



Behavioral Questionnaire:

Where did you get this cat?

- Friend_____
- Shelter_____
- Breeder_____
- Stray_____
- Pet store_____
- Classified ads_____
- Pound_____
- Other_____

Why did you choose this particular breed or cat?

How old was this cat when you first acquired it?

If known:

1. How many littermates? Males? Females?
2. Why did you choose this cat over the other littermates? Please be specific and tell us who chose the cat and why?

Why did you choose the particular sex you did?

Describe your cat's behavior as a kitten:

Describe your cat's behavior in general now:

Do you have any news or information about littermate behavior? If yes, please describe:

Has this cat had previous owners?
If yes, how many?

Why was this cat given up?

Have you owned cats before? Please tell me about the experience:

Have you owned other pet's before? Please describe the experience:

What happened to your last cat?

Medical History:

At what age was your cat spayed/neutered?

Were there any behavior changes noted after the surgery?

Has this cat ever been bred?

Are you planning to breed if not spayed from above question?

If she's intact when was she last in season?

If she has had a litter, was she a good mother?

Does your cat carry toy or objects around in its mouth?

Is your cat on any preventative medication such as heartworm, flea and parasite prevention?

If yes, please list all medications, dosage and frequency administered.
(Revolution, Advantage, frontline)

Does your cat have any current or recurring medical issues? (Describe)

Is your cat on medication or supplements now for any of the above medical issues? (cortisone, antibiotics, pain medication, joint supplements, vitamins)

Please list all, give the dose and the frequency you give the medication:

Has your cat taken medication recently for any recent issue?

If yes, please list and give dose and frequency and when completed:

Diet and Feeding:

Who feeds the cat?

Where is the cat fed?

Why do you feed your cat there?

Does your cat eat all the food at once?

If not, how long do you leave it down?

What is your cat's favorite food treat?

Any inter-cat issues that occur around mealtime? Any issues occur around mealtime? Please describe.

Home Environment:

Please list all people living in your home and not if they are coming to the consultation.

NAME	OCCUPATION	HRS AWAY FROM HOME	AGE

Please list all of the animals, including the one here today, in your household.

Name	Species	Breed	Spayed/neutered	Age obtained	Age now

Please list the order you acquired each animal above:

What is your cat's relationship to the other animals? Any particular ones causing hostility? Any particular ones friendly with? Describe in as much detail as possible.

What type of area do you live in?

- City
- Rural
- Semi-rural or city

What type of house do you live in?

- Apartment- one bedroom
- Townhouse
- House
- Duplex
- Apartment 2 plus bedrooms
- Attached house
- Other

Have you moved with this cat?

If yes, how many times and please describe the how this went with your cat.

How long since the last move?

Has your household changed since acquiring this cat? (people or animals)

Please describe if yes:

Your Cat's Daily Schedule:

Do you play with your cat?

If yes, how do you play with your cat?

What are your cat's favorite toys?

Is your cat leash trained?

Does your cat use a pet door flap?

Does your cat signal or want to go outside?

What percentage does your cat spend:

- Indoors
- Outdoors

When your cat is outdoors is it supervised?

Do you have a catio?

How does your cat behave when you leave the house?

How does your cat behave when you return home?

If left alone, where does your cat hang out most likely?

Where does your cat sleep at night? Please be specific (in your room, in your bed, outside, with your daughter or son)

Where is your cat when you have guests over?

How does your cat behave with familiar visitors? (note children and adults)

How does your cat behave with unfamiliar visitors? (note children and adults)

How does your cat behave with the veterinarian?

When does your cat Meow?

When does your cat hiss/growl?

How does your cat behave when he sees other cats through the window or in the yard?

Please describe a typical 24-hour day in the life of your cat:

Midnight

1 am

2 am

3 am

4 am

5 am

6 am

7 am

8 am

9 am

10 am

11 am

Noon

1 pm

2 pm

3 pm

4 pm

5 pm

6 pm

7 pm

8 pm

9 pm

10 pm

11 pm

Elimination behavior:

Does your cat use a litter box?

Did you litter train your cat?

How was your cat litter trained?

Does your cat ever eliminate outside of the litter box but inside the house?

If yes, Does your cat:

Urinate outside the box:

Defecate outside the box:

Both:

How many litter boxes do you have?

Where are they located? (Be specific- which room and which floor- can be marked on your schematic of the house is fine.

Do you use litter liners?

Do they have covers? All or some?

Do you use deodorizers?

How old are the litter boxes?

What size are they?

How often do you scoop them? Describe your process?

Do you use clumping litter?

Is it fine grained or coarse grained?

Do you use other litter type? Describe?

Does your cat have respiratory issues or asthma?

How often do you dump, clean and replace the litter?

Have you recently changed brands?

Why?

What did you use before?

Does your cat cover its urine or feces in the tray?

How long does your cat spend in the box?

Does it zoom out?

Social Behavior

How would you describe your relationship with your cat?

Has your cat had any training? Describe.

Does your cat know tricks?

Where is your cats favorite scratching post?

Does your cat lick you?

Does your cat lick, bite or groom excessively?

Does your cat's skin ripple?

Does your cat mount people or other cat's?

Describe your cat's general activity level.

Today's Problem

Why are you seeking help/advice?

What has prompted your visit?

What is the main undesirable behavior/complaint?

List all undesirable behaviors:

Why are these behaviors a problem?

How frequently does the problem occur?

- Daily
- Weekly
- Monthly

Problem	Frequency

When did you first notice the problem?

When did it become a serious concern?

Describe why:

What are the circumstances that surround the problem when it occurs?

Has the problem changed in frequency?

Has the problem changed in intensity?

Has the problem otherwise changed? Describe:

Did the secondary problems develop at the same time?

To help me better understand the problem, please describe what occurs when the episodes happen. Videos are great here also. Try to include as much detail as possible: Where occurred, who was involved, what time of day it occurred, what happened, the cat's body language, or how you think the cat was feeling at the time?

Most recent incident: Date:

Second to last incident: Date:

Third to last incident: Date:

Very first incident: Date:

Any other significant incidents?

What have you done to try to correct the problem?

How do you discipline your cat for this problem or any other undesirable behavior?

Which are you today?

1. I am here for more information; the problem is not serious.
2. I would like to change the problem, but it is not serious.
3. The problem is serious, I would like it changed but if we can't I can live with it.
4. The problem is very serious, I want it changed, but I am going to keep my cat.
5. The problem is very serious, I want to change it. If it doesn't change, I will rehome my cat.

Any other comments: