



# Introducing Nobivac® Puppy DP PLUS

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A Focus on Young Puppies







Disease risks and vaccination considerations for young puppies



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Nobivac® Puppy DP PLUS and your clinic



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## **Experience of Puppy Infectious Diseases in Your Practice**

What are the key diseases of concern for puppies in your clinic?

Parvovirus

Distemper

 Canine Infectious Respiratory Disease (CIRD)



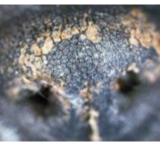


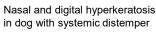


## Canine Distemper — Clinical Signs

## Severe multisystemic viral disease → range of signs:

- Gastrointestinal:
  - · Diarrhoea and vomiting
- Respiratory:
  - Nasal discharge, coughing, pneumonia
- Ocular:
  - Conjunctivitis, sudden blindness KCS, corneal ulcers
- Skin:
  - Pustular dermatitis, nasal and/or digital hyperkeratosis (hard-pad)
- Neurological:
  - Seizures and twitching (can follow clinical or subclinical disease)
- Can be fatal in 50–90% of clinical cases







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### **Canine Distemper — Other Important Aspects**

- Highly infectious but fragile virus:
  - Related to human measles virus
  - Doesn't survive well in environment but readily spreads from dog to dog
  - Shed via all secretions/excretions
  - Most frequently seen in three-to-six-monthold unvaccinated pups
- Diagnosis:
  - Clinical signs
  - RT-PCR
- Treatment:
  - Symptomatic and supportive therapy
- Vaccination highly effective



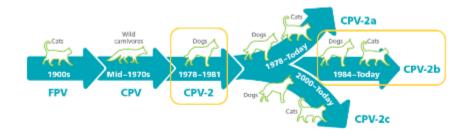
Canine Distemper Virus cytoplasmic inclusion body

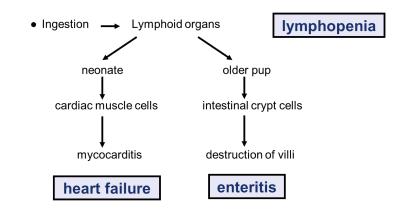




#### **Canine Parvovirosis — Overview**

- Caused by Canine Parvovirus type 2:
  - CPV-2
  - Nowadays more recent subtypes (CPV-2a, 2b and/or 2c) in field
- Very stable in the environment:
  - Can persist for months/year or more
- In the body, virus targets rapidly dividing cells:
  - Myocardial cells (neonates)
    - Uncommon nowadays
  - Intestinal cells (older pups and adults)







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## **Canine Parvovirosis — Impact of Disease**

- Clinical signs typically include vomiting and haemorrhagic enteritis:
  - Can progress to shock and collapse
  - Can be very severe with high mortality; severity influenced by:
    - · Age; immature animals worst affected
    - Intercurrent disease (esp. intestinal diseases)
    - Gut 'stress', e.g.
      - Weaning
      - Dietary change
      - New environment
- Diagnosis by clinical signs and detection of antigen in faeces
- Treatment mainly symptomatic/supportive:
  - High costs (both financial and emotional)
- Prevention is key:
  - Maternally derived antibodies (MDA)
  - Active immunity (vaccination)







## **Puppy Vaccination — Timing**

At what age do you vaccinate puppies ... and why?

What factors can interfere with effective puppy vaccination?

