

# FECAL SCORING CHART

**SCORE 1**



Very hard and dry; often expelled as individual pellets; requires much effort to expel from body; no residue left on ground when picked up

**SCORE 2**



Firm, but not hard; pliable; segmented in appearance; little or no residue on ground when picked up

**SCORE 3**



Log-shaped; little or no visible segmentation; moist surface; leaves residue on ground, but holds form when picked up

**SCORE 4**



Very moist, soggy; log-shaped; leaves residue and loses form when picked up

**SCORE 5**



Very moist but has a distinct shape; piles rather than distinct logs; leaves residue and loses form when picked up

**SCORE 6**



Has texture, but no defined shape; present as piles or spots; leaves residue when picked up

**SCORE 7**



Watery; no texture; flat puddles