



# Survey: Rotavax vaccine for Pigeons

Thank you for taking the time to complete this survey on Tréidlia Biovet (TBV) Rotavax vaccine for Pigeons.

Results from this survey will assist understanding of the disease and the effectiveness of the vaccine.

The survey can be completed whether you used TBV Rotavax vaccine for Pigeons during 2019 or not.

When answering the questions, please think about the year 2019 only.

Please return completed survey to:

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or

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Thank you

**1. What is your location?**

- |                                    |                                       |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Sydney    | <input type="checkbox"/> NSW Regional |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Brisbane  | <input type="checkbox"/> QLD Regional |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Melbourne | <input type="checkbox"/> VIC Regional |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Adelaide  | <input type="checkbox"/> SA Regional  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Perth     | <input type="checkbox"/> WA Regional  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hobart    | <input type="checkbox"/> TAS Regional |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Canberra  | <input type="checkbox"/> Other        |

**2. If you are in a regional location, please specify the district.**

**3. Which type of pigeon keeping are you primarily involved in?**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Racing Birds | <input type="checkbox"/> Fancy Birds |
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**4. How many stock birds do you keep? (approximately)**

**5. How many babies do you breed per year? (approximately)**

**6. Before vaccinating in 2019 did you practice any of the following preventative measures to reduce the risk of Rotavirus infecting your pigeons? (can select more than one)**

- ☐ Preventing contact with feral pigeons
- ☐ Not racing or showing
- ☐ Not introducing new pigeons to your loft
- ☐ Not group training/tossing
- ☐ Restricting visitors to loft
- ☐ Cleaning and disinfecting equipment obtained from other lofts
- ☐ Changing clothes/footwear after coming in contact with other pigeons
- ☐ None
- ☐ Other (please specify)

**7. Did you vaccinate with TBV Rotavax vaccine for Pigeons during 2019?**

- ☐ Yes      ☐ No (*Skip to Question 25*)

**8. Did your pigeons show signs of rotavirus before you completed vaccination (i.e., given them two doses)?**

- ☐ Yes      ☐ No (*Skip to Question 13*)      ☐ Unsure (*Skip to Question 13*)

**9. What percentage got sick?**

**10. What percentage died?**

**11. What were the symptoms? (can select more than one)**

- ☐ Loss of appetite
- ☐ Reduced Activity / gone quiet
- ☐ Vomiting
- ☐ Diarrhoea
- ☐ Hunched posture
- ☐ Lumps or swelling at the site of injection
- ☐ Death
- ☐ Other (please specify)

**12. On a scale of 1-10, how bad were the symptoms? (1 = not bad, 10 = very bad)**

- ☐1      ☐2      ☐3      ☐4      ☐5      ☐6      ☐7      ☐8      ☐9      ☐10

**13. Did you notice any bad reactions after vaccination? (can select more than one)**

- ☐ No, Pigeons were normal (*skip to Question 15*)
- ☐ Loss of appetite
- ☐ Reduced activity / gone quiet
- ☐ Vomiting
- ☐ Hunched posture
- ☐ Lumps or swelling at the site of injection
- ☐ Death
- ☐ Other (please specify)

**14. How long were the pigeons affected?**

- ☐ 1-2 days      ☐ 3-5 days      ☐ 1 week      ☐ more than 1 week

**15. Did you give the birds two doses?**

- ☐ Yes      ☐ No (*Skip to Question 18*)

**16. How long after the first dose did you give the second dose?**

- ☐ 1 week   ☐ 2 weeks      ☐ 3 weeks      ☐ 4 weeks      ☐ 5 weeks      ☐ 6 weeks

**17. How long after you completed vaccinating with two doses did you wait until your pigeons had contact with other birds? (for example, group training, showing, racing)**

- ☐ less than 1 week      ☐ 1-2 weeks      ☐ 2 - 6 weeks      ☐ more than 6 weeks

**18. Did your pigeons show any signs of being infected with rotavirus after you had completed vaccination?**

- ☐ Yes      ☐ No (*skip to Question 24*)      ☐ Unsure (*Skip to Question 24*)

**19. How long after the second dose did they show signs of rotavirus?**

- ☐ 1-2 weeks   ☐ 2-4 weeks      ☐ 4-6 weeks      ☐ more than 6 weeks

**20. What percentage got sick?**

21. What percentage died?

22. What were the symptoms? (can select more than one)

- ☐ Loss of appetite
- ☐ Reduced Activity / gone quiet
- ☐ Vomiting
- ☐ Diarrhoea
- ☐ Hunched posture
- ☐ Lumps or swelling at the site of injection
- ☐ Death
- ☐ Other (please specify)

23. On a scale of 1-10, how bad were the symptoms? (1 = not bad, 10 = very bad)

- ☐1    ☐2    ☐3    ☐4    ☐5    ☐6    ☐7    ☐8    ☐9    ☐10

24. On a scale of 1-10, how effective do you think TBV Rotavax vaccine for Pigeons has been at providing protection against rotavirus? (1 = not effective, 10= very effective)

- ☐1    ☐2    ☐3    ☐4    ☐5    ☐6    ☐7    ☐8    ☐9    ☐10

25. If you **DID NOT VACCINATE** with TBV Rotavax vaccine for Pigeons, did your birds show any signs of rotavirus?

- ☐ Yes    ☐ No (Skip to Question 30)    ☐ Unsure (Skip to Question 30)

26. What percentage got sick?

27. What percentage died?

**28. What were the symptoms? (can select more than one)**

- ☐ Loss of appetite
  - ☐ Reduced Activity / gone quiet
  - ☐ Vomiting
  - ☐ Diarrhoea
  - ☐ Hunched posture
  - ☐ Lumps or swelling at the site of injection
- ☐ Death
- ☐ Other (please specify)

**29. On a scale of 1-10, how bad were the symptoms? (1 = not bad, 10 = very bad)**

- ☐1    ☐2    ☐3    ☐4    ☐5    ☐6    ☐7    ☐8    ☐9    ☐10

**30. Please provide any additional feedback.**