#### Owner factors:

- Owner engagement and education
- Breeder engagement

#### **Puppy Factors:**

- Age
- Genetics, underlying disease
- Maternally derived antibodies (MDA)



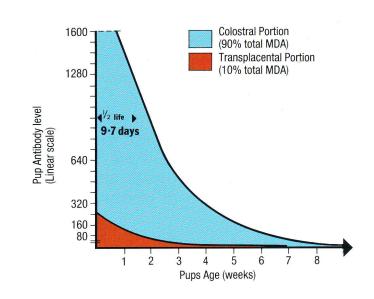




## **An Important Factor — Maternally Derived Antibodies (MDA)**

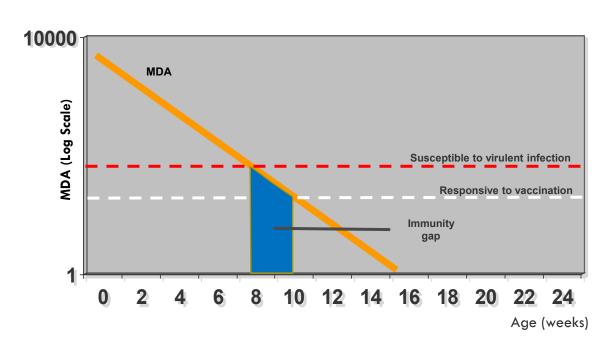
- Pass from dam to neonate mainly via colostrum
- Levels decline exponentially over the first weeks to months
- Important role:
  - To protect the puppy for the first few weeks of life
- Amount obtained by puppy depends on:
  - Level in colostrum
  - Ability of pup to suck in first few hours

#### Parvovirus MDA decline













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# Introducing Nobivac® Puppy DP PLUS

An innovative breakthrough in puppy protection





## Introducing Nobivac® Puppy DP PLUS



#### **Presentation:**

- 1-ml vials
- Pack 25 doses
- Lyophilised/freeze-dried
- Solvent included in packs

#### Cap colour:

- Olive/brown
- Same as Nobivac<sup>®</sup>
   Puppy DP
- Solvent cap is red

#### And featuring:

- Our 'spokes puppy'
- A Nova Scotia Duck Tolling Retriever



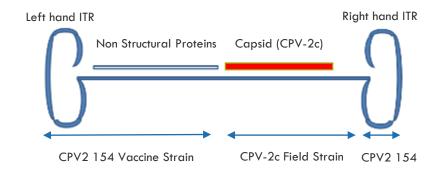




## What Does Nobivac® DP PLUS Contain?

## Nobivac<sup>®</sup> DP PLUS is a live bivalent vaccine comprising:

- Live attenuated canine distemper virus:
  - Onderstepoort strain
  - Same strain as in our existing range
  - High titre (10<sup>5.1</sup>-10<sup>6.5</sup> TCID<sub>50</sub>)
- Live attenuated parvovirus:
  - 630a strain
  - New recombinant strain
  - Derived from the backbone of the existing Nobivac Parvo 154 vaccine virus with a CPV-2c capsid







## **Nobivac<sup>®</sup> Puppy DP PLUS — Key Claims / Instructions**

#### Single, 1-ml dose s/c from four weeks of age:

OOI - CDV 7d; CPV 3d

#### **Basic efficacy claims:**

- CDV Prevention of clinical signs, mortality and virus shedding
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#### Efficacy in the face of MDA:

- CDV Immunity is achieved in animals of four weeks of age with low-to-moderate levels of MDA.
  - Moderate to high levels of MDA can reduce the efficacy of the product.
- CPV MDA against canine parvovirus do not interfere with the efficacy of this product.





## **Nobivac<sup>®</sup> Puppy DP PLUS — Key Claims / Instructions**

#### Compatibility:

- Cannot be mixed with any other vaccine
- Safety data, but no efficacy data, to support concurrent use of KC



#### Safety:

- A small, non-painful swelling (maximum 1 cm diameter) at the injection site is very commonly observed within the first week after vaccination.
   The swelling will resolve completely within a few days. Reduced activity can occur within four hours after vaccination.
- Safety has not been established during pregnancy.



