



Guide Dogs for the Blind

Puppy Vaccine Schedule

Age (weeks)	DA2PP	Intranasal Bordetella	Rabies	Lepto	Canine Influenza	Heartworm Test
6	Due: X	Due: X				
	Given: X	Given: X				
8	Due: X					
	Given: X					
10	Due: X if on campus					
	Given: X if on campus					
12	Due: X			Due: X		
	Given:			Given:		
16	Due: X		Due: X	Due: X	Due: X	
	Given:		Given:	Given:	Given:	
20	Due: X				Due: X	
	Given:				Given:	
Annual Boosters**	Due: X	Due: X	Due: X	Due: X	Due: X	Due: X
	Given:	Given:	Given:	Given:	Given:	Given:

- 🐾 ANNUAL BOOSTERS** = Rabies, DA2PP, Intranasal Bordetella, Influenza, Leptospirosis, and a Heartworm test. It is CRITICAL to have the Rabies vaccine given by its due date, preferably shortly before the due date (note: it can give given up to 30 days prior to the due date). If the dog is late for its Rabies booster, it can create regulatory issues that may involve quarantine, inability to travel, and duration of immunity. The other annual vaccine boosters should be given when due as well, and can be combined with the Rabies booster if they are also due within 30 days. The Heartworm test can be done in conjunction with the annual boosters, unless it is needed prior to that to have the dog's Heartgard prescription refilled once the 12-month supply that GDB initially supplied in the puppy packet runs out. Please be sure the puppy receives all vaccinations on time – thank you!
- 🐾 Note:** the Intranasal Bordetella vaccine will expire prior to the timing of the rest of the annual boosters. It is ok for this vaccine to lapse unless a dog is going to be boarded in a commercial kennel; in that case, the dog should receive the vaccine prior to being boarded.
- 🐾 Recall information:** dogs should never arrive on campus with expired vaccines. If a dog is confirmed for recall and vaccines are due within a few weeks, the dog can receive them on the GDB campus when they arrive. If you happen to be at a vet visit already and any vaccines expire within 30 days, go ahead and get them done at that time.

Please send a scanned copy of all vaccination records, including Rabies certificates, to ipuppy@guidedogs.com.

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