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Flea & Tick Protection for Dogs



Seresto® collar (*imidacloprid, flumethrin*)

- **8mths** protection - the longest protection time of any flea and tick product available.
- Safe, convenient, odour-free and water-resistant.
- Available in two sizes for dogs (< 8kg or > 8kg) and one for kittens and cats.
- Kills fleas in less than 2hrs after contact. “No Bite” needed.
- Flumethrin ensures that ticks are repelled and killed, preventing them from attaching to dogs.
- Double safety system. Predetermined break point and emergency release ratchet system allows the collar to loosen or break without injury.



Limited Offers: *\$15 off each Seresto® collar until 22nd Dec, 2023*
Buy 6, get 1 FREE collar until 5th Nov (includes \$15 off)
Buy 12, get 3 FREE collars until 5th Nov (includes \$15 off)

Nexgard® Chewable (*afoxolaner*)

- A **monthly** oral treatment in the form of a highly palatable beef flavoured chew.
- Safe for puppies from 8 wks of age & weighing 2kg or more.
- Kills existing fleas within 30 minutes and rapidly controls infestations on dogs with newly acquired adult fleas and ticks.



Bravecto® Chewable (*fluralaner*);

- Provides **3mths** of flea and tick protection in just one dose.
- Safe for puppies from 8 wks of age & weighing 2kg or more.
- Approved for the treatment and control of demodectic mange (generalised demodicosis).
- Convenient—fits easily with 3 monthly worming regimes.

Limited Offer: *Buy 4, get 1 FREE (via Bravecto Rewards and only applicable with 10-20kg & 20-40kg packs)*



Effect of Tapeworm on lambs

We are often asked about the benefits of drenching lambs pre-weaning? Many farmers do routinely drench lambs at this stage targeting specific production benefits such as improved growth rates, less pasture contamination & less dags. However with any increase in drench exposure & frequency comes with a greater risk of increased selection pressure for drench resistance. So, what are the pro's of pre-wean drenching? A Beef + Lamb study in 2010-2011 showed significant differences between lambs treated with either a triple plus tape drench to those treated with a triple only or no drench at all.

Key points:

- There was a dag reduction response to a triple drench. This was further improved when a tapeworm drench was included.
- The faecal score also improved and again more so with a tapeworm drench added.
- Up to 1 kg weaning weight response to a pre-weaning triple plus tape drench versus no drench.
- Lambs given the additional tape drench showed a 24g/d liveweight gain advantage over a straight triple combination roundworm drench.
- The trend was similar over all the farms in the trial. A similar study in 2006 gave a 43 gram per day growth rate response.

Though this study exhibited sound reasons for treating lambs pre-weaning with a triple combination tapeworm drench (e.g. Treble ITape), the need for a pre-weaning drench is farm specific. Feed levels, stock condition, FEC's and other factors need to be considered in all drench decisions.

Treble ITape—replaces Iver Matrix Tape HiMin. Treble ITape is the ultimate drench for lambs. With all the benefits of a triple combination plus the added benefit of tapeworm control. Treble ITape has been designed with safety in mind, using Ivermectin due to its high safety profile in young animals.

- Available in 5L, 10L & 20L packs
- Ivermectin, Levamisole, Oxfendazole, Praziquantel with Selenium & Cobalt
- Convenient 1ml/5kg dose rate
- 14 day meat withholding
- Developed in NZ for NZ



Corporeal® Tape replaces First HiMin as our preferred double combination (albendazole/levamisole) plus praziquantel lamb drench.

- Convenient dual combination plus tape drench with added minerals.
- Controls a broad range of internal parasites and tape worm heads and segments.
- Dose rate 1ml/5kg
- 10 day meat WHP
- Available in 1L, 5L & 20L



Feel free to call the clinic to talk to one of the production animal vets regarding your lamb drench programme this season.



To Do List ✓

- Order Sheep Performance vaccines for Hogget's/ 2ths (Toxovax).
- Book in Rams to be palpated.
- Vaccinate Working Dogs, Flea and worm working dogs.
- Plan Ovastim (Androvax is discontinued) injections for 2ths & boosters for MA ewes.
- Drench lambs every 28 days from weaning.
- Perform 10 day FEC drench checks on lambs 1st/2nd drench
- Clostridial vaccinations for lambs (5in1 or 8in1). Boost in 4-6 weeks.
- Book in Preg testing for hfrs.
- B12 Lambs
- Order NAIT tags for calves.
- Book bull testing.
- BVD boost Sire Bulls/Repl Hfrs
- Apply preventative fly treatments- Lambs/Ewes/Rams.

Trusted Fly and Lice Protection

For run through spray races and automated dip machines Eastland Veterinary Services recommends using **ONLY** cyromazine based concentrate sheep dip products for fly protection. There is as yet no recorded fly resistance to cyromazine in New Zealand, with the added bonus of the cyromazine active being incredibly safe for both operator and livestock.

Cyrex™ Liquid (spinosad + cyromazine)

- Jetting rate 1:500
- Flystrike dressing mix: 10mls of Cyrex per 5ltrs of water
- Safe and effective flystrike treatment. Spinosad provides knockdown of existing strike while cyromazine provides **up to 8 weeks** protection against re-strike.
- Kills lice
- Meat withholding period = 7 days
- Pack sizes: 250ml, 5L and 10L

NOTE: protection periods may vary and are dependant on amount of wash applied, fly pressure and amount of rain post treatment.



Product information

Nov/Dec 2023



Blowfly Protection Options



Spray-On/Pour-On

Product	Active ingredient	Protection Period Label claim	Activity	Meat Withholding Period
CLiK Extra Spray-On 5L/20L	Dicyclanil (65g/l)	14-26 weeks	Fly	21 days
CLiK Spray-On 20L	Dicyclanil (50g/l)	10-18 weeks	Fly	35 days
CLiKZin Spray-On 5L/20L	Dicyclanil (12.5g/l)	6-9 weeks	Fly	7 days
Cyrosshield Spray-On 10L/20L	Cyromazine (60g/l)	6 weeks*	Fly	21 days
Vetrazin Spray-On 10L	Cyromazine (60g/l)	6 weeks*	Fly	7 days
Zapp Encore 1L, 5L & 20L	Triflumuron (25g/l) & Imidacloprid (30g/l)	At least 8 weeks*	Fly/ Maggot/ Lice	56 days

Jetting liquid

Cyrosshield Liquid 5L/10L	Cyromazine (500g/l)	Up to 12weeks*	Fly	7 days
Cyrex Liquid 250ml/5L/10L	Cyromazine (500g/l)/ Spinosad (12.5g/l)	3-8 weeks	Fly/ Maggot/ Lice	7 days

**Note - Protection periods are only a guide and may not apply to your farm situation. Factors such as weather, application method/technique and fly pressure influence protection periods. Check with us for realistic protection periods to make the right choice for you.*

Extending Careers

Osteoarthritis is a debilitating disease where pain and stiffness develop as a result of wear and tear on the joints and is not uncommon in working dogs. These changes are not curable, but you can help lessen the pain and inflammation. Part of a targeted treatment plan for your dog may involve the addition of a natural supplement such as Bomazeal® Mobilize or 4CYTE™ dog. These can help to reduce joint inflammation and keep your dog mobile for longer.

4CYTE™ dog - daily feed supplement in the form of a liquid targeting biological pathways associated with joint health.

Bomazeal® Mobilize - tasty tablet containing Green-Lipped Mussel Extract, deer velvet and shark cartilage.