## Features and Benefits of Nobivac® Puppy DP PLUS

#### <u>Features</u>

**Earlier protection** 

No MDA interference\*

Fastest OOI

Only vaccine based on Parvo 2c

Innovative technology

A new era in puppy protection

#### **Benefits**

Peace of mind (pet parents and vets)

Eliminates window of susceptibility\*

Enhanced health and wellbeing (pet)

Most current protection/relevant to field strain

Latest science



Early parvovirus protection WITHOUT MDA INTERFERENCE from four weeks of age\*



Rapid ONSET OF IMMUNITY\*



The FIRST vaccine based on the LATEST CPV-2c FIELD STRAIN



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## Nobivac® Puppy DP PLUS — **Key Studies**





## Study<sup>1</sup> — Onset of Immunity for Parvovirus

Four-week-old puppies with no pre-existing immunity were challenged with a virulent parvo 2c strain three days after vaccination with a minimal titre dose of Nobivac<sup>®</sup> Puppy DP PLUS. A group of similar, unvaccinated pups were also challenged in the same manner.

#### **Results:**

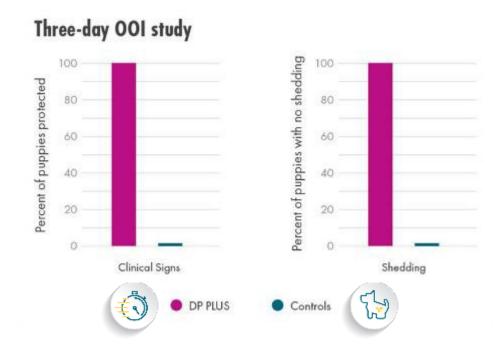
#### Vaccinated pups

- No mortality and no clinical signs of parvovirosis (100% protection)
- No shedding of challenge virus (100% prevention of shedding)

#### **Unvaccinated pups**

- All developed typical severe signs of parvovirosis four days post-challenge. All were euthanised for welfare reasons two-to-three days later (0% protection)

 All shed challenge virus from three or four days post-challenge (0% prevention of shedding)
Reference: 1. MSD Animal Health Internal Study DP PLUS 001







## Study<sup>1</sup> — Parvovirus Seroconversion in MDA +ve Pups

Four-week-old puppies with moderate-to-high levels of MDA were given a single, minimum titre dose of Nobivac® Puppy DP PLUS and monitored serologically every three-to-four days to record whether an active immune response was stimulated. A control group of unvaccinated pups with similar levels of MDA was also monitored serologically in the same way.

NB- MDA levels ranged from 288 to 1664 HAI units.

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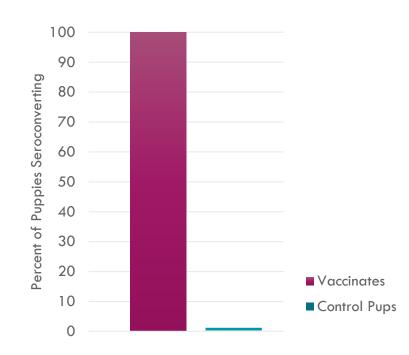
#### Vaccinated pups

• All responded serologically following vaccination (100% seroconverted).

#### **Unvaccinated pups**

 None responded serologically; MDA levels declined at the expected rate (0% seroconverted).

Reference: 1. MSD Animal Health Internal Study DP PLUS 002





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## Study<sup>1</sup> — Comparative Parvovirus Seroconversion in MDA +ve Pups

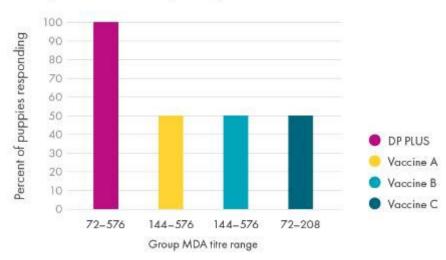
Ability of Nobivac<sup>®</sup> Puppy DP PLUS vs other parvovirus vaccines to stimulate seroconversion in six-week-old puppies in the face of MDA

All pups had parvovirus MDA titres of 72 to 576 HAI units; similar across all groups

#### **Results:**

- 100% (5/5) of the Puppy DP PLUS vaccinates seroconverted vs 50% (2/4) of each of the competitors.
- Only Nobivac<sup>®</sup> Puppy DP PLUS stimulated seroconversion in the presence of the highest MDA titres (>400 HAI units).

