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Worming Your Dog



Adult dogs should be wormed every three months.

Complete round wormer and tapeworm tablets are the easiest, treating both types of worms in one dose.

The veterinary surgery is able to supply the most effective wormers available, which is especially important for dogs working or exercising on farmland. Pet shops are restricted to selling less strong tapeworm products that do not clear all the tapeworms.

It is important to keep up with roundworm treatments every three months as this eliminates the risk of roundworm (*Toxocara*) eggs spreading from the dog's faeces and becoming a danger to children.

In addition to worm tablets, pastes or liquids, roundworms can also be cleared by some regular monthly flea treatments, e.g Advocate vials applied to the skin and Program Plus tablets.

If some type of roundworm medication is being used every three months, the dog only needs tapewormer every six months.



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