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Nobivac[®] Vaccine Premier Promise

Merck Animal Health guarantees the efficacy of its Nobivac[®] vaccines for dogs and cats in accordance with the 2017 AAHA and 2013 AAFP Guidelines, which support lifestyle vaccination and flexible revaccination periods independent of the label claims of our vaccines.

This guarantee will cover diagnostic and treatment costs up to \$5,000 in cases where the animal contracts a disease for which it has been vaccinated with Nobivac. In the unfortunate event that a pet should succumb to the disease, we will offer up to \$1,000 as a pet replacement stipend.

This guarantee only applies to Merck Animal Health vaccines administered by or under the supervision of a licensed veterinarian and purchased directly from Merck Animal Health or from an authorized distributor.

Vaccines Guaranteed for Three Years

USDA Licensed 3 Year Vaccines:

Canine

Nobivac[®] Canine 3-DAPv
Nobivac[®] 3-Rabies
Nobivac[®] 3-Rabies CA

Feline

Nobivac[®] Feline 3-HCP
Nobivac[®] 3-Rabies
Nobivac[®] 3-Rabies CA

USDA Licensed 1 Year Vaccines with a 3 Year Guarantee:

Canine

Nobivac[®] Canine 1-DAPPv
Nobivac[®] Canine 1-DAPPv L₂
(1 year guarantee for Lepto)
Nobivac[®] Canine 1-DAPPv+L₄
(1 year guarantee for Lepto)
Nobivac[®] Canine 1-DAPPv+Cv
(1 year guarantee for coronavirus)
Nobivac[®] Canine 1-DAPPvL₂+Cv
(1 year guarantee for Lepto and coronavirus)
Nobivac[®] Canine 1-Pv
Nobivac[®] Puppy-DPv

Feline

Nobivac[®] Feline 1-HCP
Nobivac[®] Feline 1-HCP + FeLV
(2 year guarantee FeLV)
Nobivac[®] Feline 1-HCPCh
(1 year guarantee for Chlamydia)
Nobivac[®] Feline 1-HCPCh+FeLV
(1 year guarantee for Chlamydia, 2 year guarantee FeLV)

Vaccines Guaranteed for Two Years

USDA Licensed 2 Year Vaccines:

Feline

Nobivac® Feline 2-FeLV

Vaccines Guaranteed for One Year

USDA Licensed 1 Year Vaccines:

Canine

Nobivac® 1-Rabies
Nobivac® Canine 1-Cv
Nobivac® Lepto₄
Nobivac® Lyme
Nobivac® Canine Flu H3N8
Nobivac® Canine Flu H3N2
Nobivac® Canine Flu Bivalent
Nobivac® Intra-Trac Oral Bb
Nobivac® Intra-Trac KC
Nobivac® Intra-Trac 3
Nobivac® Intra-Trac 3 ADT

Feline

Nobivac® Feline-Bb
Nobivac® 1-Rabies

Provisions for this Efficacy Guarantee Include:

- All pets must be vaccinated by or under the supervision of a licensed veterinarian with an established client-patient relationship. All vaccines must be administered in accordance with the labeled directions for administration and local regulations.
- Documentation of vaccination records must be maintained on file by the veterinarian and be available for review by Merck Animal Health. Vaccine records should include at a minimum, the vaccine brand, serial number and the date(s) of vaccination.
- Veterinarians must cooperate with Merck Animal Health's Technical Services Department (1-800-224-5318) in designing a diagnostic and treatment protocol for the pet.
- The main point of contact for the guarantee to be valid must be a veterinarian (or appropriate veterinary health care team member).
- For the one-year guarantee, two-year guarantee and the three-year guarantees to be valid, all pets must have completed an age appropriate initial vaccination series, with the Merck Animal Health vaccine being the most recent vaccine used in the series, unless otherwise specified. Note: The current AAHA Canine Vaccination Guidelines recommend vaccinating puppies out to 16-20 weeks for DAPPv vaccines.
(www.aaha.org/guidelines/canine_vaccination_guidelines.aspx)
- For the three-year guarantee to be valid for 1-year licensed products, a booster vaccine must be administered 1 year after the initial series is completed before going to a 3 year interval.
- Any case involving onset of disease within three weeks of final vaccination will be handled on a case-by-case basis by our Technical Services Dept. Merck Animal Health's determination of coverage will be final.
- Claims involving animal species other than those on the product label are not covered.

