

HOW TO CREATE A

PET POISON FIRST AID KIT



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FIRST AID KIT TIPS

- Before you attempt anything with your new first aid kit, always make sure to speak with a poison control specialist prior to initiating any therapies at home.
- Never administer hydrogen peroxide to any pet without checking with a veterinary professional first, as sometimes it's not appropriate to induce vomiting at home.
- Never initiate first aid or administer any over-the-counter human medications to animals without speaking to a toxicologist or veterinary professional first!
- If you have any questions regarding the veterinary toxicology first aid kit recommendations, please call Pet Poison Helpline.

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HOME REMEDY RISKS

- Another important thing to keep in mind is home remedies. When it comes to our pets and poisons, we don't want to chance endangering our pet's lives with some made up, Internet-discovered, erroneous home remedies!
- We hear it all – owners who use milk, peanut butter, vegetable oil, or salt... and these remedies are all WRONG! Please know that these products should NEVER be administered as they don't work!
- Consult your veterinarian or Pet Poison Helpline to find out:
 - If the product ingested was poisonous to begin with.
 - What the true antidote is.
 - If emesis (inducing vomiting) is warranted or medically indicated.



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