

## COMMON FLEA PREVENTIVE MEDICATIONS FOR DOGS & CATS

PREVENTIVE	INSECTICIDES	SPECIES	INDICATIONS
<b>MONTHLY TOPICAL SOLUTIONS</b>			
<b>Advantage II</b> (Bayer)	Imidacloprid Pyriproxyfen	<b>Dogs</b> (≥ 7 wks) <b>Cats</b> (≥ 8 wks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Prevents and kills fleas (all life stages)</li> <li>Prevents and treats lice infestations (only dogs)</li> </ul>
<b>Advantage Multi</b> • For Dogs • For Cats (Bayer)	Imidacloprid Moxidectin	<b>Dogs</b> (≥ 7 wks; ≥ 3 lb) <b>Cats</b> (≥ 9 wks; ≥ 2 lb)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kills fleas and treats infestations</li> <li>Prevents heartworm disease</li> <li>Treats intestinal parasite infections</li> <li>Treats ear mite infestations (cats)</li> </ul>
<b>Activyl</b> (Merck)	Indoxacarb	<b>Dogs</b> (≥ 8 wks; ≥ 4 lb) <b>Cats</b> (≥ 8 wks; ≥ 2 lb)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kills fleas (all life stages) and prevents infestations</li> </ul>
<b>Activyl Tick Plus</b> (Merck)	Indoxacarb Permethrin	<b>Dogs</b> (≥ 8 wks; ≥ 4 lb) <b>Do not use on cats</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kills fleas (all life stages) and prevents infestations</li> <li>Repels and kills ticks</li> </ul>
<b>Certifect</b> (Merial)	Amitraz Fipronil (S)-methoprene	<b>Dogs</b> (≥ 9 wks; ≥ 5 lb) <b>Do not use on cats</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kills fleas (all life stages)</li> <li>Repels and kills ticks</li> <li>Kills chewing lice</li> </ul>
<b>EasySpot</b> (Novartis)	Fipronil	<b>Cats</b> (≥ 8 wks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kills fleas</li> <li>Kills ticks and chewing lice</li> </ul>
<b>Frontline Plus</b> (Merial)	Fipronil (S)-methoprene	<b>Dogs</b> (≥ 8 wks) <b>Cats</b> (≥ 8 wks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kills fleas (all life stages) and prevents infestations</li> <li>Repels and kills ticks</li> <li>Treats lice infestations</li> </ul>
<b>K9 Advantix II</b> (Bayer)	Imidacloprid Permethrin Pyriproxyfen	<b>Dogs</b> (≥ 7 wks) <b>Do not use on cats</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Repels and kills fleas (all life stages); prevents infestations</li> <li>Repels and kills ticks and mosquitoes</li> <li>Repels biting flies; kills chewing lice</li> </ul>
<b>Parastar</b> (Novartis)	Fipronil	<b>Dogs</b> (≥ 8 wks) <b>Do not use on cats</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kills fleas</li> <li>Kills ticks, chewing lice, and mites</li> <li>Treats sarcoptic mange</li> </ul>
<b>Revolution</b> (Pfizer)	Selamectin	<b>Dogs</b> (≥ 6 wks) <b>Cats</b> (≥ 8 wks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kills fleas, prevents egg hatching, and controls infestations</li> <li>Prevents heartworm disease</li> <li>Treats and controls ear mite infestations</li> <li>Treats sarcoptic mange and tick infestations (dogs)</li> <li>Treats and controls intestinal parasite infections (cats)</li> </ul>
<b>MONTHLY CHEWABLE TABLETS</b>			
<b>Comfortis</b> (Elanco)	Spinosad	<b>Dogs</b> (≥ 14 wks; ≥ 3.3 lb) <b>Cats</b> (≥ 14 wks; ≥ 2 lb)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kills fleas and prevents/treats infestations</li> </ul>
<b>Program</b> (Novartis)	Lufenuron	<b>Dogs</b> (≥ 4 wks) <b>Cats</b> (≥ 4 wks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Prevents development of flea eggs and controls flea populations</li> <li>Does <u>not</u> kill adult fleas</li> </ul>
<b>Sentinel*</b> (Novartis)	Lufenuron Milbemycin oxime	<b>Dogs</b> (≥ 4 wks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Prevents development of flea eggs and controls flea populations</li> <li>Prevents heartworm disease</li> <li>Treats and controls intestinal parasite infections</li> </ul>
<b>Trifexis</b> (Elanco)	Milbemycin oxime Spinosad	<b>Dogs</b> (≥ 8 wks; ≥ 5 lb)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kills fleas and prevents infestations</li> <li>Prevents heartworm disease</li> <li>Treats and controls intestinal parasite infections</li> </ul>
<b>MONTHLY LIQUIDS</b>			
<b>Program Suspension</b> (Novartis)	Lufenuron	<b>Cats</b> (≥ 6 wks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Prevents development of flea eggs and controls flea populations</li> <li>Does <u>not</u> kill adult fleas</li> </ul>
<b>SIX-MONTH PREVENTIVES</b>			
<b>Program Injectable</b> (Novartis)	Lufenuron	<b>Cats</b> (≥ 6 wks) <b>Do not use in dogs</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Prevents development of flea eggs and controls flea populations</li> <li>Does <u>not</u> kill adult fleas</li> </ul>
<b>Scalibor Protector Band</b> (Merck)	Deltamethrin	<b>Dogs</b> (≥ 12 wks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kills fleas</li> <li>Kills ticks</li> </ul>
<b>SINGLE-DOSE PREVENTIVES</b>			
<b>CAPSTAR</b> (Novartis)	Nitenpyram	<b>Dogs</b> (≥ 4 wks; ≥ 2 lb) <b>Cats</b> (≥ 4 wks; ≥ 2 lb)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kills adult fleas and treats infestations</li> </ul>

\* Temporarily unavailable; for more information, see [ah.novartis.us/FAQ/FAQ.htm](http://ah.novartis.us/FAQ/FAQ.htm).