

Surgery Guidelines Canine and Feline

(Call our office for pre-surgery guidelines on other species)

- 1) Do **NOT** give any food **after midnight** the evening prior to surgery or testing. A small amount of water may be left available overnight.
- 2) Give your pet its current medication, unless told otherwise by your Doctor.
- 3) For patients that are new to our hospital, please bring any previous vaccination records.
- 4) If your pet is staying overnight and requires a special diet or medication, please notify us. We may need you to bring it with you.

Please allow extra time for your pet to urinate and have a bowel movement on the morning of surgery.

Our drop-off time is between **7 – 8:00 a.m.** Monday through Friday. If you need a later drop-off time, this can often be arranged with advance notice. Pets can be dropped off the evening before for an additional boarding charge.

Please call between **2 – 4 p.m.** the day of the surgery to check on the recovery status of your pet.

