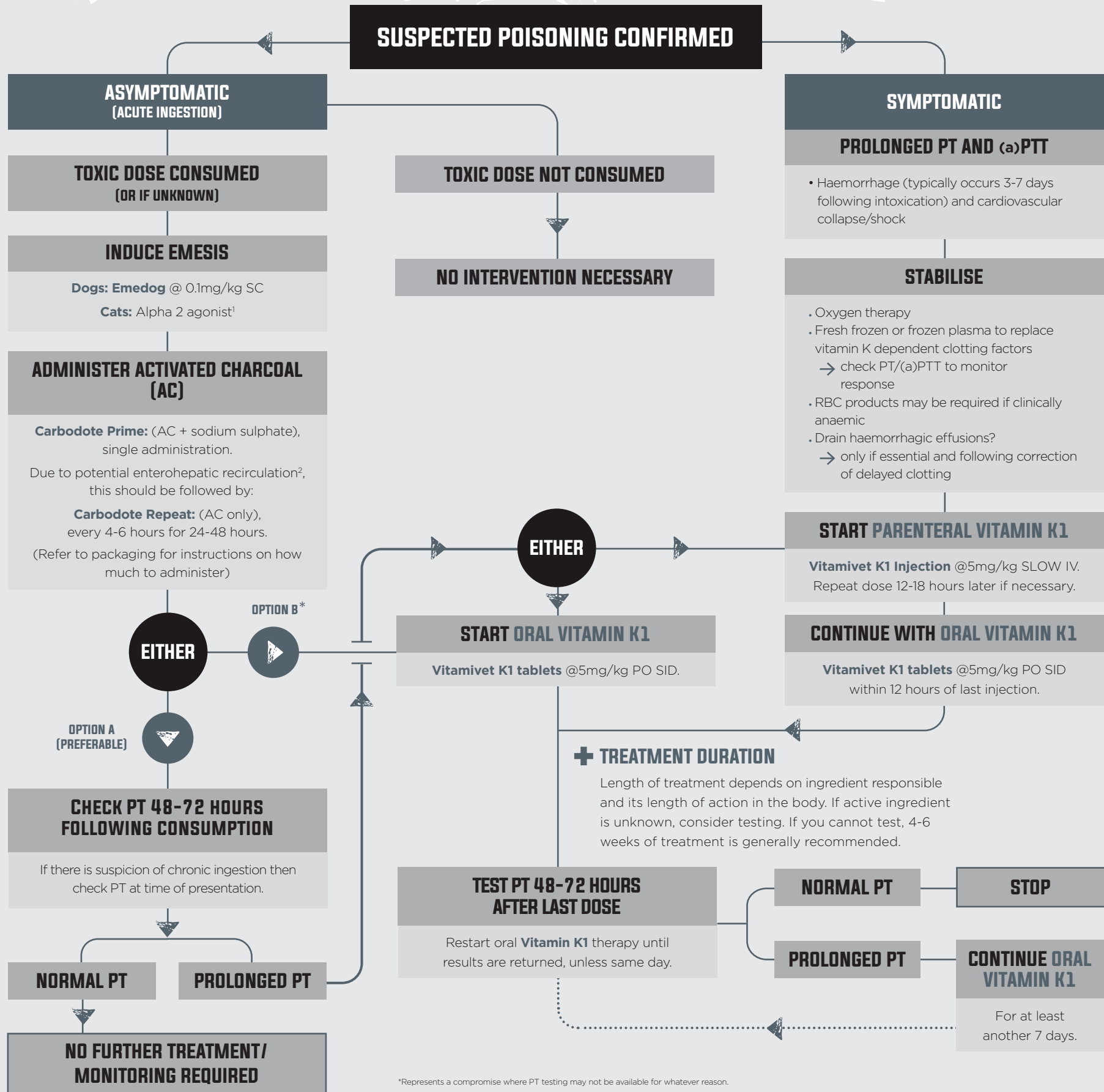


+ EMERGENCY ACTION GUIDELINES

THIS DOCUMENT IS INTENDED FOR USE AS A GUIDELINE ONLY. DOSES ARE REFERENCED AS AT THE PUBLICATION DATE. INDIVIDUAL CASES AND TOXIC DOSES MAY VARY.



+ RODENTICIDE KEY FACTS

- Anticoagulant rodenticide active ingredients vary in their potency and length of activity in the body
- Knowing if a toxic dose has been consumed and which ingredient is implicated indicates what interventions may be needed, and how long you should treat symptomatic cases for (some can last up to 8 weeks).
 - Contact VPIS for advice if needed
 - If an ingredient label isn't available, it is possible to send sample of bait/blood/vomit to VPG for toxin identification.
- Haemorrhage most commonly occurs initially in the respiratory system (clinical signs; cough, tachypnoea, dyspnoea), but bleeding can occur anywhere!
- Increased PT alone, or disproportionately elevated compared to (a)PTT, is highly suggestive of anticoagulant rodenticide poisoning
- PT is your guide! Use it to tailor your treatment plan
- Not all rodenticides are anticoagulants e.g., cholecalciferol rodenticide causes hypercalcaemia rather than clotting disorders.

+ USEFUL CONTACTS

DÔMES PHARMA

Your partner in poisoning.
www.domespharma.co.uk
T 0800 0385868 | E help@domespharma.com

VETERINARY PATHOLOGY GROUP

Toxicology testing.
www.thevpg.co.uk | T 0113 2870175

PET BLOOD BANK

Access to blood and plasma products.
petbloodbankuk.org | T 01509 232222

VETERINARY POISONS INFORMATION SERVICE (VPIS)

Dedicated poisoning information service.
www.vpisglobal.com | T 0207 30 55 055

TOX BOX/ELIXIR SERVICE

Immediate access to emergency poisoning products.
www.vpisglobal.com | T 0207 30 55 055

+ PRODUCTS

VITAMIVET K1 INJECTABLE

- Licensed for intravenous use at 5mg/kg
- Packs contain 6x 5ml vials of 10mg/ml

VITAMIVET K1 50MG TABLETS

- Licensed for oral use at 5mg/kg once daily
- Packs of 14x 50mg double divisible tablets

EMEDOG

- Veterinary licensed apomorphine for dogs
- Packs of 5 or 20x 1ml vials, with a 4-year, unopened shelf life

+ DON'T FORGET ACTIVATED CHARCOAL!

- Activated charcoal helps in the adsorption of multiple undesirable substances³
- Available as liquid or gel
- Repeated administrations will be required for substances that are enterohepatically recycled
- Take a look at our range of activated charcoals

Carbodote is a complementary feed.