

Eating of Poop



Dogs eat poop. In case this applies to your dog, I thought I should give it a little attention.

Your dog may eat its poop! **Can you believe it?** I can. The Mother eats her pups' poop. Some dogs leave their Mom and don't think that poop eating is such a bad idea. You don't want to let them, but you needn't throw your pup out with the poop either.

Chances are as they mature and with a little guidance from you, they will stop on their own. If it becomes more of an issue, you can try sprinkling the poop with cayenne pepper. My thought on that is that if they are willing to eat excrement, will a little added spice really matter? You can try it.

You may want to contact your veterinarian, as you do want to rule out any nutritional imbalances. Also, there are products that you can feed the dog that will make their excrement less appealing (never mind).

If you have an older dog that eats other dogs' excrement, my advice – don't look! And, call a veterinarian to rule out any medical reason.

I'm glad to be through with this portion of the guide. I hope you found it helpful or perhaps you feel grateful that this isn't something you've had to deal with.