SECONDARY INFECTIONS TRIGGERED BY THE ALLERGY/HORMONES

Otitis (ear infections)

Allergy Ears - no infection yet

Waxy Ears - bacterial and yeast infection mild infection

Liquid **Pus** in Ears - Pseudomonas otitis severe infection

<u>Folliculitis (Hair follicle infection - **crusting-red-papular rash**) Bacteria (pyoderma)</u>

Demodicosis (hair follicle mites)

Dermatophyte (hair follicle fungal infection)

<u>Yeast infection (Malassezia yeast)</u> (**Fritos** smell) Mild - red, waxy, itchy, neck/arm-pits/stomach Severe - **elephant skin**, hyperpigmentation (black)

Podo-Dermatitis (feet and toes goo or blisters) Allergy feet - goo in-between the toes Blisters in-between toes (Ingrown Hairs) Foot pad sores (Lupus-like immune)

MAIN ALLERGY/HORMONE DISORDER TRIGGERING INFECTIONS

<u>Allergy</u>

Pollen/Grass/Indoor allergies - foot licking, arm-pits, face, ears



Foller/Grass/Indoor allergies - **Toot licking**, ann-pits, face, ears

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Food Allergy - **Butt** scooting, Anal glands, Frequent poops, **GI** upset, Sensitive stomach, Gas (flatulence), Ear infections

Insect Allergy (mites, mosquitoes, chiggers, midges, fleas) -Lumbar-back, rear legs, tail, HOT-SPOTS, pineal-pedal reflex

Hormone Imbalance

Cushing's Syndrome (increased drinking/urination/appetite, pot-belly) Hypothyroid (lazy, weight gain, dull-waxy haricot, skin infections)

Immune-mediated Disease (Lupus, Pemphigus)

Nasal Planum +Pinnae + Pads (all 3 together) Total body crusting papular rash (non-folliculitis)

Sebaceous Adenitis (Poodle & Doodles mixes) - total body dry scale and crusts Follicular Casts

Lumps, Bumps, Draining-Tracts

Tumors

Old Dog Warts - sebaceous adenoma Lipoma - fat-cell tumor Fibroma - scar-tissue tumor Mast Cell Tumor

Deep Infection

Blasto, Histo, Pseudomonas, Nocardia, Mycobacteria, Actinomyces





Allergy, Dermatology, and Otology

PET's NAME:

PATIENT SYMPTOMS AND HISTORY Current Age: Age when symptoms started: Weight:_____ lbs Breed: Any other dogs or cats at home: yes no Dog-park/Daycare: ves no Do you have wildlife in the yard: yes no ITCH SCORE ok 0 --- 5 --- 10 bad Skin Symptoms (circle answer) Do they Itch, Lick or Chew: yes no Did the problem: suddenly start or slowly got worse Does the skin and itch get better and worse: ves seasonal no <u>Which is worse:</u> Front half of the body Back half of the body Same-equal Do they get **Hot-Spots** and big sores: yes no Do they lick/chew their **feet/toes**: yes no Do they have **butt** scooting (itchy butt): yes no 1 2 How many **poops** do they do daily: 3 4 many Do they have **ear** problems: yes no Do they have any **rash or crusts**: Where: yes no Has their activity level changed: yes no Weight increase: yes no **Treatments and Medications** Current Heart-worm prevention: _____ . Current Flea and Tick prevention: ______ How often do they get a bath: ______ What food and treats do you give: What Vitamin/Joint supplements: What oral medications have been given: Antihistamine Steroids Antibiotics Yeast medication Apoquel Have Cytopoint Injection/shots been tried: yes no Have Steroid injection/shots been tried: yes no