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# **Carrying Out The Swap From Wet To Dry Cat Food**

I'm a caring cat owner and I always aim to do what's right for the cat. She's consistently enjoyed wet foods yet recently began to shun away from it. My partner and I wondered just what exactly was wrong... could she be suffering with a tummy upset perhaps or could she purely no longer enjoy the flavour? A visit to the vets, which coincided along with her yearly vaccinations led to the finding that our precious moggie had a significant build up of cavity inducing plaque and tartar on her teeth. On top of that, her gums became so tender that they seemed to be nearly on the stage of bleeding! Obviously, I was horrified. My lovely kitty had been off her food because she was actually in discomfort feeding on the stuff! Just what exactly could I do to be able to remedy the situation? Well, the vet suggested that she could have her teeth cleaned tomorrow by the vet registered nurse. On the other hand, he explained that this is often upsetting for anxious kitties and never a thing that should be repeated regularly.

He offered me a 2nd option, that to me was a lot more straight forward and rather simple; to switch the meals I had been giving from wet to dry. Now, I had until now considered dried cat food as a second-rate choice. After all, I don't consume dehydrated meat so why should my moggy? However, it turns out that a high quality [dry cat food](#) is really a lot better for your moggie versus stuff you can get from a tin or foil sack. The coarse character of dried cat food basically acts like a tiny tooth brush in your cat's mouth.

Therefore, I chose a large tote of dried chicken food and headed home. I had been unclear about exactly how my moggie might react but as she had had a good dose of painkillers and a very empty belly she scarcely seemed to detect the difference. In reality, she wolfed down the entire bowl. I have kept her on the dried foods and have discovered a great manufacturer who produces a product jam-packed full of various meats (kittens and cats have to have larger levels of protein than canines). Today, whenever we have her teeth examined the response is favourable. They are a lot cleaner when compared with before plus the moggy is a lot happier, hence it is dry food for us from today onwards.

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