



travelling with your dog

Ehrlichiosis, a tick-borne dog disease, has been detected in the Northern Territory and is present in most local government areas, including Darwin, Palmerston, Darwin rural area, Katherine and many remote communities. If not properly treated it can result in death.

You should take these simple steps to protect your dog.



Have your dog on a tick control program.



Avoid contact with other dogs when making stops along your journey.



Take care when bushwalking with your dog.



Be on the lookout for signs in your dog, such as:



Inspect your dog daily for ticks.

- fever
- lethargy
- loss of appetite
- weight loss
- cloudy eyes or conjunctivitis
- pain and stiffness
- bleeding disorders or bruising.

If your dog becomes unwell seek immediate veterinary advice.

If it looks suss, call us 1800 675 888.

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