



Guide Dogs for the Blind

Frontline® Gold

Flea and Tick Preventative

Prior to July 15th, 2023

Puppies raised in all states except Texas received a 12-month supply of **FRONTLINE® GOLD**.

You received two different size doses:

- The first size (BLUE) is for when the puppy weighs 23-44 lbs.
- The second size (PURPLE) is for when the puppy weighs 45-88 lbs.
- Please read the package label and directions before each use.
- Keep out of reach of children.

Frontline® Gold is a year-round flea and tick *topical* treatment given once-a-month for dogs and puppies. This product goes onto the skin, not in the mouth. It is easy to use and one treatment prevents further flea infestation for at least 4 weeks and kills fleas before they lay eggs; it also kills ticks for at least one month.

Frontline® Gold remains effective following a shampoo treatment (although you should wait 24 hours after a bath to apply), swimming or after exposure to rain or sunlight. This means the puppy can have a bath, go swimming, or otherwise get wet, after 24 hours has passed, without affecting Frontline® Gold's strength or durability.

Each puppy is treated with Frontline® Gold before leaving GDB, so it is not necessary to begin use for at least 30 days after you receive the puppy.

Applied once a month, Frontline® Gold gives complete protection against fleas. Each pipette is one application. Any flea product has a potential for toxicity if applied improperly or overused, so it is very important to follow the directions exactly. Use only on dogs. Do not use it on other animals. If you run out of Frontline® Gold prior to the dog's recall or return to campus, please first check with your leader. If additional Frontline® Gold is not available in your club, visit your local veterinarian to switch the dog to Nexgard®. Please return any unused Frontline® Gold and/or Nexgard® with the dog when recalled or returned to campus.

Frontline® Gold Instructions:

- Remove one applicator from the package and hold in an upright position pointed away from you face. Then twist dispensing tip clockwise about ½ turn while pushing down to break the tube's seal. Do not remove the dispensing tip. The dog should be standing for easy application. Position the dispensing tip on the dog's back between the shoulder blades. Use the dispensing tip of the tube to part the dog's hair so that the product will be applied at skin level. Begin squeezing out the contents of the tube, doing your best to apply the tube evenly, to form a stripe as you move from the shoulder blades along the dog's back to the base of the tail.
- It is best to apply Frontline® Gold and then take the puppy for a walk or play with them for 30 minutes or so. This allows the product to disperse over the coat.
- Frontline® Gold is VERY bitter. If the puppy licks the product, it may produce a large amount of salivation due to the taste. Try to keep the puppy from licking until the product has had a chance to dry.