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HEARTWORM PREVENTIONS

Heartworm is a serious disease that is spread by mosquitoes, this worm has the potential to cause heart failure and death in dogs. Your dog does not have to be in contact with other dogs to contract this disease. Routine intestinal worm treatments do not provide cover against heartworm.

The prevalence of heartworm disease varies throughout Australia and the Murray Bridge Vet Clinic recommends that dogs are on a heartworm preventative. There are several reliable products available from the clinic to prevent heartworm disease in your canine friend.

REVOLUTION

- Spot on treatment which is easy to apply to the back of the neck
- Provides protection against **heartworm**, **ear mites**, **fox mange mites**, and also **adult and immature fleas**
- Must be applied once **monthly** to be effective against heartworm
- A great choice for dogs that live with other dogs and cats because it provides excellent adult flea control
- Remember you will still need to give all wormer tablets to cover intestinal worms – we recommend *milbemax* all wormer

INTERCEPTOR

- Flavoured chewable which is easy to give your dog
- Provides protection against **heartworm** and all the **intestinal worms**
- Must be given once **monthly** to be effective against heartworm
- Provides excellent protection against intestinal worms, a great choice if you have young children that will have lots of contact with the dog
- Remember you will need to use a flea protection – we recommend monthly *frontline*

SENTINEL

- Flavoured chewable which is easy to give your dog
- Provides protections against **heartworm**, all the **intestinal worms**, and the **eggs and larvae of fleas**
- Must be given once **monthly** to be effective against heartworm
- Covers all the important parasites and is an excellent choice for dogs that will spend lots of time inside because of its control over the flea life cycle.

PROHEART

- Injection by the vet that provides protection against **heartworm** infection for **one year** in adult dogs
- Puppies receive injections at 12 weeks, 6 months, and with their annual vaccination thereafter, we will mail reminders out to you when the next dose is due
- Must be given **yearly** to be effective against heartworm
- Use an intestinal all wormer (*milbemax*) and flea protection (*frontline*) in conjunction with proheart for complete parasite control



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- Great choice if you are worried about remembering a monthly heartworm preventative.