

# READY TO UPGRADE TO INTERCEPTOR<sup>®</sup> PLUS

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PROTECTS  
AGAINST

# 5

TYPES OF  
WORMS



Prevents  
**HEARTWORM  
DISEASE**



Treats and controls  
**HOOKWORMS**  
*A. caninum*



Treats and controls  
**ROUNDWORMS**



Treats and controls  
**WHIPWORMS**



Treats and controls  
**TAPEWORMS**

Safe for use in dogs and puppies 6 weeks or older and 2 pounds or greater.

## IS INTERCEPTOR PLUS RIGHT FOR MY DOG?

Dogs need year-round protection from heartworm disease and other intestinal parasites. Just one dose of Interceptor Plus every month prevents heartworm disease and protects against 4 other types of dangerous worms.

Talk to your veterinarian about the worms your dog may be exposed to in your daily activities.

## THE TASTY MONTHLY CHEW THAT DOGS LOVE



This chicken-flavored, monthly chewable makes effective, year-round protection easy for you and your dog.

## PROTECTS AGAINST MORE TYPES OF WORMS THAN HEARTGARD PLUS

Interceptor Plus protects dogs against five types of dangerous worms. Heartgard® Plus\* (ivermectin/pyrantel) only protects against three.



WANT TO  
SAVE WITH A  
\$15 REBATE?

Sign up to save\*\* at  
[InterceptorPlus.com](https://www.interceptorplus.com)

### IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION:

Treatment with fewer than 6 monthly doses after the last exposure to mosquitoes may not provide complete heartworm prevention. Prior to administration of Interceptor Plus, dogs should be tested for existing heartworm infections. The safety of Interceptor Plus has not been evaluated in dogs used for breeding or in lactating females. The following adverse reactions have been reported in dogs after administration of milbemycin oxime or praziquantel: vomiting, diarrhea, depression/lethargy, ataxia, anorexia, convulsions, weakness, and salivation. See safety summary on page 6 for additional important safety information.

\*Heartgard Plus protects against heartworm disease, roundworms, and hookworms (*A. braziliense*, *U. stenocephala*, *A. caninum*).

\*\*Savings in the form of a rebate. Rebate provided on an Interceptor Plus Visa® Prepaid Card. Card is issued by MetaBank®, N.A., Member FDIC. Card expires.

# IS YOUR DOG PROTECTED FROM WORMS?



HEARTWORM DISEASE



HOOKWORMS



ROUNDWORMS



WHIPWORMS



TAPEWORMS

## HEARTWORM DISEASE<sup>1</sup>

- Causes irreversible damage to the heart and arteries
- Treatment is extremely difficult, time-intensive and costly
- Symptoms include coughing, sluggishness and difficulty breathing, although some dogs may not show signs at all

## HOOKWORMS<sup>2</sup>

- Transmitted by ingesting infected soil or feces, or by microscopic larvae penetrating your dog's skin
- Symptoms may include bloody diarrhea, weight loss and anemia

## ROUNDWORMS<sup>3</sup>

- Nearly all puppies get roundworms from their mother, but they are also a threat to adult dogs
- Symptoms may include diarrhea, vomiting, stunted growth and bloated belly

## WHIPWORMS<sup>4</sup>

- Contracted when dogs ingest infective eggs, often by licking contaminated soil off their paws
- Symptoms may include bloody diarrhea, dehydration and weight loss

## TAPEWORMS<sup>5</sup>

- Typically acquired by ingesting tapeworm larvae residing in a host, such as a rabbit, rodent or flea
- Can go undetected, but dogs may scoot their rear ends on the ground to relieve irritation
- Often discovered when white- or cream-colored worm segments show up in feces or under the tail

For more information, ask your veterinarian or visit [InterceptorPlus.com](https://www.interceptorplus.com)

1. American Heartworm Society Current Canine Guidelines, 2020.

2. <http://www.petsandparasites.org/dog-owners/hookworms/>

3. <http://www.petsandparasites.org/dog-owners/roundworms/>

4. <http://www.petsandparasites.org/dog-owners/whipworms/>

5. <http://www.petsandparasites.org/dog-owners/tapeworms/>

# INTERCEPTOR<sup>®</sup> PLUS (milbemycin oxime/praziquantel)

## CONSUMER BRIEF SUMMARY FOR INTERCEPTOR PLUS

**Information for Dog Owners** – You should read this information before starting your dog on INTERCEPTOR PLUS. The risk information provided here is not comprehensive. Talk with your veterinarian if there is something you do not understand or if you want to learn more about INTERCEPTOR PLUS. **Always follow your veterinarian's instructions for giving your dog INTERCEPTOR PLUS.** Ask your veterinarian, call 1-888-545-5973 or visit [www.interceptorplus.com](http://www.interceptorplus.com) to obtain the full FDA-approved drug labeling.

### What is INTERCEPTOR PLUS?

- INTERCEPTOR PLUS is a monthly chewable tablet, available by prescription only, used to:
  - Prevent heartworm disease caused by *Dirofilaria immitis*.
  - Treat and control adult roundworm (*Toxocara canis*, *Toxascaris leonina*), adult hookworm (*Ancylostoma caninum*), adult whipworm (*Trichuris vulpis*), and adult tapeworm (*Taenia pisiformis*, *Echinococcus multilocularis*, *Echinococcus granulosus* and *Dipylidium caninum*) infections in dogs and puppies two pounds of body weight or greater and six weeks of age and older.

### What dogs should not use INTERCEPTOR PLUS?

- Puppies less than 6 weeks of age or less than 2 pounds of body weight.

The safety of INTERCEPTOR PLUS has not been evaluated in female dogs used for breeding or in lactating females. Ask your veterinarian about the use of INTERCEPTOR PLUS prior to use in these female dogs.

### How should I give INTERCEPTOR PLUS?

- Prior to use, dogs should be tested for existing heartworm infections and treated at the discretion of the veterinarian.
- For heartworm prevention, administer at monthly intervals beginning within 1 month of the dog's first seasonal exposure to mosquitoes and continuing until at least 6 months after exposure to mosquitoes.
- INTERCEPTOR PLUS may be administered year-round without interruption.

### What is the most important information I should know about INTERCEPTOR PLUS?

**Not for use in humans. Keep this and all medications out of reach of children.**

- Treatment with fewer than 6 monthly doses after the last exposure to mosquitoes may not provide complete heartworm prevention.

### What are the most common side effects that may occur while my dog is taking INTERCEPTOR PLUS?

- Vomiting
- Diarrhea
- Depression/Tiredness

Other reported side effects include uncoordinated body movements, loss of appetite, convulsions, weakness and salivation.

**Tell your veterinarian if your dog experiences these or any other side effect.**

To report suspected adverse reactions, call 1-888-545-5973. For additional information about adverse drug experience reporting for animal drugs, contact the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) at 1-888-FDA-VETS or <http://www.fda.gov/reportanimalae>.

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# WHAT DO YOU KNOW ABOUT WORMS?

**1** Just one bite from an infected mosquito could lead to heartworm disease.

TRUE  FALSE

**2** Your dog could get whipworms on your daily walk.

TRUE  FALSE

**3** Tapeworms can grow to be 8 inches or longer in dogs.

TRUE  FALSE

**4** Your dog can get hookworms at the dog park.

TRUE  FALSE

**5** There's a medicine that can protect your dog against 5 types of worms.

TRUE  FALSE

1. True 2. True 3. True 4. True 5. True.  
Ask your veterinarian for more info about all of these and ask to upgrade to the 5-worm protection of Interceptor Plus.

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