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polydipsia/itching or scratching: pruritus; Jaundice; Joint swelling: arthropathy; Loss of appetite: anorexia; Lymph node enlargement: lymphadenomegaly; Pain; Painful urination: dysuria; Painful defecation: dyschezia; Rectal and anal pain; Regurgitation; Seizures (convulsions or epilepsy); Sneezing and nasal discharge; Spontaneous bleeding: hemorrhage; Straining to defecate: dyschezia; Straining to urinate: dysuria; Swelling of the limbs: peripheral edema; Uncontrolled urination: urinary incontinence; Vision loss: total blindness
Vomiting
Vomiting blood: hematemesis; Weakness, lethargy, fatigue; Weight loss: emaciation, cachexia; Yellow skin or mucous membranes: icterus (or jaundice); Additional Reading; Section 4: Diagnostic and Therapeutic Procedures; Routine procedures; Dermatologic procedures; Advanced Procedures; Section 5: Laboratory Diagnosis and Test Protocols; Common reference range values; Sample handling; Submission requirements for rabies suspects; Histopathology and cytopathology; Biochemistry-routine; Routine biochemical testing; Special diagnostic tests and test protocols; Hemostasis and coagulation Endocrinology/Immunology; Infectious disease serology and microbiology; Urine; Section 6: Charts and Tables; References; Index; Quick Reference to Managing the Emergency Patient

Sommario/riassunto

Provide expert care for cats and dogs! Kirk and Bistner's Handbook of Veterinary Procedures and Emergency Treatment, 9th Edition covers not only the management of emergency conditions, but also strategies for dealing with hundreds of routine diagnostic and treatment challenges in small animals. Its user-friendly format provides instant access to vital information -- making it an ideal resource in emergency situations -- and it is conveniently organized by both body systems and presenting signs to help you easily reach a diagnosis and determine a treatment plan for all clinical situations
