

Home Dental Care

How to Keep Those Whites Pearly

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR HOME DENTAL CARE:

When to start? AS SOON AS POSSIBLE! Plaque becomes tarter in 3 days, so brushing should be at least every other day. Aim for daily.

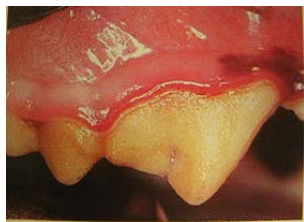
The first step is to work with your pet's mouth. With a little patience your pet will soon accept your attention. MAKE IT FUN for both of you. Use a lot of love, and especially praise to gain the confidence of your pet. If your puppy is teething, take a break. Your pet's mouth may be sore.

After your pet has gained confidence in you, you will be able to rub the teeth and gums with your finger. If needed, use a washcloth to scrub the teeth. You can also use a 3x3 gauze or a fingerbrush with special pet toothpaste or gel on it. **Do not use human toothpaste.**

It helps to give crunchy food, but remember dog biscuits can be fattening. DO NOT FEED ANY TYPE OF BONES, AS THESE CAN CAUSE AN INTESTINAL BLOCKAGE OR CAN LEAD TO TOOTH FRACTURES. Rawhides and rope bones are better.

The above care will greatly improve your pet's dental health, happiness and longevity, as well as reduce the need for professional dental prophylaxis and treatment.

Thank you for letting us help maintain your pet's dental health



Normal teeth with early tarter accumulation along gumline



Advanced Dental Disease

Pearly Whites!



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