



## Anesthesia & Surgical Consent Form

<b>Client Name:</b>		<b>Patient Name:</b>	
Address:		Microchip #:	Rabies #:
		Species:	Sex:
Telephone:		Breed:	DOB:

Anesthetic and surgical procedure(s) to be performed:

Anesthesia is an extremely delicate procedure that we perform daily on our patients. Our patients are very similar physiologically and metabolically to humans. We have excellent monitoring equipment, but there is always a risk when undergoing any surgical procedure. To minimize this risk, pre-anesthetic bloodwork is strongly recommended, no matter how healthy a patient appears. The cost of bloodwork is in addition to that of the anesthetic procedure.

Would you like radiographs performed on your pet to screen for Hip Dysplasia? (\$195.00)       Yes     No  
 Would you like your pet to receive the **HomeAgain** microchip implant? (\$83.50)       Yes     No

*If you have any questions regarding the Microchip or the radiographs, please ask the surgical tech before taking your pet back.*

**Some key points to make you aware of regarding your pet’s surgical stay with us:**

- *You can request an estimate at any time.*
- We use a laser for our surgical procedures to greatly reduce pain and discomfort for our patients.
- During spay/neuter procedures, any deciduous (baby) teeth present will be extracted.
  - *This will protect the adult teeth from malformation. It will also protect the adult teeth from decay and tartar buildup, which would form between the baby teeth and adult teeth. There is an additional charge ranging from \$21 to \$40 per tooth depending upon degree of difficulty.*
- We feel that managing your pet’s pain is an important part of our commitment to your pet’s health, as well as helping to heal more rapidly. During your pet’s stay, pain relieving medication will be administered as necessary to assure that your pet is as comfortable as possible.
- Providing pain relief also means that additional medication may be dispensed for use at home.
- If your pet has a lump or growth to be evaluated, please use attached sheet to mark them on.
- **\*When multiple procedures are scheduled, the order in which they’re performed is at the discretion of the surgeon. Any requests made for your pet’s procedure to be performed first will be taken into consideration, but is not guaranteed.**

With my signature I acknowledge that I have been advised as to the nature / risks of the operation my pet will be undergoing. I realize that results cannot be guaranteed and understand that, during the operation, unforeseen conditions may necessitate an extension of the procedure different than originally set forth. The hospital will make every effort to consult with me prior to any necessary change. I also understand that someone with my authority will need to be **available throughout the day** so that the doctors can reach me if necessary. Therefore, I consent to and authorize the performance of today’s procedure(s).

**Signature of Owner:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_