

**WEST HIGHLAND WHITE TERRIER HEALTH SURVEY
BASED ON 916 DOGS LIVING IN ITALY**

All Westies involved are owned from private owners, it's due to my choice do not include dogs owned by breeders.

FEMALE	MALE
434	482

<i>SOLD BY BREEDER (1)</i>	<i>SOLD BY PET SHOP (2)</i>	<i>SOLD BY private OWNERS (3)</i>	<i>UNKNOWN</i>
<i>519</i>	<i>153</i>	<i>206</i>	<i>38</i>

AGE FROM 2 TO 24 MONTHS	AGE FROM 2 TO 7 YEARS	AGE MORE THAN 7 YEARS
380	377	159

TARGETED DISEASES	ITALY 2011 N.	ITALY 2011 %	USA 2007 %
Atopic dermatitis	203	22.1	23.2
Luxated Patella	40	4.3	5.5
Dry Eye	16	1.7	2.1
Legg-perthes	9	0.9	2.3
CMO	11	1.2	0.7
Pulmonary Fibrosis	7	0.7	0.9
Diabetes	2	0.2	0.8
White Shaker Syndrome	7	0.7	1.5
Addison's Disease	3	0.4	1.7
Copper Toxicosis	2	0.2	0.5
Juvenile Cataracts	5	0.5	0.8
Sic Sinus Syndrome (Heart)	0	0	0.3
611 (66%) of dogs involved are free from all targeted diseases 305 (33%) have one or more of targeted diseases.			

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- 1)-sold by breeders includes professional and hobbyist breeders.**
- 2)-sold by Pet shop, in Italy means puppies from puppy farms or illegal import.**
- 3)-Sold by private owners' means a family with a female that sometimes sell a litter.**