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We have two blends of **Natural Pets Online Nutrition Supplements for Seniors.**

One is designed to help bring relief to senior animals suffering from inflammatory issues such as arthritis, and the other to help those losing their flexibility but also facing heart issues.

Arthritis is a joint disease and literally means there is an inflammation of one of the joints. Arthritis seems to be more prevalent in dogs than cats, and it can show in the form of Hip Dysplasia, swelling and pain in the leg bones or elbows, or a degeneration of the shoulder joint.

Dr Richard Pitcairn has written about Arthritis in his book 'Natural Health for Dogs and Cats' and says that arthritis is much more common now than it ever was. Could this be due in part to the change to 'supermarket' diets for our pets and the increased use of dried foods with little emphasis on natural, raw foods? Preventative nutrition is very effective in reducing the onset and severity of arthritis.

Nutrition is so important for the arthritic animal as when the circulation is stimulated, and the blood is purified of toxins, then the connective tissues surrounding the joints are able to function more freely. If your animal has an illness, or has had a diet of trans-fats, diseased animal body parts and chemically treated grains (which are in many dog rolls and biscuits) then the first step is to cleanse their system of toxins (detoxify). If you have not already done this, then you might like to add some Dandelion and Red Clover to this Supplement. Please contact me directly if you have any questions.

When it comes to looking after the heart of an older animal, natural nutrition is still very important as it helps to counteract the symptoms. Feed raw meat, do not add salt or bacon or other salty flavourings. Use unfluorinated and nonchlorinated water. Supplement with selenium, vitamin b, chromium and chelated zinc.

Senior Joint and Mobility Supplement

- Glucosamine
- MSM – Methyl Sulfonyl Methane
- Kelp
- Organic Wheatgrass
- Organic Barleygrass
- Lecithin (non GMO)
- Organic Garlic
- Organic Coconut
- Ester C
- Organic Rosemary
- Organic Parsley

Senior Well-Being Supplement

- *Kelp
- *Organic Wheatgrass,
- *Organic Barleygrass,
- *Non-gmo Lecithin,
- *Organic Coconut,
- *Ester C,
- *Organic Rosemary,
- *Organic Parsley
- *Organic Mullein
- *Organic Dandelion
- *Organic Oatstraw
- *Organic Slippery Elm Bark
- *Organic Sesame Seeds
- *Bee Pollen

Dosage:

Start with ½ teaspoon a day for all dogs. Gradually increase over the next 7 days to 1 teaspoon per 20 kgs and no more than 2 teaspoons per day. After 3-4 weeks you can reduce to feeding 2-3 times a week and adjust according to how your individual dog responds.

Note: some large dogs are doing great on less than 3 teaspoons a week.

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