

Whelping chart

The day the puppies are born: one row per puppy, in the order they arrive. Keep it by the whelping box with a pen and the scale.

Before the due date, ask your vet what to watch for during labor and when to call, and write it below. This chart doesn't say what is normal.

The litter

Dam (mother)	Sire (father)	Breed
Due date (your vet's estimate)	Date of birth	Scale used
Vet	Vet's phone	Helper or breeder, phone
Emergency clinic	Emergency clinic phone	Emergency clinic address

What your vet told you

What to watch for during labor

When to call the vet

When to go to the emergency clinic

Puppies, in order of birth

No.	Time born	Sex	Color and markings	Birth weight (g)	ID collar color	Placenta seen	Notes
1							
2							
3							
4							
5							
6							
7							
8							
9							
10							
11							
12							



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Dam (mother) _____

Puppies, continued

No.	Time born	Sex	Color and markings	Birth weight (g)	ID collar color	Placenta seen	Notes
13							
14							
15							
16							
17							
18							

At the end of the day

Males

Females

Puppies in all

Placentas counted

Last puppy born at

Vet check booked for

Labor notes

Time	What you saw	What you did, who you called

How to use it

- Fill in the litter and your vet's answers before the due date, and keep the phone numbers where everyone can see them.
- Number the puppies in the order they arrive and write the time as each one is born.
- Weigh each puppy on the same scale, and put a different ID collar on each one so you can tell them apart later.
- Mark "placenta seen" for each one: AKC suggests counting the placentas against the puppies. Your vet tells you what to do if they don't match.
- Call your vet whenever you are worried. The weighings after today go on the litter record.

 **Pettify** pettifyapp.com

Pettify keeps records pet by pet, not by litter: the dam's vet visits, vaccinations and weight chart, and each puppy's once it has a home.

Breeder's personal record, not a veterinary or registration document. It doesn't say what is normal during whelping: your vet does.



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