



BEDDING MATERIAL

MAKE SURE YOU PROVIDE YOUR RATS WITH SUITABLE BEDDING MATERIAL:

- Suitable bedding materials are wood chips (non-aspen), cellulose based chips or shredded filter paper;
- Avoid dusty bedding materials such as sawdust, and any bedding which is made of aspen as these can result in breathing and other health problems;
- Avoid using over-absorbent bedding material as they can reduce humidity levels resulting in health problems;
- Fragrant and coloured bedding material should be avoided.



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