indicate # incidents per week)						
Defecates indoors (indicate # incidents per week)						
Urinates or defecates indoors in view of owners						
Urinates or defecates indoors soon after being outside						
Signals less often to go outside****						

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IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

Mild to moderate side effects may include vomiting, diarrhea, loss of appetite or changes in behavior. Dog owners are encouraged to consult their veterinarian before using ANIPRYL with other medications, including Clomicalm® (clomipramine) and Reconcile™ (fluoxetine), or with tick collars. Dog owners are also encouraged to contact their veterinarian if they notice anything unusual in their dog's appearance or behavior. Refer to the full prescribing information located on the back of this form or visit our Website at www.CDSinDogs.com for complete details.

*These can be supplemented, as appropriate, with diagnostic laboratory screening to identify other unrelated medical conditions that may be contributing to the clinical signs. Primary behavior problems such as separation anxiety may also be seen in older patients. If other behavior problems are suspected, consultation with a veterinary behaviorist is suggested.

**The contribution of vision or hearing loss to behavior problems should be considered upon chronicity; normal-aging (non-CDS) dogs tend to compensate for reduced vision or hearing.

***For dogs previously houstrained.

****For dogs that previously signaled (asked) to go outside.



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