

PUPPY HEALTH SCHEDULE

05/28/08	<p>BIRTH - Puppies are born with eyes and ears closed. They have a long tail and dew claws. Keep mother and babies at 60 degrees.</p>
05/31/08	<p>3-DAYS - Dewclaws are removed at 3 days.</p>
06/11/08	<p>2-WEEKS - Eyes and ears open at this time. This is a very important time for the pup to develop human bonding, when they can first see you. Their eyes appear blue when they first open.</p> <p>Puppies should get their 1st worming from a dose of liquid <u>Safeguard</u>, (mix to 1ml\1cc per 5 lbs. body weight once daily for 3 consecutive days). For smaller breeds use 1ml\1cc per 10 lbs. body weight. This treatment also kills the parasite Giardiasis.</p> <p>Note for Safeguard\Panacur: Highly effective wormer aids in the removal of roundworms, hookworms, whipworms, and tapeworms (taenia). Can be put on the food, used in puppies, debilitated dogs, pregnant females and heartworm-infected dogs. Use daily for 3 days. (Powder form; give 1gm per 10 pounds of body weight).</p>
06/25/08	<p>4-WEEKS - Puppies start eating a quality Puppy food with Cocci Guard (1-tsp per 10 lbs body weight) mixed in to help their appetite and control any possible bacteria or Coccidia parasites.</p> <p>Puppies should get their 2nd worming from a dose of liquid <u>Safeguard</u>.</p> <p>They start getting coordination and their eyes darken in color. The pup's personality is continuing to develop.</p> <p>Note for Cocci Guard: (Decoquinate .5%) Widely used feed additive for the prevention of Coccidiosis parasites.</p>
07/09/08	<p>6-WEEKS - Puppies receive their 1st shot of <u>Duramune Max 5</u>.</p> <p>It is time to start weaning the puppies from mother at 6 weeks of age; a very stressful time for puppies, they need extra bonding from humans.</p> <p>Puppies should get their 3rd worming from a dose of liquid <u>Safeguard</u>.</p> <p>Note for Duramune Max 5: Vaccinate healthy dogs with 1mL dose SQ starting at 6 weeks of age, then every 2-3 weeks until 12 weeks old. If over 12 weeks old, repeat in 2-3 weeks. Revaccinate annually.</p>

07/16/08	7 -WEEKS – Puppies receive a dose of <u>Intra-Trac III ADT</u> (for Adenovirus Cough, Para Influenza, and Bordetella for Kennel Cough).	
07/23/08	8-WEEKS – Puppies should be adopted out at this time. Puppies should get their 4th worming from a dose of liquid <u>Safeguard</u> . A worming schedule should be established to keep your puppy clear and healthy.	
07/30/08	9-WEEKS – Puppies receive their 2 nd shot of <u>Duramune Max 5</u> .	
08/06/08	10-WEEKS - Puppies are weighed. The weight is doubled with one-half pound added to determine approximate adult weight.	
08/20/08	12-WEEKS - Puppies receive their 3rd shot of <u>Duramune Max 5</u> . Puppies are weighed again and weight is doubled to determine approximate adult weight.	
09/17/08	16-WEEKS – Rabies shot can be given at any time.	
11/26/08	6-MONTHS – Puppy should be spayed or neutered.	
05/28/09	1-YEAR – Dog should receive a quality multi-vaccine booster, Kennel Cough booster, and Rabies booster.	

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