Comparative efficacy study



Redefining puppy protection

Reference: 1. MSD Animal Health Internal Study DP PLUS 003





Nobivac® Puppy DP PLUS in Your Clinic





## In Summary — Why You Should Offer NEW Nobivac® Puppy DP PLUS

- Creating a new standard in puppy protection:
  - 1. NEW innovation and science
  - Dramatically improves the ability to overcome CPV MDA
- 3. Rapid OOI; early and more reliable parvo protection for four-legged family members
- 4. Only vaccine based on parvo 2c strain
- 5. Trusted distemper protection
- Offering peace of mind for pet parents and for your clinic



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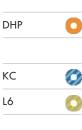
Protect puppies earlier and with more confidence than ever before!





## Nobivac<sup>®</sup> Puppy DP PLUS Protocol — Improved Early Protection

	4-6 WEEKS	8 WEEKS	10 WEEKS	12 WEEKS	14 WEEKS	16 WEEKS
Puppy DP PLUS	0					
L6		0		0		
KC		0				







## How to Integrate Nobivac® Puppy DP PLUS in Your Clinic

- Drive conversation with breeders and young puppy owners.
- Develop a vaccination plan for puppies that engages the whole team:
  - Targeted disease education
  - Understand the benefits of Nobivac<sup>®</sup> Puppy DP PLUS.
  - Discuss managed socialisation with clients.
- Utilise support from MSD Animal Health







Effects on Puppy Socialisation





## **Factors Affecting the Best Start for Puppies**



Individual's risk of exposure to disease



Timing of puppy vaccination and MDA interference



Delayed socialisation





## **Benefits of Early Protection**



#### For your clinic:

- Optimised protection against potentially fatal diseases
- Early engagement with pet owners



#### For your clients and their puppy:

- Peace of mind and protection
- Enjoy the benefits of earlier, controlled socialisation



#### For breeders:

- Optimised protection from the start
- Driving reputation and value







## THE NEW STANDARD OF PUPPY CARE



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INTERFERENCE
from four weeks
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## Thank you, any questions?



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## **Optional Additional Slides**





## Study<sup>1</sup> — Field Safety and Efficacy

A study to assess the safety and efficacy of Nobivac<sup>®</sup> DP PLUS (resuspended in tetravalent leptospirosis vaccine) under field conditions

- 89 puppies aged four-to-six weeks
- Over a third were small or miniature breeds
- Range of MDA titres:
  - CPV = 18 to 3328 HAI units
  - CDV =  $\leq 4$  to 54 VN<sub>50</sub>



Reference: 1. MSD Animal Health Internal Study DP PLUS 004

BREED	NUMBER
Miniature Pinscher	4
Spitz	20
Bichon	11
Cocker Spaniel	3
Spaniel	7
Husky	3
GSD x Belgian Shepherd	9
German Wirehaired Pointer	6
German Short Hair	9
Dobermann	9
Rottweiler	11

Over 1/3 small and miniature breeds





## Study<sup>1</sup> — Field Safety and Efficacy

#### **Results:**

#### Safety:

- No clinically relevant systemic reactions
- 17% (15 out of 89 pups) showed short immediate reaction to vaccination (whining and/or scratching)
- Some small, non-painful local swellings seen, which resolved within a few days

#### **Efficacy:**

- 99% seroconverted to CDV
- 91% seroconverted to CPV
  - Non-responders had a range of MDA
  - Non-responders were not 'black and tan' breeds
  - Other factors beyond MDA can affect response to parvovirus vaccines in puppies

Reference: 1. MSD Animal Health Internal Study DP PLUS 004





## Study — Onset of Immunity for Parvovirus — Shedding Results

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<sup>\*</sup> Puppy euthanised on welfare grounds



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\*PCR demonstrated virus shed was vaccine virus not challenge virus

