

PawHive 2026 Pet Tech Checklist

Pick feeders, cameras, fountains, trackers, and comfort gear with fewer regret buys.

Fit the pet first

- Match size and temperament before features
- Avoid complex feeders for anxious pets
- Check cable chew risk
- Prefer washable bowls and trays
- Confirm noise level for sensitive animals

Smart features that matter

- Offline fallback for feeders and doors
- Clear app privacy policy
- Multi-user access for households
- Low-battery alerts
- Consumables that are easy to reorder

Reliability checks

- Manual override exists
- Cleaning takes under five minutes
- Camera angle covers real pet zones
- No subscription needed for core use
- Warranty covers motors or pumps

Decision checklist

Score each line before buying. If two or more boxes stay unchecked, keep comparing products.

Check	Done	Notes
Right size for pet		
Easy to clean		
Works if Wi-Fi drops		
Consumables available		
Low stress for the animal		

Tip: keep this PDF open while comparing products. The best choice is usually the product that fits your room, body, pet, workflow, or usage pattern before it wins on features.