

COMMON FLEA PREVENTIVE MEDICATIONS FOR DOGS & CATS

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

* Temporarily unavailable; for more information, see ah.novartis.us/FAQ/FAQ.htm.