



# Let's talk about...

## Poo

**Poo hazards can come from many different sources...**

- Horse – Ivermectin exposure from horse worming tablets
- Sheep – Ivermectin exposure from sheep worming tablets
- Deer – Not toxic but can cause stomach issues, tooth decay, parasites
- Badger – bovine transition linked to TB
- Fox – Parasites like hookworm, roundworm, lungworm & tapeworm. Bacteria like salmonella are commonly present can cause sickness
- Dog – usually harmless but can cause sickness and diarrhea
- HUMAN – because humans leave poo around too. Usually safe unless the human has ingested opioids or used other drugs, particular issues related to cannabis which metabolises in the body and releases through the feces (65%) and urine (20%).

**Signs and symptoms to look out for if you think your dog has eaten toxic poo...**

- Dilated pupils
- Disorientation
- Lethargy
- Vomiting
- Unsteady gait
- Unsteady breathing
- Death
- Urine incontinence
- Slow movements
- Loss of consciousness
- Slow heart rate
- Seizures
- Coma

**ALWAYS SEEK PROFESSIONAL ADVICE  
FROM YOUR VET!**

