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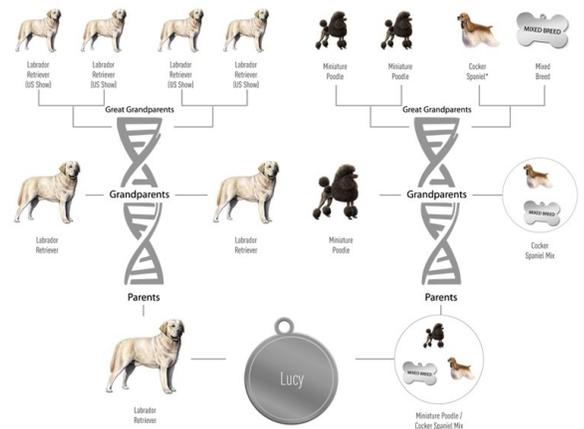
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- ### BENEFITS OF KNOWING YOUR DOG'S BREED
- Being aware of predisposed medical conditions
 - Insight on behavior
 - Estimating how large puppy may grow
 - Specific training techniques

WHAT BREED IS MY DOG? GENETIC HEALTH ANALYSIS

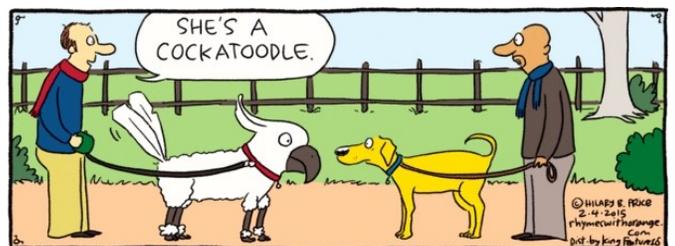
Have you ever looked at your adopted dog with its short legs and shaggy hair, and wondered what dog breeds are actually in there? Since Harvard and MIT programs unraveled the canine DNA sequence in 2006, a breed analysis is available to determine the lineage of your canine companion. This science has unleashed the potential for useful information to both the owner, as well as the veterinarians taking care of your pet. This type of testing can give an idea on cer-



tain health conditions they may be predisposed to, possibly allowing for early diagnosis and interven-

tion. Knowing the makeup of your dog's DNA can also be helpful providing insight on your dog's behavior, determining how large your puppy may get, as well as training techniques which may be most useful.

If you are interested in testing your dog, please let us know when scheduling, so that a kit can be ordered for your appointment. A small blood sample will be taken and then sent to the lab for analysis. In 3-4 weeks, you will receive an analysis of the results including genealogy findings, breed characteristics, genetic markers and nutritional considerations. Currently, this Genetic Health Analysis runs \$132.95 (price subject to change).



BRAVECTO – A NEW 3 MONTH ORAL FLEA/TICK PREVENTATIVE

We're happy to offer a new oral flea and tick preventative called Bravecto! This new product gives an alternative way to prevent your dogs from getting fleas and ticks without the hassle/mess of topical application. Bravecto is available for dogs 6 months and older and consists of a one time treatment that lasts for 3 months.

Bravecto is a tasty oral chew that gives your dog up to 12 weeks of protection against fleas and ticks. It provides broad-spectrum and long-lasting protection which starts killing fleas within 2 hours and treats and controls 4 tick species.

Bravecto is:

- More convenient than spot-on applications
- A single oral dose every 12 weeks
- A tasty chew dogs find palatable
- Bathing, swimming, and grooming do not affect efficacy
- Safe for use in adult dogs and puppies 6 months or older weighing 4.4 pounds or greater
- Can be used in breeding, pregnant, or lactating female dogs.

BRAVECTO
(FLURALANER)

12-WEEK FLEA AND TICK PROTECTION.^{1*}
1 CHEW.
0 WORRIES.

12 WEEKS 00 DAYS 00 HOURS

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INTERCEPTOR PLUS



Elanco Animal Health has re-launched Interceptor Plus, a chicken-flavored canine heartworm drug that fights intestinal parasites such as adult hookworms, adult roundworms, adult whipworms and adult tapeworms. Interceptor Plus should be administered orally once a month for dogs who are at least 6 weeks of age. This chicken-flavored chew is a good option for dogs with beef

allergies.

Please note than any rebates that are available for Interceptor will need to be redeemed by you, by visiting their website. The All Creatures staff will continue to process the Heartgard rebates for you automatically after your purchase.

CAR TEMPERATURE PET SAFETY CHART

How long does it take for a car to get HOT?

Outside Temp (F)	Inside Temp (F)	
	10mins	30mins
70°	89°	104°
75°	94°	109°
80°	99°	114°
85°	104°	119°
90°	109°	124°
95°	114°	129°

DOGS DIE EVERY SUMMER
In minutes your car temps are deadly!

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DR. INGRAM DONATES TIME AT RESERVATION

In March, Dr. Ingram, his daughter Kris, technician Jenell, Dr. Nancy Murbach and other volunteers went up to donate their time and services to the Navajo reservation in Tuba City, Arizona.



Dr. Ingram provided several hundred dog and cat vaccinations, as well as nearly 25 spays/neuters and Zeuterin procedures.

This year, Desiree Hoogerhuis with Boehringer Ingelheim donated all of the pain medication and vaccines.

Additionally, donations from Kathy Donaldson with Arizona Helping Hands, Jennis and Jay McCoy, Royal Canin and Purina made this year's trip a major

success.



CLINIC NOTES

- ◆ There is still time to enter the raffle for the latest cat tree "lighthouse," for \$2 per ticket. 100% of all money raised will go to help stray cats. A winner will be chosen on April 29th.
- ◆
- ◆ **It is our policy to require 24 hour notice on all medication refills. Please be aware of when your pet is nearing the end of their supply, so that we can be alerted in time to prevent any lapse in medications.** If you need a refill from a secondary source (i.e. compounding pharmacy, PetMeds, Walgreens), please contact them. They will fax us a request which the doctor will review and fax back at the earliest convenience (within 24 hours). Additionally, please make sure you pay attention to prescription labels for reminders of lab work or rechecks required before the next refill. Your understanding and cooperation with this matter is appreciated.
- ◆ Please notify a receptionist if there are any changes to your phone number, address or email.



- ◆ For the safety and consideration of other clients and pets, please make sure your dog is on a leash at all times. If you forgot one, please ask the receptionist and we would be happy to give you one to use for your visit.
- ◆ If you love your care and service at All Creatures, please refer a friend. When they provide your name during their first visit, your account will be credited \$25! As a welcome, they will also receive \$25 off their first visit!
- ◆ Some medications may be available through a "human" pharmacy. If you are interested in this option, please discuss with the veterinarian.
- ◆ Rebates for Heartgard are processed by us automatically, with each purchase from All Creatures. Please make sure we have your current address in the system, and a rebate for \$12 per box will be mailed to you.

MONTHLY SPECIALS

April: Receive a FREE heartworm test with the purchase of a year's worth of heartworm prevention

(Must have current exam)

May: Receive \$50 off a full panel of blood work

(Total Health Plus Urinalysis)

June: 50% off all microchips

(Original price \$56.00)

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