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Dear Colleague,

My name is Richard Doyle and I am a director at The Wylie Veterinary Centre in Upminster, Essex. We are a RCVS-accredited Small Animal Veterinary Hospital.

We have been successfully treating and/or preventing superficial bacterial infections in our patients using the LUCAA+ range of probiotic animal care products (wound, eye, ear, allergy sprays - <https://ingenious-probiotics.com/product-category/animal-healthcare-hygiene/>).

Typically, conditions we treat include surface pyoderma including pyo-traumatic pyoderma (hot spots), superficial bite wounds, otitis externa, bacterial conjunctivitis, lick granulomas, intertrigo (skin fold pyoderma) and atopic dermatitis. These products contain three commensal bacillus species which competitively inhibit pathogenic bacteria without the need for antibiotics and without the risk of developing antimicrobial resistance. These commensal species also digest organic material, so we also use the Allergy Spray as an adjunct to more conventional treatments for atopy to limit antigen exposure.

Whilst, in our experience, these products certainly have a place in treating such infections, they need to be used with caution in situations where there is more deep-seated infections or conditions such as furunculosis, deep tissue infections, septicaemia, otitis media/interna, corneal ulceration or glaucoma.

The company distributing these products (Ingenious Probiotics) recognise this and have taken the responsible position of strongly advising their customers who wish to use these products (i.e. the Wound Care, Ear Care, Eye Care and Dental Care) on their animals to first seek advice from their Vet regarding the appropriateness of this treatment modality for the specific indication required.

The purpose of this letter is to highlight the benefits of using such products in superficial infections but also to alert you to circumstances in which the use of these products is not appropriate when used as sole agents without qualified advice.

If you have any further queries or questions, please contact the company.....

Yours sincerely,

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