Breed Predispositions to Disease in Dogs and Cats. 2nd Edition

Description: "Provides an easily accessed source of diagnostic possibilities that is particularly helpful when dealing with an unusual collection of clinical signs or with unfamiliar breeds. The authors’ experiences in busy first opinion and referral practice have no doubt provided the incentive to organise the book appropriately for those who will have most wish to consult it. It is to be hoped that this book, by highlighting breed associated disorders, can provide an impetus towards more vociferous veterinary leadership in this important area of companion animal welfare."

Nick Jeffery, Professor of Veterinary Clinical Studies, University of Cambridge

This book will save you hours of searching through scattered literature. A unique resource, it brings together all the disparate information on breed-related diseases in one quick-reference volume. Breed-by-breed, with one section for dogs and one for cats, both inherited and other prevalent disorders are listed. The final section describes each of the disorders covered in more detail. All information is drawn from high quality sources, including research journals and veterinary reference texts, with extensive references provided.

This invaluable reference helps veterinary professionals to advise clients on their choice of breed and what problems to look out for. It is also ideal for dog and cat owners and breeders, as well as being useful for geneticists and animal scientists.

New to this edition:

- Improved and expanded referencing to the primary literature, to aid further research
- Easier navigation helps you to find the information you need quickly
- Contains an extended directory of genetic test providers

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