# ACRAL LICK DERMATITIS

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### Acral Lick Dermatitis

- 2 1/2-year-old male yellow Labrador retriever with history of atopic dermatitis
- Currently treated with Apoquel 16 mg once daily
- Developed a "hot spot" on the left lower extremity
- Initial treatment with Betagen spray (gentamycin and betamethasone valerate)
- A cone was used to prevent constant licking
- Minimal improvement after two weeks of care

#### Acral Lick Dermatitis

- Acral Lick Dermatitis is a condition common in dogs
- Excessive, compulsive licking usually of the from of the fore or hind limbs
- Authorities indicate psychological issues are very common
- Traditional treatment is 6-8 weeks or as long as 4-6 months for chronic cases with antibiotic and topical steroids
- Limited success leading to the chronicity of the problem
- Can lead to ulceration other skin issues

#### DAY 1

- Acral lick dermatitis
- ➤ Application of KonKure<sup>TM,</sup> 20 seconds
- Only 1 application, no secondary signs of infection during the healing process



## DAY 5

- 40 percent reduction in 5 days.
- No additional topical or systemic antibiotics.
- No additional topical or systemic steroids.



#### **DAY 21**

- 77% reduction. Fully epithelialized, hair regrowth
- Only 1 application, no secondary signs of infection during the healing process
- No more active licking or focused attention to the limb

