

# IS NOCITA SAFE?

Local anesthetics like NOCITA are considered safe and one of the most effective class of analgesics (pain relievers) for controlling post-op pain.<sup>1</sup>



**LONG-ACTING**

**FDA-APPROVED**

**NON-NARCOTIC**



### Select Important Safety Information:

The safe use of Nocita in dogs or cats with cardiac disease or with hepatic or renal impairment has not been evaluated. See accompanying product label for complete safety information.

**nocita™**  
(bupivacaine liposome injectable suspension)

## Recovery Care Begins With **NOCITA**

### SEE THE DIFFERENCE

Pain and dysphoria don't have to be part of the post-op experience.\*

#### Indications

For single-dose infiltration into the surgical site to provide local postoperative analgesia for cranial cruciate ligament surgery in dogs. For use as a peripheral nerve block to provide regional postoperative analgesia following onychectomy in cats.

#### Important Safety Information (ISI)

NOCITA is for use in dogs and cats only. Do not administer concurrently with bupivacaine HCl, lidocaine or other amide local anesthetics. The safe use of NOCITA in dogs and cats with cardiac disease or with hepatic or renal impairment has not been evaluated. The safe use in dogs or cats younger than 5 months of age, that are pregnant, lactating, or intended for breeding has not been evaluated. The most common adverse reactions in dogs were discharge from incision, incisional inflammation and vomiting. The most common adverse reactions in cats were elevated body temperature and infection or chewing/licking at the surgical site. For full prescribing information, see accompanying Nocita product label.

\* In a field trial, Nocita reduced the need for post-op rescue pain treatment with opioids.

<sup>1</sup>Epstein ME, Rodan I, Griffenhagen G, et al. 2015 AAHA/AAFP pain management guidelines for dogs and cats. J Am Anim Hosp Assoc. 2015;51:67-84.

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## RECOVERY CARE BEGINS HERE



# WHAT IS NOCITA?

(BUPIVACAINE LIPOSOME INJECTABLE SUSPENSION)

During your pet's surgery, your veterinarian administered NOCITA – the only long-acting local anesthetic that helps provide up to 72 hours of postsurgical pain relief.



**Non-narcotic,  
slow-release  
numbing action**

**72  
HRS**

**Up to 72 hours  
of pain relief in  
one dose**



**Pets recover  
comfortably  
at home**

NOCITA controls pain to help your pet get back to their normal self.



# WHAT SHOULD I EXPECT AT HOME?



As the numbing effects of NOCITA wear off up to 72 hours after surgery, your pet may show some signs of discomfort.

**This is normal.**



Be sure to follow any medication plan your veterinarian prescribes to ensure your pet remains as comfortable as possible.

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If you have any questions or concerns, don't hesitate to call your veterinarian.