

The Household Medications For Pets chart I got from my vet in December of 2007:

**The following is a list of common household human medications that can be used on pets.

**These medications can be extremely useful if you can't reach a veterinarian immediately.

Product	Common Usage	Canine Dosage	Feline Dosage
Benadryl	Treats allergies, itching, etc.	0.5-1mg per lb. Every 8 hours. Max dosage 2mg. per lb.	0.5mg per lb. Every 8 hours. Can cause Excitability
Buffered Aspirin (Ascriptin)	Pain relief/anti-inflammatory	5mg per lb. Every 12 hours	NOT RECOMMENDED!
Dramamine	Reduces motion sickness	12.5 – 50mg Every 8 hours.	12.5mg Every 8 hours.
Hydrogen Peroxide (3%)	Used to induce vomiting after accidental ingestion of poisons.	10ml by mouth. Repeat in 15 minutes if not vomiting (do not exceed 3 times)	10ml by mouth. Repeat in 15 minutes if not vomiting (do not exceed 3 times)
Imodium AD (liquid or tablet)	Relieves diarrhea	1ml per lb. or 1 mg per 20lbs. Every 8 hours.	NOT RECOMMENDED!
Kaopectate	Relieves diarrhea	1ml per lb. Every 2 hours.	DO NOT USE!!!
Mineral Oil	Eliminates constipation	Up to 4 Tbs. Daily.	Up to 2 Tbs. Daily.
Canned Pumpkin	Eliminates constipation	2-3 tsp Every 8 – 12 hours	1-2 tsp Every 8 – 12 hours
Pepto Bismol	Diarrhea, anti-vomiting, gas	1 tsp per 5lbs. or 1 caplet per 20lbs. Every 6 hours.	NOT RECOMMENDED!
Robitussin DM	Coughing, Hacking	1 tsp per 20lbs. Every 8 – 12 hours.	NOT RECOMMENDED!
Ibuprofen & Tylenol	DO NOT USE!!!	DO NOT USE!!!	DO NOT USE!!!