

COMMON FIRST YEAR ISSUES AND SIMPLE FIXES

Vitamin C and Knuckling

Dogs and puppies can produce vitamin C except during times of stress, and you can actually tell how much stress your pup or dog is under by testing how much vitamin C is in the blood stream. Without Vitamin C being produced, due to stress of changing homes, large breed puppies can get what is referred to as Knuckling, which is where the front ankles start to turn over their feet, this can happen quickly, in the matter of a week to two due to their fast growth, but it is also an easy fix within a week or two as well with added vitamin C 1500mg a day, or, to prevent it entirely just give them a Vitamin C pill daily the first week or two :)

Omega Three Fatty Acids and the Skin

Omega three fatty acids improve brain, heart, cardiovascular, eye, skin and coat health, even reducing shedding by up to 90% and preventing or lessening first year skin issues *youth pimples, *hair loss from allergies or other causes and *hot spots caused by excessive growth hormones in the large breed babies, it also lengthens overall life spans *if given throughout their life and prevents many issues during the first year of growth and then again in their later years. We use seapet.com products and they are proven to work... but supplements are not FDA regulated and in a recent study 17 out of 20 brands did not contain as much DHA OR EPA as they said they did with 6 brands containing no omega three fatty acids IN DHA OR EPA AT ALL! So please use the produces from seapet.com to ensure you are getting what you pay for, this is the only company I will honor my extended health warrantee with, for this reason. We have been using them for 16 years and go through a gallon and a 1/2 a month and I swear by them, so if you want the best for your new baby you will invest in this for their life. One adult will go through about 16oz a month at a TLB a day, which will run about 15/20\$ and their auto order you get every 5th order free.

Bravecto and skin issues caused by mites

Mites are normal skin flora for many dogs. When large breed puppies skin immunities are suppressed dues to stress of growing so rapidly especially from 6 months to 18 months they may experience some hair loss, bumps or other 'hot spots' like areas, if you are already using the oils, which will prevent or lessen them many times, then you may need extra help till they are done with their growth phase, which Bravecto will accomplish. Bravecto is a 3 month flea care that also suppresses the mites. If you notice slight hair thinning the first step would be to up their oils and switch to Bravecto flea care. In extreme cases, which happen more often with the very largest pups of a litter, or during times of more stress, like if they are being kenneled for a vacation, or starting a new doggy day care, or have to undergo a surgery...you may need to do a 10 day Ivermectin treatment .. FIRST *please text or call me if you think they need this and I can guid you through it 229-224-2591 * it is VERY important that they have NOT been given Comfortis or other flea care similar to Comforts for at least two weeks prior to giving an Ivermectin treatment course due to the blood/brain barrier and how they each effect it.

***As Always I am here for any advice or help so please always feel free to contact me first, I have devoted my life and the last 16 years to these amazing babies and have had 8 years of Biology schooling and am still continuing my education, through genetics right now, to continue my passion for educated breeding. And all Night Magic Families can reach me anytime day or night with questions or concerns, but if in doubt ALWAYS take your baby to a licensed Vet as when things go wrong it can happen fast. As a general rule of thumb, if your baby has a temp of 102.0 or less AND acts normal, and will eat and drink normally then you can feel free to call or text me first ... IF your baby ever acts significantly different ex. *Salivating, dilated eyes, temp of 103.5 and higher, pain, stopping eating or drinking, sever lethargy *wont move, Please call your vet first and then you can call me 2nd.