Diseases of Insured Dogs in Japan

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Anicom Animal Insurance in Japan







- Since 2000
- Almost 400,000 pet insured

2 Benefits of Animal Insurance

- 1. Prevent sick to be seriously
 - ■! Early treatment before serious diseases progress
 - Easier acceptance of costly treatment
- 2. Prevent dogs to be sick
 - Prevalence of medical information
 - Development of research
 - 2. dogs to be sick 1.sick to be seriously

Subject of Research

- •! 217,150 insured dogs (≦ 10 years old)
- ! Contracts startedduring 2008/April/1~2009/March/31

Incidence rate (%)

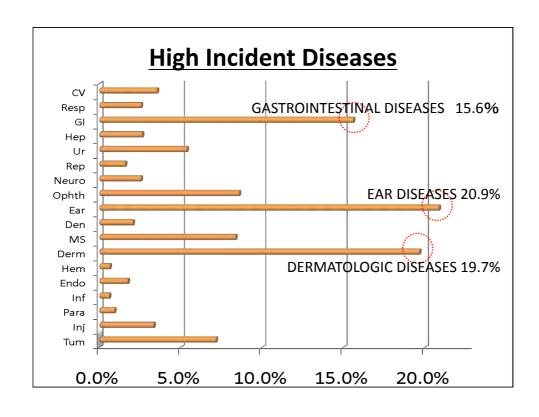
= number of claims / insured dogs

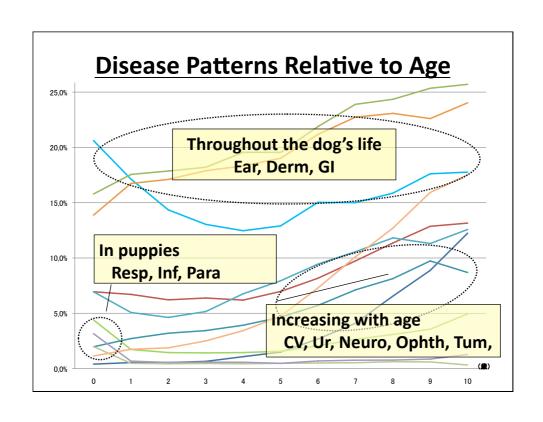
Classification of Animal Diseases

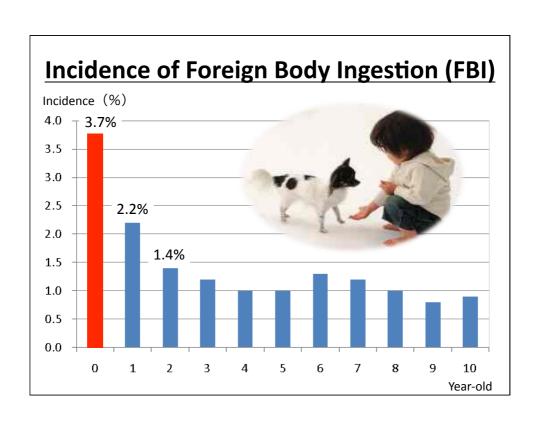
<u>Diseases</u>	
CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASES	CV
RESPIRATORY DISEASES	Resp
GASTROINTESTINAL DISEASES	GI
HEPATIC and PANCREATIC DISEASES	Нер
URINARY DISEASES	Ur
REPRODUCTIVE SYSTEM DISORDERS	Rep
NEUROLOGIC DISEASES	Neuro

when more than
2 diseases were diagnosed,
Main diseases were
selected.

