Treatment of Heart Failure in Dogs
Maximising patient benefit and owner compliance

ACE Inhibitors

Effect of enalapril on life expectancy

- Routinely used for the treatment of heart failure
- Proven to improve quality of life and reduce the risk of mortality from heart failure
- Once daily treatment with food maximises ease of administration and owner compliance
- Extremely well tolerated

Prilactone®

Effect of Prilactone® on life expectancy

- Antagonises the harmful effects of aldosterone, which include fibrosis and stiffening of the heart muscle
- By preventing deterioration of the heart muscle, adding Prilactone® to first-line therapy with an ACE inhibitor provides additional long-term improvements in quality of life and reduces the risk of mortality by a further 65%
- Once daily treatment with food maximises ease of administration and owner compliance
- Extremely well tolerated
The most cost-effective ACE inhibitor on the market

- **Prilenal®** contains enalapril, an ACE inhibitor which has been extensively studied in dogs. Studies comparing enalapril, benazepril, imidapril and ramipril have demonstrated that these products have equivalent pharmacokinetic activity. Dr G Le Bobinnec, ECVIM Cardiology Diplomate, explains:

> "No study has yet been published proving the superiority of one ACE inhibitor over the others in terms of comfort or longevity; in this very homogenous family, all fulfil these two objectives."

- Providing a more cost-effective ACE inhibitor will enable more of your clients to afford, and your patients to benefit from, optimal first-line heart failure therapy.

**Easy to use**

- Once daily administration according to the following table:

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