Provent-a-mite™

Usage Guidelines

Provent-a-mite[™] is the most effective product currently available that will eliminate potential disease carrying mites and ticks infesting reptiles and their enclosures.

Provent-a-mite[™] is the only patented, Federally approved product that has undergone over 20 years of research and clinical testing to insure it will effectively eradicate mites and ticks that feed on reptiles, and not harm the host being treated when used as directed. No other product can make these claims!

In addition to eliminating an active infestation, Provent-a-miteTM is also the only product that can be used as a preventative treatment. Used once a month as instructed below will kill any potentially disease carrying mites and ticks before they can become a problem.

Directions for use:

To treat a lizard, follow the same directions as for snakes as described on the label.

To treat tortoises, spray a 1 second burst directly into each leg opening. The enclosure can also be treated following the same directions as for snakes to eliminate any ectoparasites that may be in the enclosure.

With the exception of tortoises, direct applications to the animal are not recommended or needed to be effective, even when the animal is infested with mites or ticks. Provent-a-mite, when used as directed, will eliminate an infestation on the animal and the enclosure.

To treat a reptile enclosure, remove the animal and water. Spray surface of substrate, holding can 12" to 15" from substrate surface, at the rate of 1 second per ft². Allow Provent-a-mite to dry completely and confirm that all vapors have been vented from the cage. After Provent-a-mite has completely dried and all vapors have been removed, replace animal and water.

To be sure all vapors have been removed from cages without any side ventilation such as an aquarium, fanning the cage interior with a magazine, newspaper or other method after the treatment has dried will ensure that all vapors are

eliminated from enclosure.

There is no need to clean or disinfect the cage. Once applied, Provent-a-mite™ will remain active on the substrate for up to 30 days or longer. 1 or 2 applications are all that is usually required to eliminate an infestation.

If newspaper, paper towels or similar materials are used as a substrate, they can be treated in the following manner to expedite cage cleaning. Spread the newspaper out in an appropriate location and spray at the labeled rate. After the treatment has dried completely, store treated newspaper in a dark location (drawer, closet, etc.). The treatment will remain effective for up to 90 days when stored properly. Simply clean the cage as you would normally using the treated paper.

Provent-a-mite[™] can also be used to prevent future infestations by simply spraying a cloth and then on the outside of the cage, wipe around all openings. Treating around any door or vent openings, or the rim of a sweater box or aquarium, or other openings on the outside of an enclosure will provide a barrier that will kill any mites or ticks for a period of up to 30 days or longer. Using this method will eliminate outbreaks in your collection and protect your reptiles from potentially life threatening diseases that could be transmitted by mites and ticks.

Caution:

Do not let animal breath vapors. Dermal contact and or ingestion of a treated surface after Provent-a-mite[™] has dried will not harm a reptile. The vapors can be harmful and must be completely removed from enclosure after treatment, before the animal can be replaced. This is a simple procedure to follow that will ensure the health of the animal and successful elimination of any mites and ticks. Treatment will not dry when applied to a wet or damp surface. Make sure product is dry when applied to substrates such as aspen or similar materials before replacing animals. Follow other cautions as instructed on the label.

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