

# Book Summary Dog Health & Safety

## Chapter 1: Dogs Will Eat Just About Everything

Varnings for "people" food, edible chew safety, chocolate, macadamia nuts, bones, garlic, grapes, xylitol, yeast, batteries, special pennies, socks, kitty litter, vaping, marijuana, antifreeze, inducing vomiting (not before talking to a veterinarian), and more

### Chapter 2: Safety In & Around The Home

Houseguests, safe space, counter surfing, human medication storage, pet suffocation, electrocution, paper shredders, reclining chairs, door dashing, dangers of electric fences, pools, life jackets, fishhooks, gardens, cocoa mulch, fungi, sago palms, and more

### **Chapter 3:** Safety When Out & About

Reconsider retractable leashes, avoid choke/pinch/shock collars, off-leash safety, harnesses, heatstroke, sunscreen, hot pavement, pay attention in the park, communal water bowls, sticks aren't toys, foxtails, bees & wasps, rodenticides, blue/green algae, rip currents, snakes & toads, car safety and anxiety, and more

#### Chapter 4: Overall Health & Wellness

Stress reduction for veterinary visits, importance of annual wellness visits, oral health, vaccines, parasite prevention, breed predispositions, bloat (GDV), changing foods, obesity, socialization, noise anxiety, touching paws/ears/everything, baths, nails, ear infections (and when to NOT clean their ears), microchipping, first-aid tools, spay/neuter, hiding pain, and more

## **Chapter 5:** Extra Tips: Preparing For Emergencies

Know ER location, financial planning, pet insurance, and more

