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Ways to reduce cancer risk in your pet

- Get regular veterinary care/screenings and do your own at-home exams to feel for unusual lumps and bumps.
- Neuter female dogs before puberty – can nearly eliminate risk of breast cancer.
- Do not expose dogs to secondary smoke.
- Limit exposure of dogs to pesticides and herbicides which can increase the risk of nasal cancer, particularly in long-nosed dogs.
- Maintain a healthy weight for your pet – obesity has been linked to higher risk.
- Feed dogs vegetables. Two baby carrots a day has been found to significantly reduce bladder cancer in Scottish terriers.
- Use sunscreen on dogs, particularly those with light skin.
- Don't over-vaccinate. Make sure the type and frequency of vaccinations are appropriate for your pet's risk factors and lifestyle.