

HAZARDOUS

Summertime foods for pets

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Alcohol

Causes drops in blood sugar, blood pressure and temperature
Can cause seizures and respiratory depression
Often found in certain desserts and rising yeast dough



Avocados

Pits pose choking and foreign body ingestion dangers
Not toxic to dogs or cats, but can cause gastrointestinal problems
Extremely toxic to birds



Bones

Choking and foreign body ingestion dangers
Splintered bones can lacerate the mouth and digestive system



Chocolate

The darker the chocolate, the more toxic it is to dogs and cats
Can lead to poisoning and pancreatitis and be lethal to dogs and cats



Fatty foods & meat trimmings

Avoid sharing burgers, pizza, ribs, chicken wings and salmon
Can cause vomiting, diarrhea and pancreatitis



Fruits

Pits and seeds from persimmons, peaches and plums can cause intestinal inflammation and obstruction
Peach and plum pits contain cyanide



Milk & dairy

Products such as milk, cheese and ice cream can cause diarrhea and other digestive problems
Many dogs and cats lack the enzyme needed to digest milk



Onions & garlic

Onions, garlic, chives and leeks are toxic to dogs and cats
Can cause severe intestinal pain, oral irritation and anemia
Poisoning may have delayed onset



Raw meat & fish

Can contain Salmonella and E. coli.
Parasites in some raw fish can cause death if not treated immediately
Can cause vomiting, fever, diarrhea and swollen lymph nodes

Last year, Nationwide® members submitted

\$15.4M

in vomiting/diarrhea claims

\$4.8M

in pancreatitis claims

\$3.3M

in seizure/tremor claims

\$3.3M

in kidney failure claims



\$21 billion

Amount Americans spend on ice cream each year¹

22 pounds

Average amount of ice cream consumed by Americans each year¹



90

of chicken wings the average American eats each year²

25B

of chicken wings expected to sell in the U.S. in 2017²



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¹Source: International Dairy Foods Association ²Source: National Chicken Council

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