De-Wormers Comparison Chart: Interval

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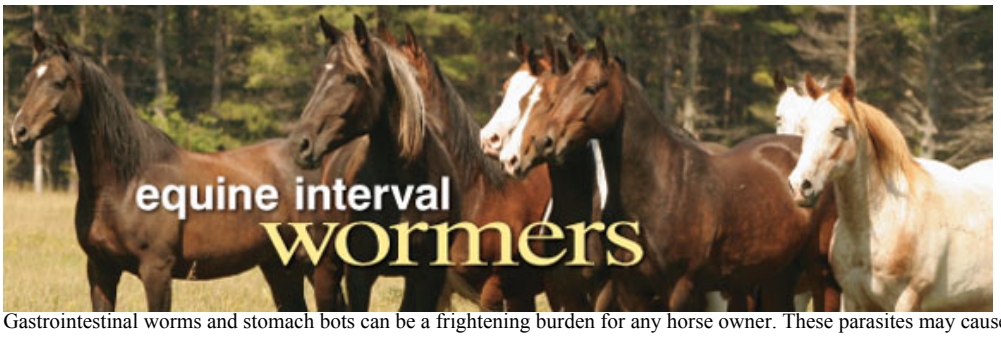

Gastrointestinal worms and stomach bots can be a frightening burden for any horse owner. These parasites may cause severe equine health problems, including weakness, muscle loss, diarrhea, colic, ruptured blood vessels, organ damage, or worse. However, a variety of rotational oral horse medications are available to help control strongyles, roundworms, pinworms, hairworms, and similar parasites. These medications, which are technically "dewormers" and commonly called "wormers," contain specific active ingredients to target the various internal parasites. Each is fairly easy to administer at set intervals throughout the year to target specific parasites in various stages of the life cycle.

Product	Unique Benefit	Active Ingredient	Form	Helps Control								
				Strongyles (Large & Small)	Roundworms	Tapeworms	Lungworms	Pinworms	Stomach Worms	Threadworms	Hairworms	Stomach Bots
Horse Health Ivermectin by Farnam	Economically priced broad-spectrum control	1.87% Ivermectin	Paste	✔	✔		✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔
Ivermectin Paste by Duravet	Apple-flavored Ivermectin-based paste increases palatability to ease administration	1.87% Ivermectin	Paste	✔	✔		✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔
Ivermectin Paste by Med-Pharmacy	Economically priced and apple-flavored to protect your horse and pocketbook	1.87% Ivermectin	Paste	✔	✔		✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔
Panacur Paste by Intervet	Convenient apple-cinnamon-flavored paste eases administration	10% Fenbendazole	Paste	✔	✔			✔				
Safe-Guard Equi-Bits by Duravet	Alfalfa-based pellets ease administration to horses that reject pastes or are hard to catch	0.5% Fenbendazole	Pellets	✔	✔			✔				
Safe-Guard Equine Paste by Duravet	Approved for concomitant use with trichlorfon to treat botfly larvae	10% Fenbendazole	Paste	✔	✔			✔				

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Zimecterin by Merial	Horse-owner favorite brand offers broad-spectrum parasite control	1.87% Ivermectin	Paste	✔	✔		✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔
Zimecterin Gold by Merial	Broad-spectrum parasite plus specialized tapeworm control from a respected brand	1.55% Ivermectin; 7.75% Praziquantel	Paste	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔	✔

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