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- Look for signs of disease
- Look for broken and/or missing teeth
- Look for occlusal relationships
- Approximate the age of the animal

What can dental disease do to my animal?
- Cause pain
- Result in tooth loss
- Make eating difficult
- Lead to infections
- Lead to inactivity

What causes periodontal disease?
- Bacteria forms plaques on the teeth
- Plaque hardens to form calculus
- Plaque starts to touch the gums
- Bacteria and immune system release destructive chemicals
- Destroys the attachment of the tooth to the gum

Periodontal disease affects 85% of cats and dogs over 5 years of age.

What Can I do to Prevent Periodontal Disease in my Pet?
- Brush your pet’s teeth!
  - Lift lips
  - Rub their gums and teeth
  - Brush gently with a finger brush or soft tooth brush
  - Brush gently with pet toothpaste on the finger brush or toothbrush

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