- Payments made under the guarantee program may require a signed release form from the pet owner.
- Parvo:
 - Puppies (under 16 weeks of age) must have at least 2 doses of a veterinarian-administered parvo-containing vaccine (with the last dose being Nobivac® administered when the puppy is at least 12 weeks of age (per label)).
 - Dogs 16 weeks and older must have at least 1 dose of a Nobivac parvo vaccine and must have completed a juvenile series with a USDA licensed parvo vaccine for complete coverage.
 - All qualifying dogs must have a positive Parvo ELISA test (or other confirmatory tests) occurring at least 3 weeks following the dose administered when the dog was at least 12 weeks of age.
 - Additional diagnostic testing may be requested (cost covered by Merck Animal Health).
- Lyme:
 - For dogs previously properly vaccinated with a Lyme vaccine other than Nobivac Lyme, it is recommended that they test negative for Lyme at the time of vaccination and receive an initial 2 dose series with Nobivac Lyme for optimal protection. However, these dogs will be covered under the guarantee after receiving a single dose of Nobivac Lyme if there have been no gaps in vaccination.
 - Dogs with no previous Lyme vaccinations are required to complete a two dose vaccination series with Nobivac® Lyme to receive any support under the guarantee.
 - If any dog has a positive Lyme test subsequent to vaccination with Nobivac® Lyme, Technical Services may request and support the cost of an additional, confirmatory Lyme test.
- Canine Influenza:
 - All dogs must receive an initial two-dose vaccination series required for primary immunization, with the Merck Animal Health vaccine being the last vaccine of the series. Dogs receiving only one vaccination of the initial series will not be eligible for partial coverage.
 - Coverage for the H3N2 and H3N8 strains requires appropriate vaccination with Nobivac® Canine Flu H3N2, H3N8, or Nobivac® Canine Flu Bivalent.
 - If converting from a monovalent canine influenza vaccine to Nobivac® Canine Flu Bivalent, the dog must receive the appropriate two vaccination series for the influenza strain not previously vaccinated against by using the monovalent vaccine (Nobivac® Canine Flu H3N8 or Nobivac® Canine Flu H3N2) or Nobivac® Canine Flu Bivalent.
 - Annual vaccination is required for Nobivac® Canine Flu H3N8 and Nobivac® Canine Flu H3N2 or Nobivac® Canine Flu Bivalent.
 - Vaccination or previous exposure to CIV will result in a positive canine influenza antibody test. Technical Services may request and support the costs of additional diagnostic procedures associated with any CIV guarantee claim.
- Leptospirosis:
 - Dogs with a previous appropriate vaccination history with other 4-way Leptospira vaccines receiving only one Nobivac® Lepto₄ [or Nobivac® Canine 1-DAPPv+L₄] vaccination will be eligible for 100% of the diagnostic and treatment costs normally covered by the guarantee, up to a maximum of \$5,000.
 - Dogs with no previous Leptospira vaccinations are required to complete the two dose vaccination series with Nobivac® Lepto₄ [or Nobivac® Canine 1-DAPPv+L₄] to receive any support under the guarantee.
 - If converting a dog from a 2-way to a 4-way Leptospira vaccine, it is recommended that the dog receive a two dose vaccination series with Nobivac® Lepto₄ [or Nobivac® Canine 1-DAPPv+L₄] to provide the broadest leptospirosis protection possible.
 - If the dog does not receive the two dose vaccination series, efficacy complaints will be handled on a case-by-case basis.
- Feline Leukemia:
 - All cats must have a record of a current negative feline leukemia blood test at the time of initial vaccination. In addition, there must be no lapses in vaccination for over two years without a new negative feline leukemia blood test at the time of revaccination.
 - First time vaccinates must receive two doses of Nobivac® Feline 2-FeLV.
 - Adult cats with a history of vaccination with another manufacturer's FeLV vaccine will qualify for the full provisions of the guarantee as long as the last vaccine received was Nobivac® Feline 2-FeLV.