

CAUTION

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
READ SAFETY DIRECTIONS BEFORE OPENING OR USING
FOR ANIMAL TREATMENT ONLY



Credelio Plus Chewable Tablets For Very Small Dogs
Each chewable tablet contains 56.25 mg Lotilaner / 2.11 mg Milbemycin oxime

Credelio Plus Chewable Tablets For Small Dogs
Each chewable tablet contains 112.5 mg Lotilaner / 4.22 mg Milbemycin oxime

Credelio Plus Chewable Tablets For Medium Dogs
Each chewable tablet contains 225 mg Lotilaner / 8.44 mg Milbemycin oxime

Credelio Plus Chewable Tablets For Large Dogs
Each chewable tablet contains 450 mg Lotilaner / 16.88 mg Milbemycin oxime

Credelio Plus Chewable Tablets For Very Large Dogs
Each chewable tablet contains 900 mg Lotilaner / 33.75 mg Milbemycin oxime

Indications

TICKS

For the treatment and control of:

- Paralysis ticks (*Ixodes holocyclus*),
- Brown Dog ticks (*Rhipicephalus sanguineus*) and
- Bush ticks (*Haemaphysalis longicornis*) for 1 month.

Ixodes holocyclus ticks do not occur in Western Australia. In tick season, daily searching for, and removal of, any ticks found is recommended.

FLEAS

- Rapidly kills fleas before they have a chance to lay eggs.
- Controls flea allergy dermatitis (FAD) by controlling adult fleas.

Be certain that the entire dose is consumed; watch your dog for several minutes after dosing to ensure that this is the case. If the entire dose is not consumed, redose as soon as possible with the full dose.

Ticks:

Credelio PLUS demonstrated > 95% efficacy for a full month against Paralysis ticks, Brown Dog ticks and Bush ticks. In Australian studies, Paralysis ticks were killed (> 95% efficacy) within 48 hours.

Flea infestations:

Credelio PLUS starts to kill fleas within 2 hours from administration, with fleas being eliminated within 6-12 hours. For new infestations, fleas are eliminated within 4-6 hours throughout the entire month. Credelio PLUS kills existing and newly emerged fleas on dogs before they can lay eggs due to its rapid onset of action and long lasting efficacy. Therefore, Credelio PLUS breaks the flea life cycle and prevents environmental contamination in areas to which the dog has access.

Credelio PLUS can be used as part of a treatment strategy for flea allergy dermatitis (FAD).

Flea tapeworm:

The flea tapeworm (*D. caninum*) is transmitted by fleas. Dogs become infested by ingesting adult fleas carrying the tapeworm larvae. Effective flea control with Credelio PLUS prevents infestation.

Mites:

Monthly administration of Credelio PLUS effectively treats and controls generalised demodectic mange caused by demodex mites. Treated dogs experienced a marked reduction of skin lesions and significant hair-regrowth. Monthly treatment should be continued until the absence of mites is confirmed by two consecutive monthly skin scrapings. Demodectic mange is a multifactorial condition so consultation with a veterinarian is recommended.

Heartworm disease prevention:

Monthly treatment with Credelio PLUS prevents heartworm disease from threatening the health of your dog.

- Heartworm disease can make dogs very sick or even prove fatal.
- Dogs become infested with this parasite (*Dirofilaria immitis*) when a mosquito carrying infective juvenile worms takes a blood meal.
- Worms grow and migrate through the body over a number of months and settle in the heart, lungs and nearby blood vessels, potentially leading to organ failure and death.

- Provides immediate treatment and persistent killing activity for up to 1 month for fleas (*Ctenocephalides felis*).

Fleas can transmit flea tapeworm (*Dipylidium caninum*). Effective flea control with Credelio PLUS prevents flea tapeworm infestations in dogs.

MITES

For the treatment and control of demodex mites (*Demodex* spp.).

HEARTWORM

For the prevention of heartworm (*Dirofilaria immitis*) disease.

INTESTINAL WORMS

For the treatment and control of:

- Roundworm (adult and larval *Toxocara canis*, adult *Toxascaris leonina*)
- Hookworm (*Ancylostoma caninum*, *Ancylostoma braziliense*, *Ancylostoma ceylanicum*: larval (L4), immature adult (L5) and adult)
- Whipworm (adult *Trichuris vulpis*).

If problems persist, consult your veterinarian.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

Precautions

The safe use of Credelio PLUS in breeding males and females has not been evaluated. Not recommended for use on puppies under 8 weeks of age or weighing less than 1.4 kg.

