## ONCOK9 | Overview for Pet Parents

# Finally, there is a blood test for **early cancer detection** in dogs

Early detection and treatment are the best ways to manage cancer in pets... cancer is frequently treatable and early diagnosis will aid your veterinarian in delivering the best care possible.

- American Veterinary Medical Association



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#### What is cancer screening?

Just like in people, cancer screening should be an important part of preventive care in dogs; the goal is to look for cancer when your pet is feeling well, before they start to show any clinical signs. During **wellness visits**, your veterinarian may look for early signs of cancer in your dog by performing a thorough physical exam and asking you about any concerning observations. Your veterinarian may also perform routine blood and imaging tests, and may recommend OncoK9 - a new blood test that could detect cancer before your dog shows any clinical signs.

#### What is OncoK9?

The OncoK9 liquid biopsy test uses a simple blood draw to detect abnormal DNA released into circulation by cancer cells.

**SIMPLE BLOOD DRAW** Your veterinarian will collect a blood sample from your dog.

#### MULTI-CANCER COVERAGE

OncoK9 can detect **30 different types of cancer**, including eight of the most common cancers in dogs.

#### **CUTTING-EDGE TECHNOLOGY**

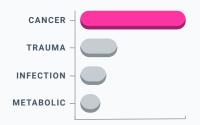
OncoK9 uses state-of-the-art **next-generation sequencing (NGS)** technology to detect changes in DNA that are indicative of cancer.

#### EARLY DETECTION

OncoK9 may help detect cancer early, **when your dog still looks healthy** and has the best chance of defeating the disease.



## Lifetime Risk of Cancer: **1 in 3 Dogs**



#### Cancer Is by Far the #1 Cause of Death in Dogs

Defeating cancer starts with <u>Knowing</u> your dog has it

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## Which dogs may benefit from cancer screening using OncoK9®?

## All Dogs Age 7 and Older

Older dogs are at higher risk of cancer, regardless of breed. Consider adding OncoK9 to their routine wellness exams.



of Cancer **Over Age 7** 

## Younger Dogs from Breeds at Higher Risk of Cancer

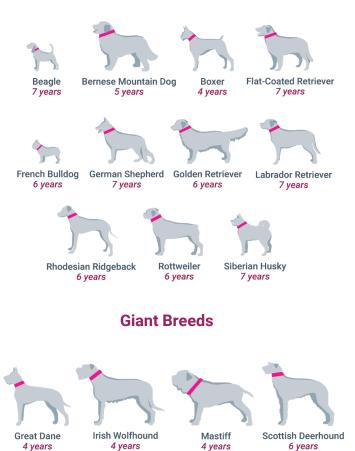
Certain breeds, shown to the right, have a higher lifetime risk of cancer and/or higher risk of developing cancer earlier in life.



Other breeds, not shown, may also have a higher risk of cancer. For supporting scientific references, please visit petdx.science/higher-cancer-risk.

### **Recommended Age to Start Cancer Screening in Higher Risk Breeds**

#### **Common Breeds**



When should I start screening my dog?



Scan this QR code to access the OncoK9 Cancer SAFE<sup>™</sup> Tool to find out the recommended age to start cancer screening for your dog, or visit cancersafe.petdx.com.

## Ask your veterinarian about OncoK9® today

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