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Chapter 12 - Lesson 7
Dietary Management of Small Animals

Questions

1. Name the two areas where nutrition and disease interact?

2. What is the most important “malnutrition” problem in pet dogs and cats?

3. Imbalances in which two minerals and one fat soluble vitamin can cause bone and skeleton problems in growing puppies and kittens?

4. What nutrients need to be decreased in an animal with chronic renal disease?

5. What are the important dietary aspects for the prevention of feline lower urinary tract disease?

6. What three factors are most important in matching the diet with insulin injections in a diabetic dog?

7. How long can it sometimes take a diet-induced skin rash to clear up when feeding an elimination diet?

8. Why are nutritional requirements of sick animals often greater than healthy ones?