Dosage and administration

Credelio PLUS contains lotilaner and milbemycin oxime and is available in five strengths. The recommended dosing schedule indicates the strength of the chewable tablet to be used according to the body weight of the dog.

The minimum recommended dose rate is 20 mg lotilaner/kg and 0.75 mg milbemycin oxime/kg body weight administered with or following food. Dogs should be dosed appropriately to ensure a dose rate of 20 to 41 mg lotilaner/kg and 0.75 – 1.53 mg milbemycin oxime/kg body weight.

Recommended Dosage Schedule

Dog size	Dog weight (kg)	Lotilaner (mg / chewable tablet)	Milbemycin Oxime (mg / chewable tablet)	Tablets administered
Very Small	1.4 - 2.8	56.25	2.11	One
Small	> 2.8 - 5.5	112.5	4.22	One
Medium	> 5.5 - 11	225	8.44	One
Large	> 11 - 22	450	16.88	One
Very Large	> 22 - 45	900	33.75	One

As with other monthly heartworm preventatives, dogs should be tested for heartworm prior to commencing treatment with Credelio PLUS. Consult your veterinarian before starting a heartworm prevention program. Heartworms can have serious effects on the health of dogs. The use of Credelio PLUS in heartworm positive dogs has not been evaluated.

When replacing another monthly heartworm preventative product, the first dose of Credelio PLUS must be given within 1 month of the last dose of the previous monthly medication.

Intestinal worms:

Credelio PLUS also treats and controls the intestinal worms that most commonly cause illness in dogs. Some of these worms are zoonotic, which means they can also cause disease in humans.

- Intestinal worms can be picked up in a number of ways e.g. from the environment, by eating other animals or undercooked meat, through the mother's milk when suckling as a pup, or can be contracted in-utero prior to birth.

Regular treatment of the dog with Credelio PLUS will protect your dog and your family from these parasites.

General Instructions

Credelio PLUS should be administered at monthly intervals, preferably on the same date each month.

Treatment with Credelio PLUS may begin at any time of the year, preferably starting 1 month before fleas and/or mosquitoes become active and continuing monthly through the end of flea and mosquito season. In areas where fleas, mosquitoes or ticks are common year-round, monthly treatment with Credelio PLUS should continue the entire year without interruption.

To minimise likelihood of flea or worm reinfestation, it is important to treat all animals within a household with an approved parasite protection product.

As Credelio PLUS is an oral product, there are no restrictions with regards to swimming or washing after treatment. The dog can be treated while it is wet and can be exposed to water immediately after treatment.

SAFETY DIRECTIONS

May irritate the eyes. Avoid contact with eyes. Wash hands after use.

For dogs weighing above 45 kg body weight, the appropriate combination of tablets matching the weight of the dog should be used. For dogs weighing between 1.4 to 45 kg, an appropriate combination of tablets may also be used, provided the minimum dose rate of 20 mg/kg lotilaner and 0.75 mg/kg milbemycin oxime is maintained.

Within each weight range, and for any suitable combination of tablets, whole tablets must be used.

Administer Credelio PLUS with or following food.

Credelio PLUS is a palatable chewable tablet, and is readily consumed by dogs when offered by hand.

Treat your dog on or about the same day each month.

Credelio PLUS may be used all year round.

General Directions

NOT TO BE USED FOR ANY PURPOSE, OR IN ANY MANNER, CONTRARY TO THIS LABEL UNLESS AUTHORISED UNDER APPROPRIATE LEGISLATION.

Safety to Dogs

Credelio PLUS was shown to be safe in various breeds of dogs (including Collie breeds) and in puppies 8 weeks of age and older and in dogs weighing 1.4 kg and above.

Lotilaner is part of the isoxazoline family of chemicals. Adverse reactions to this family of chemicals are rarely observed but may include vomiting, diarrhoea, lethargy, inappetence, itching and very rarely, seizures. Most adverse reactions are self-limiting and of short duration. If you have any concerns, please speak to your veterinarian.

Dose monthly

Credelio PLUS must be given every month, preferably on the same date, to ensure complete protection for your dog. Most dogs will take Credelio PLUS from your hand.

If this is not the case, try hiding the chewable tablet in their food.

FIRST AID

If poisoning occurs, contact a doctor or Poisons Information Centre. (Phone Australia 131 126). If in eyes, hold eyes open, flood with water for at least 15 minutes and see a doctor.

ADDITIONAL USER SAFETY INFORMATION:

If additional hazard information is required, refer to the Safety Data Sheet. For a copy phone 1800 995 709.

DISPOSAL

Dispose of container by wrapping with paper and putting in garbage.

STORAGE

Store below 30 °C (room temperature).

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