

Pet Safety Tip

CAFFEINE



TOXICITY

- Pets are more sensitive to the effects of caffeine than humans.
- Caffeine is found in coffee, tea, chocolate, diet pills, and soft drinks.
- Baking and dark chocolate are more toxic than milk and white chocolate.

EFFECTS

Mild to severe hyperactivity, restlessness, vomiting, elevated heart rate, elevated blood pressure, abnormal heart rhythms, tremors, elevated body temperature, seizures, collapse.



ACTION

Seek veterinary care immediately if there is suspected ingestion.



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