



How to use the Excel DualCare Recovery Food



Did you know?

If you have any left over Dual Care nuggets you can feed these to your rabbits or guinea pigs as treats or mixed with their normal nuggets!

Feeding as a syringe feed



1. Weigh out the correct amount of nuggets for the weight of your patient (10g/kg bodyweight).
Feed a maximum of 10ml/kg bodyweight per syringe feeding session.



2. Add water to the bowl of nuggets at a ratio of 5:1 (for example 50ml water to 10g nuggets).



3. Allow the nuggets and water to sit for a while until the nuggets have absorbed all the water.



4. Mix the nugget and water mixture into a paste. Depending on the consistency you desire, more water can be added.



5. Your DualCare is ready to use.
Top tip: use a wide tipped syringe.

Feeding as a nugget

DualCare is a product to use at times of stress and can be fed as nugget pre and post routine surgery.

- If your client is undergoing a routine surgery, it is good practice to transition the patient onto the DualCare nugget slowly for around 14 days prior to the procedure.
- Use the DualCare product as a syringe feed post surgery
- Feed the nugget during the recovery period until the patient is fully recovered
- Transition from the DualCare nugget to the patients original nugget gradually

Top tips!

- Syringe feed slowly allowing the patient to chew and swallow after every 1ml
- Make up fresh for every patient, don't keep stored as a paste
- Mix with warm water as this absorbs more efficiently