



LOVING TOUCH ANIMAL HOSPITAL SURGERY CONSENT FORM

CLIENT & PATIENT INFORMATION

Client's Name: _____

Pet's Name: _____

Today's Date: _____

Procedures:

Should we need to contact during your pet's procedure, please call me at:

Primary phone number: _____ Alternate phone number: _____

Pre-Anesthetic Blood Work: Anesthetic drugs are processed by the liver, kidneys and other vital organs. In a healthy animal, these organs remove the anesthetic drugs from the body at a predictable rate. Problems with these organs are not always apparent. The age of the pet has no bearing on whether a pet has an issue with the liver, kidneys or other vital organs.

If these organs are not functioning properly, there can be devastating results. Therefore, our doctors urge pet parents to authorize pre-surgical blood work. Please note pre-surgical blood work is required for pets age seven and older. Help us provide the best and safest surgery by choosing to perform blood work prior to anesthesia or sedation. **PLEASE CHECK ONE OF THE BOXES BELOW.**

I want my pet to have a pre-operative blood panel which tests liver and kidney function, as well as blood count. I understand the cost for this blood panel is \$67.00

I do not want my pet to have a pre-operative blood panel and I understand there **are increased risks during surgery.**

Intravenous (IV) Fluid Support during anesthesia

Administration of IV fluids during anesthesia helps maintain blood pressure and blood flow to vital organs. IV fluid support greatly increases the safety of anesthesia. The fluids are administered by IV catheter during surgery. **PLEASE CHECK ONE OF THE BOXES BELOW**

I want my pet to have IV fluids during surgery. I understand the fee is \$50.00 which covers the IV and fluids.

I do not want my pet to have IV fluids during surgery and I understand there **are increased risks during surgery.**

Microchipping

ASPCA statistics on lost pet recovery indicate only 17-30 % of lost dogs are reclaimed by their owners from animal shelters and an appalling 2-5 % of cats are reclaimed. Collars and tags are lost while the animal is stray. Microchipping is a way to help recover your pet. A tiny chip, the size of a kernel of rice, is inserted by hypodermic needle. The chip has a unique number which is assigned to your pet when you register the chip. A scanner activates the chip and is used to recover your pet's unique number should he/she become lost. **Insertion of the chip while your pet is under anesthesia is completely painless. PLEASE CHECK ONE OF THE BOXES BELOW**

I want my pet to have a microchip inserted during surgery. I understand the fee is \$35.00.

I do not want my pet to have a microchip.

Laser Surgery

A laser beam cuts the tissue and seals blood vessels and nerve endings resulting from less bleeding, swelling and pain. **PLEASE CHECK ONE OF THE BOXES BELOW**

I want my pet to have laser surgery. I understand there is an additional fee of \$35.00.

I do not want my pet to have laser surgery.

Cold Laser Therapy

Cold laser therapy is a form of soft tissue therapy. It utilizes low level laser light to stimulate cells into regenerating faster. Each cell has an area that can turn light into energy. Additionally, the light also slightly warms the area. This translates into nutrients entering the cell as a faster rate and waste being removed from the cell.

When cold laser therapy is used on incision sites, it speeds healing and helps reduce pain and swelling. I want my pet to have cold laser therapy on the incision site. I understand the fee is \$35.00.

I do not want my pet to cold laser therapy on the incision site.