

Authorization for Anesthesia/Surgery

Client Name: _____

Pet's Name: _____

Breed: _____

Age: _____

Species: Dog Cat

Sex: Male Female

Anesthetic and surgical procedure(s) to be performed: _____

I, the undersigned owner or agent of the owner of the pet identified above, certify that I am eighteen years of age or over and authorize the veterinarian to perform the above procedure(s). I understand that some risks always exist with anesthesia and/or surgery and that I am encouraged to discuss any concerns I have about those risks with the attending veterinarian before the procedure(s) is/are initiated. My signature on this form indicates that any questions I have regarding the following issues have been answered to my satisfaction:

- The reasonable medical and/or surgical treatment options for my pet
- Sufficient details of the procedures to understand what will be performed
- How fully my pet will recover and how long it will take
- The most common and serious complications
- The length and type of follow-up care and the importance of adhering to discharge instructions
- The estimate of the fees for all services

While I accept that all procedures will be performed to the best of the abilities of the staff at this hospital, I understand that no guarantee or warranty has been made regarding the results that may be achieved. If post surgical complications should arise, I agree to call immediately at 770-455-1011. This number will also be listed on my invoice. Should unexpected life-saving emergency care be required and the hospital staff is unable to reach me, the staff has my permission to provide such treatment and I agree to pay for such services.

- Pre-operative blood work is advised to maximize the safety of an anesthetic procedure. It diagnoses any hidden problems with major organ systems such as kidneys and liver and also tests for anemia or infection. An in-house pre-op panel can be run prior to your animal's surgery today. The cost is \$40. If your pet is over 7 years of age and this has not been performed it is required by the doctor.

Requested _____ Declined _____ Required by doctor _____

- An intravenous catheter placed in my pet prior to anesthesia is a safety measure that allows instant access to his/her vein in case of an anesthetic emergency. The cost for this procedure is \$20. If your pet is over 7 years of age this is required by the doctor.

Requested _____ Declined _____ Required by doctor _____

****I agree to pay for all services rendered in full at the time of checkout for my pet. I agree to pay with cash, credit card or debit card. Wellpet Humane does not accept checks.****

I have read and fully understand the terms and conditions set forth above.

_____ Signature of Owner/Agent	_____ Phone number
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