

**BULVERDE ANIMAL HOSPITAL
SURGERY RELEASE / HOSPITAL AUTHORIZATION**

Client Name: _____ Patient Name: _____

I hereby consent and authorize the performance of the following procedure(s) or operation(s):

I understand that during the performance of the foregoing procedure(s) or operation(s), unforeseen conditions may be revealed that necessitate and extension of the foregoing procedure(s) or operation(s) or different procedure(s) or operation(s) than those set forth above. Therefore, I hereby consent to and authorize the performance of such procedure(s) or operation(s) as are necessary and desirable in the exercise of the veterinarian's professional judgment.

~I also authorize the use of appropriate anesthetics, and other medications, and I understand that hospital support personnel will be employed as deemed necessary by the veterinarian.

~I have been advised as to the nature of the procedures or operations and the risks involved. I realize that results cannot be guaranteed.

~I have read and understand the authorization and consent.

IV Catheter Requirement

Your pet's health is our primary concern. Our most effective and safest anesthetic drugs require the use of an intravenous catheter (IV) placed in the front arm vein. This will require a small area to be shaved and disinfected for IV placement. Your pet will receive intravenous fluids during the anesthetic period, which will provide for safer anesthesia, a quicker recovery and better pain management.

There will be an additional cost to you of \$52.00 _____

Gas Anesthesia

Sevoflurane is an anesthetic gas that enables much better control of anesthetic depth, a quicker recovery and increased safety in certain patients. This anesthesia is the safest anesthesia veterinarians have today.

BLOOD TESTING

Pre-anesthetic lab work is highly recommended for all pets prior to surgical procedure. With the pre-anesthetic lab work we are given a blood count, packed cell volume, total protein, two kidneys and two liver function tests. For pets over 6 years of age, we strongly recommend a General Health Profile. With the General Health Profile, we are given a more detailed blood profile which is very beneficial in our older pets. These are to help identify preexisting conditions or sub clinical problems not evident during the pre-surgical examinations.

_____ **I do** want the Pre-anesthetic lab work done for an additional \$80.78

_____ **I do** want the General Health Profile lab work done for an additional \$142.67

_____ I do not want either one of the blood profiles mentioned above.

SURGICAL / ICU MONITORING

Your pet will be monitored during surgery. This includes monitoring the patient's heart rate, ECG, temperature, oxygen saturation, blood pressure and arterial pulse sensation. This also includes thermal warming during surgery and recovery.

_____ **I do** want Surgical monitoring done for an additional \$50.24.

_____ **I do not** want Surgical monitoring.

POST-SURGICAL PAIN MEDICATION

Your pet will receive an analgesic injection to reduce pain and discomfort prior to surgery at no additional cost to you.

Additional pain medication can be prescribed ranging in price from \$25-40 depending on the size of your pet. A less painful recovery results in a faster recovery. _____ I accept _____ I decline

_____ **Y/N HISTOPATHOLOGY W/tumor removals**

_____ **Y / N BUSTER COLLAR**

I agree to pay for all services rendered at the time the patient is discharged.

Client or authorized signature _____

Today's Phone number _____ Today's Date _____

Additonal Phone Numbers _____

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