

**Scoring Scale:**

0 = Good (no change)

1 = Fair (subtle changes)

2 = Poor (Prominent changes)

# Quality of Life Assessment

SCORE	
	Appetite/drinking
	Ability to get up and move around on their own
	Normal urination
	Normal bowel movements
	Normal breathing and panting patterns
	Normal night time routine/activity
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	Normal interactions with family or other animals
	Signs of pain (e.g., increased/continuously whining, panting, excessive vocalization)
	Signs of cognitive decline (e.g., confusion, getting lost in familiar places, "sundowners")
	Signs of stress or anxiety (e.g., pacing, excessive vocalization, increased aggression)
	<i>TOTAL SCORE</i>

**Results:**

**0-9:** Quality of life is likely stable at this time.

**10-16:** Quality of life is declining. It is time to begin researching next steps. Your pet may benefit from a veterinary visit to evaluate their condition and offer guidance.

**17-22:** Quality of life is a concern. We recommend getting your pet's end of life care plan in place.

this assessment is meant to only aid in your decision and guidance from your pet's primary veterinarian is always recommended to identify signs to look for that could be more specific to your pet's condition

