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EFFECTS OF PROPOLIS ADDED CHEMOTHERAPY PROTOCHOL IN CANINE TRANSMISSIBLE VENEREAL TUMOR

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THESIS ABSTRACT

This study aimed to investigate the effects of administering propolis via different routes on the recovery time, certain liver enzyme levels, and blood parameters in dogs with TVT undergoing standard medical treatment with vincristine sulfate. Although no statistical significance was found, all groups treated with propolis showed shorter recovery times. Neutrophilia, neutropenia, leukocytosis, and leukopenia were observed in some treated dogs. The levels of liver enzymes in all groups were within the reference range, indicating that vincristine sulfate did not cause hepatotoxicity.

APPLICATION AREAS OF THE THESIS RESULTS

It was found that local application is more practical and more effective compared to oral administration. Additionally, it was observed that the healing time is even shorter in male animals. It is believed that highquality propolis, olive oil, and glycerin tincture may be more suitable for local application. Further comprehensive research is needed on the antitumor effects of propolis in dogs.

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