


SPECIALISED FOODS AND SUPPLEMENTS

Along with species-specific milk formulae, Wombaroo also makes a range of specialised nutritional supplements for native and rescued animals. These products have been formulated to bridge the nutritional gaps that may arise from feeding inadequate diets.

Impact Colostrum Supplement

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	For newborn animals and marsupial joeys.	Protein (min)	60%
	Contains high levels of immunoglobulins and antibacterials including lactoferrin, lysozyme and lactoperoxidase that may provide immunity and intestinal protection to young animals.	Fat (min)	6%
	Feed to newborn eutherians in the first 48 hours after birth or as an adjunct to milk replacers for marsupial joeys up until weaning.	Carbohydrate (min)	20%
	Pack size: 25g, 50g, 250g, 500g.	Immunoglobulin	75g/kg
		Lactoferrin	2g/kg
		Lactoperoxidase	100,000 iu/kg

Using Impact for Marsupials

Young marsupials receive passive immunity from immunoglobulins present in the mother's milk. In marsupials intestinal absorption occurs well into in pouch life and immunoglobulins are present in the milk throughout much of lactation. **Impact** is ideally fed about a week after coming into care, as any protection from the mother's milk has started to deplete by then (immunity from the mother's milk depletes significantly after 7 days and is completely gone by 4-6 weeks). Initially a course of **Impact** for upto 5 days is recommended. This may be repeated later as necessary (eg every 4 weeks) especially for joeys with a compromised immune system (animals failing to thrive or with diarrhoea). In particular, when joeys first start poking the head out of the pouch they become exposed to new pathogens in the environment. This is another beneficial time to use **Impact**, which corresponds to a Wombaroo Age factor of about 0.6 to 0.7.