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**AVIAN & EXOTIC CLINIC**  
**of the Monterey Peninsula**

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Ordering Worms

We recommend Mulberry Farms as a good source of worms.  
They take orders via the internet @ [Mulberryfarms.com](http://Mulberryfarms.com)  
Following is a list of the different varieties offered:

Hornworms/Goliath worms: Soft-bodied worms sold in cups with pre-made chow. They are NOT refrigerated but kept in a dry, cool place such as closet to help retard growth. Hornworms grow to a very large size from a very small size rather quickly.

Butterworms: Soft-bodied worms with a higher calcium content than most other varieties. These worms arrive in a container with bedding and should be placed in the refrigerator.

Mealworms: these worms have a harder exoskeleton and can either be kept at a cool room temperature or in the refrigerator.

Superworms: These are genetically altered mealworms that do not transform into the beetle phase. These should be kept at room temperature. They arrive in a cloth bag and should be placed into a container with mealworm bedding and some form of moisture such as a carrot or potato slice or commercial "cubes".

Waxworms: These soft-bodied worms offer much less nutrition than other varieties but help keep the diet varied which is also very important.