



Midwoofery Whelping Supplies List

- Whelping Rules
- Be sure there is gas in your car
- Whelping box and high-traction pads
- Leash
- Flashlight
- Hand towels (I like to keep 2 per puppy expected—half are in my whelping room and I keep the other half in the dryer so I can dry puppies with prewarmed towels)
- Calcium (see bit.ly/dogcalcium for types and amounts)
- Snack for dam (some like ice cream, others won't eat—get Nutrical, Karo syrup, or glucose tablets for those dams so you can give her some energy)
- Thermometer
- Scale
- DeLee mucus trap and/or bulb syringe
- Whelping collars
- Hemostat
- Surgical scissors (I prefer round tipped)
- Unwaxed dental floss
- Iodine wipes for umbilicals (optional)
- Sterile 4x4 gauze pads
- Exam gloves
- Sterile gloves (for vaginal exams)
- KY or similar water-based lubricant
- Feeding tube
- 10cc syringe for feeding tube
- Premie bottle (I prefer Mam colic free)
- Formula
- Puppy Sugar Water
- Colostrum or plasma
- Karo syrup
- Baby wipes
- Disinfecting wipes (I use Rescue Wipes)
- Hand sanitizer
- Warming basket to warm puppies after birth (basket lined with towels or fleece with a heating pad, hot water bottle, or microwaveable warmer)
- Heating pad for whelping box (optional)
- Trash receptacle
- Whelping record (to record puppies, weights, collars, colors, etc)



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Mobile Whelping Kit

Have a mobile whelping set up for emergency travel to the vet—puppies can be born in the car on the way to the vet

- Prepare your emergency travel kit BEFORE whelping as part of your whelping preparation

Mobile kit

- Basket for puppies lined with towels or fleece
- Hot water bottle
- Towels for mobile delivery
- Suction device (delee catheter or bulb syringe)
- Hemostat
- Scissors
- Dental floss
- Gloves
- Wipes/paper towels
- Trash bag