

# Canine First Aid Supplies

## That Are Good To Have on Hand

**First Aid Supplies:** Keep First Aid Supplies together in one or two designated areas

Thermometer/Vaseline  
Hydrogen Peroxide  
Betadine (iodine prep solution)  
Neosporin (topical antibiotic)  
Eye Ointment without steroids  
Quick Stop  
4 X 4 gauze pads  
Cotton Balls  
Q tips  
Alcohol  
Cold (Ice) Pack  
Nutri-Cal and/or Baby Food (in jars, meat flavor)

Hemostats/Tweezers  
Elizabethan Collar  
(can easily be stored flat under a bed)  
Assorted Sized Syringes  
(for giving oral medications)

**If you feel comfortable with Bandaging, add:**

Telfa Pads  
Stretch Gauze  
Bandage Tape  
Elastikon (elastic stretch bandage)  
Bandage Scissors (blunt tip)

### Travel Size First Aid Kit for You Car and /or Tack Bag:

Many suppliers sell First Aid Kits or you can make your own by using a small Tackle Box or Camping Kit

Band Aids  
Betadine  
Hydrogen Peroxide  
Alcohol Wipes and 4 X 4 gauze pads  
Neosporin  
Eye Ointment without steroids  
Quick Stop  
Q Tips  
Thermometer

**Over the Counter Medications** (see below)  
Benadryl  
Imodium AD and Pepsid AD  
Ascription or Rimadyl (requires prescription)

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Stretch Gauze and Elastikon  
Bandage Tape  
Bandage Scissors (blunt tip)

### If You Have A Bitch In Whelp, Add:

Heating Pad/Lamps  
Baby Scale  
Hemostats, Dental Floss, Scissors (blunt tip) & Iodine  
(to clamp, tie, cut and clean umbilical cord)

Esbilac  
Pedialyte  
Desitin (diaper rash cream)  
Mineral Oil (to give enema)  
Baby Bottle/Nipples

### Over The Counter Meds & Their Uses (Generic Brands work just as well)

**Benadryl** – antihistamine, for allergic reactions, insect bites, skin rashes etc., also for anxiety

**Imodium AD** - anti-diarrheal

**Pepsid AD** – antacid, calms upset stomach (used to combat heartburn in people)

**Gas Ex** – stomach and intestinal gas relief

**Ascription** – pain relief for limping, tail sprain etc. **NOTE:** *Aspirin type pain relievers can cause stomach*

**Rimadyl** -- pain relief (requires prescription) *upset/bleeding in dogs and is **NOT** to be give to cats*

**Check expiration dates & avoid storing in humid areas (bath/laundry room)**