

### Warnings:

- Do not use on puppies under 7 weeks of age, and less than 1,0 kg body mass.
- **Advocate**<sup>®</sup> for dogs must not be used on cats.
- The safety of **Advocate**<sup>®</sup> for dogs has not been established during pregnancy and lactation.
- Handle with care.
- Store away from food and feed.
- Keep out of reach of children, uninformed persons and animals.
- **Advocate**<sup>®</sup>-treated dogs should not swim in an aquatic environment for 4 days after treatment, as
  - the product could be harmful to aquatic organisms.
- Do not allow recently-treated animals to groom each other. Care should be taken to prevent the animal from licking the application site.
- On rare occasions, the use of the product may result in transient pruritus in dogs, and greasy hair, erythema and vomiting can occur. These signs disappear without further treatment.
- The product tastes bitter. Salivation may occasionally occur if the animal licks the application site immediately after treatment. This is not a sign of intoxication and disappears within some minutes
  - without treatment. Correct application will minimise licking of the application site.
- Although the product may be safely administered to dogs infected with adult heartworms, it has no therapeutic effect against adult *Dirofilaria immitis*. It is therefore recommended that all dogs 6 months of age and older, living in areas endemic for heartworm, should be tested for existing adult heartworm infection before being treated with the product. In non-endemic areas there should be no risk of dogs having heartworm. Therefore, they can be treated without special precautions.
- As with any product containing macrocyclic lactones, special care should be taken in Collies, Old English Sheepdogs and related breeds or crossbreeds, to correctly administer the product as directed. Oral uptake by the recipient and/or other animals should be prevented.
- Consult your veterinarian before using the product on sick and debilitated dogs and dogs weighing less than 1,0 kg.
- Although this remedy has been extensively tested under a large variety of conditions, failure thereof may ensue as a result of a wide range of reasons. If this is suspected, seek your veterinarian's advice and notify the registration holder.