<u>Diseases</u>	
OPHTHALMOLOGIC DISEASES	Ophth
EAR DISEASES	Ear
DENTAL and ORAL DISEASES	Den
MUSCULOSKELTAL DISEASES	MS
DERMATOLOGIC DISEASES	Derm
HEMATO-IMMUNE DISEASES	Hem
ENDOCRINE DISORDERS	Endo
INFECTIOUS DISEASES	Inf
PARASITIC DISEASES	Para
INJURY	Inj
TUMORS	Tum







Incidence of FBI in Puppies by Breeds

Breed	Rate(%)
Labrador Retriever	6.4
French Bulldog	6.3
Cavalier King Charles Spaniel	6.2
Miniature Schunauzer	5.3
Yorkshire Terrier	4.3

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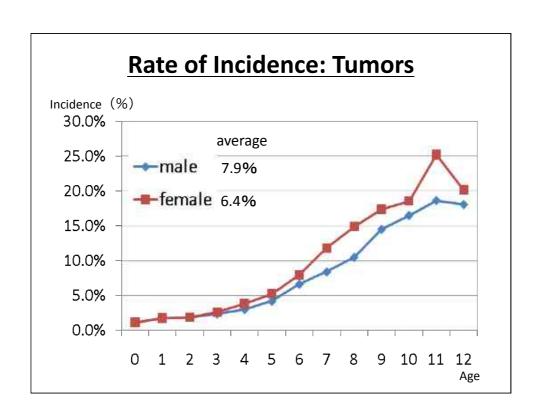
Average In all Puppies

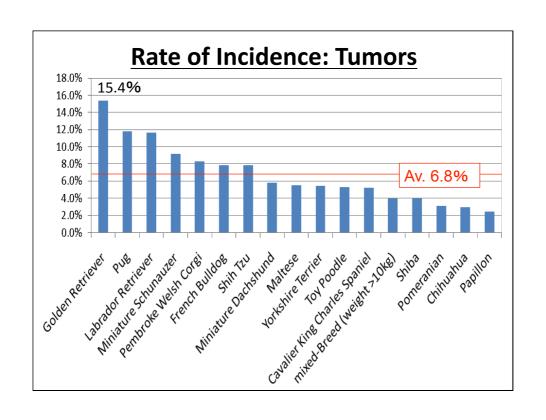


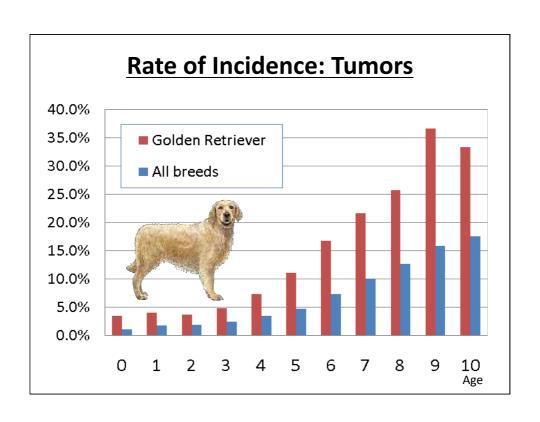
Top 3 Reasons for Death Claims in 10-year-old Dogs

- 1.! CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASES 20.6%
- 2.! TUMORS 16.9%
- 3. GASTROINTESTINAL DISEASES 10.3%









Summary:1-3

- 1 .Most common diseases of insured dogs in Japan were ear diseases, Dermatologic Diseases and Gastrointestinal Diseases.
- 2. Three patterns were detected in the incidence of diseases.
 - 1 high rate through the dog's life
 - 2 high rate in puppies
 - ③ increasing with age
- 3. Foreign body ingestion is frequent in puppies.

Summary:4-6

- 4. Tumors was the second reason of the claimed payment just prior to the death.
- 5 .Incidence rate of tumor was highest in Golden Retrievers among top 17 insured breeds.
- 6. Incidence rate of tumor in female (7.9%) was higher than that in male (6.4%). It would due to high incidence of mammary tumor in female.

Conclusion and Discussion

Insurance data can be used to analyze canine disease and help prevent serious illness.



- 1. Canine Preventive Medicine
- 2. Medical Research + Development





Thank you for your attention

Family's not complete without a pet.

