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## Flea and Worm Information For Your Cat

There are plenty of options for flea and worming prevention available from Oakfield Vets. We do everything we can to tailor your preventative health treatment to your individual needs.

These may include tablet treatment or spot on type treatment.

Some cats detest spot on treatments and application often includes stressing them by catching them via cornering them or wrapping them in a towel. Tablets for flea treatment have much improved over the years and are flavoured to be palatable and often taken like a treat. Some cats have gastric sensitivities and spot on treatments may be preferred, some cats with skin issues may prefer oral medications. If your cat is indoor only, the frequency of treatment will be reduced compared to a cat who has outdoor access and regularly hunts. Please tell us if your cat is fed raw food as this increases the risks also. Be aware that tapeworm treatment is not a lasting product, it's effective

for 24hours after treatment.

We all prefer for our pets to be happy and comfortable with which ever treatment method we use.

Some products offer guarantees which allows you to take one dose home and try, and if your pet won't take it we can give you another treatment free of charge as a replacement (product depending).

Please feel free to discuss with your vet or your nurse the specific needs of your pet for a more holistic approach. If a product has not been discussed with you previously, we may need to book in you in a free of charge flea and worm vet check prior to dispensing. Company No. 07746795

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Product name	Туре	Treats	Length of Effect	Minimum age	Minimum weight (kg)	Available on PHC
Stronghold	Spot on Solution	Flea, Mites and Roundworm	1 month	6 weeks	1.25kg	Yes
Bravecto Plus	Spot on Solution	Fleas, Ticks, Mites and Roundworm	3 months	9 weeks	1.2kg	Yes
Credelio	Tablet	Fleas and Ticks	1 month	8 weeks	0.5kg	Yes
Felpreva	Spot on Solution	Fleas, Ticks, Mites, Lungworm, Roundworm and Tapeworm	3 months	10 weeks	1kg	Yes
Advocate	Spot on Solution	Fleas, Mites, Lungworm, and Roundworm	1 month	9 weeks	1kg	No longer available on PHC
Milbevet	Tablet	Lungworm, Roundworm and Tapeworm		6 weeks	0.5kg	Yes
Droncit 20mg	Spot on Solution	Tapeworm		After weaning	1kg	Yes
Droncit 50mg	Tablet	Tapeworm		After weaning	2.5kg	Yes
Panacur	Liquid	Tapeworm, Roundworm, Giardia		None	none	Yes
Profender	Spot on Solution	Roundworm, Lungworm, Tapeworm		8 weeks	0.5kg	Not available first line on PHC

The above table shows all treatment options available. With the exception of Felpreva, you will need a combination of at least two products to be completely covered against all fleas, ticks and worms. But depending on your cat's lifestyle you may not need to treat for all parasites.

Often the first product we use on your pet is defined by the patients age and weight, so we may adjust

the treatment options used in

the future as your pet

ages/grows.

