

Ankeny Animal & Avian Clinic

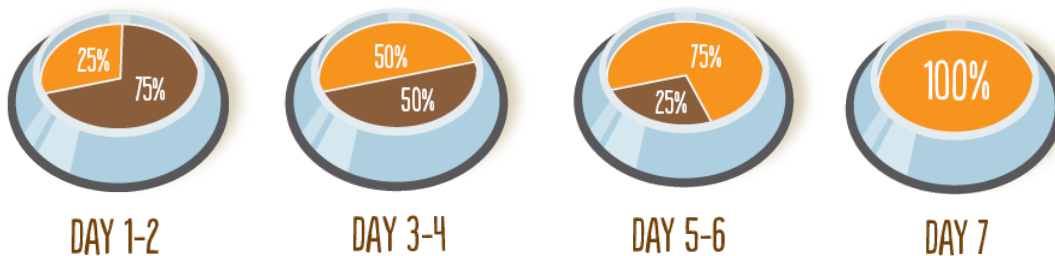
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Transitioning to a New Food

- **Days 1-2: Mix 75 percent old with 25 percent new food.** You want to feed these two together, not separated. Make sure to examine the feeding guidelines on the new bag of food – overfeeding is the top reason that dogs get overweight.
- **Days 3-4: Mix 50 percent old and 50 percent new.** If you notice that your dog has loose stools or an upset stomach after the first two days, slow the transition rate down.
- **Days 5-6: Mix 25 percent old and 75 percent new.** Continue to look for signs of an upset stomach so you can slow the transition if needed.
- **Day 7:** You can now start feeding your dog **100 percent** of the new dog food.



Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions!