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Advances in Veterinary Dermatology – Atopic Dermatitis in Dogs and Cats

Message from the Guest Editors

The population of pets has increased significantly in recent years, and so have concerns about their health. Skin diseases including allergies and recurrent infections common causes of visits to veterinary clinics for dogs. Environmental and food allergies are increasing in prevalence and, similarly to human allergies, they are characterized by pruritus and relapsing inflammatory lesions. Multifactorial developing mechanism may also contribute to its complicity. Chronic allergies are often challenging to manage due to relapse and refractory manners. Therefore, many companies have been tried to investigate effective treatments worldwide. Additionally, many researchers have dedicated efforts to identifying unique alternatives without side effects for long-term use. It is thus necessary to examine new paradigms for chronic allergies for pets. This Special Issue aims to present recent investigations of canine and feline allergic skin diseases which include showing new evidence of mechanisms and development of new trials for the management of these diseases.

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