



# Pet's Bowel Cleanse

by CEDAR BEAR NATURELES™

Great Tasting 100% Alcohol-Free Liquid Herbal Products

## All-Natural Laxative that Gently Loosens and Facilitates Bowel Movement

Sometimes it is necessary to help clear out a pet's digestive system because it has become blocked and constipated. While constipation is uncommon in a fully healthy pet, when it does happen, it not only is the cause of discomfort, but endangers the pet's health from toxic build up in the body.

There are two categories of constipation – acute and chronic. Acute constipation is short-term discomfort of bloating and inability to pass a bowel movement when the pet cannot fully digest food and when there are materials in the digestive tract causing blockages. (Dogs especially eat the darndest things.)

Chronic constipation is when the bowels do not readily move for a period of weeks or months. Chronic constipation often involves inflammation and damage to the bowel walls and anal tissues and can be due to long-term illnesses and other factors such as some form of liver/gallbladder dysfunction. Toxic loading in the body from chronic constipation and straining to move the bowels can cause a wide variety of problems with health.

To avoid problems with blockages and constipation, it is important to have clean, fresh water available for your pet to drink every day. Typical store-bought pet foods do not provide quality nutrients and general food content that pets need and can also cause constipation and digestive system problems.

If antibiotics have been used, the friendly bacterial flora in the digestive tract has been reduced and can be a factor in causing constipation. Giving your pet acidophilus alone or in yogurt and other probiotics can help.

When digestive difficulty and constipation become chronic, look for hidden food allergies, low thyroid activity, emotional and stress factors, as well as those already mentioned.

When there is a need to clean the bowels or to clear out constipation, Cedar Bear Naturales™ Pet's Bowel Cleanse provides excellent support. The particular combination of herbs used in this formula are high in mineral and vitamin content and relax and loosen the bowels while the alcohol-free glycerin-based TincTract® enhances the herbs' benefit in the body. In addition, Pet's Bowel Cleanse is a liquid and does not have to be digested in order to do its work, so the body absorbs important nutrients directly from this good tasting formula while it creates a gentle and effective laxative action to relax and loosen the bowels. Digestive supporting and soothing herbs have been used in this formula to create a soothing effect and avoid cramping discomfort that the stronger laxative action herbs are known to cause.

CONTAINS: European elder berry, catnip leaf/stem, licorice root, black walnut hull, fennel seed, anise seed, senna leaf, cascara sagrada root, buckthorn bark, in a Kosher vegetable glycerin/purified water TincTract® base.

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**SUGGESTED USE:** For a pet weighing 8–25 pounds, use 1/4 teaspoon (1/23 mL) 1 to 3 times a day, or as needed. Adjust amount up or down according to size of pet and need.

**NOTE:** This formula is not recommended for horses. Do not use for continuous extended periods of time (may cause bowel dependence) or when diarrhea is present. Do not use in cases of inflammatory bowel disease or right after rectal or abdominal surgery. Do not give during pregnancy.

### MORE ABOUT THE HERBS IN THIS FORMULA:

- European Elder Berry (*Sambucus nigra*) is high in potassium and calcium salts and phosphorus that are often displaced and "washed" out of the body by laxative activity. Has vitamin C and flavonoids.

- Catnip Leaf/Stem (*Nepeta cataria*) relaxes the gastric nerves, relieves cramps, is slightly sedative with a diuretic effect and a gentle, non-cathartic action on the gallbladder.

- Licorice Root (*Glycyrrhiza glabra*) is a soothing nutritive digestive aid that relaxes the mucus membranes and reduces spasms while producing a gentle laxative effect.

- Black Walnut Hull (*Juglans nigra*) increases peristalsis, the wave-like muscular action in the digestive system. High in potassium, silica and iodine, helps rebuild tissues, lymphatic blood purifier, reduces inflammation in digestive and urinary tracts.

- Anise Seed (*Pimpinella anisum*) relaxes the gastric and intestinal nerves, is gently cooling and soothing to the stomach, clears systemic congestion and gas, and is mildly antispasmodic.

- Fennel Seed (*Foeniculum vulgare*) soothes the bowels, is high in calcium and magnesium, relieves bloating, breaks up and expels flatulence, reduces spasms in the gastrointestinal tract.

- Senna Leaf (*Cassia angustifolia*) reduces constipation and has a stimulating and cleansing laxative action.

- Cascara Sagrada Root (*Fangula purshiana*) is one of the strongest laxative stimulating herbs known. Its action is specifically to stimulate the flushing of laxative action bile salts.

- Buckthorn Bark (*Rhamnus cathartica*) is a cleansing liver tonic that is in the same class of laxative action as cascara, only more sustained and gentle.

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ITEM: #664–2 oz; #665–4 oz; #519–8 oz

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