

Anesthesia Consent Form

Surgery Date: _____
Owner Name: _____
Patient Name: _____

Procedure: _____

I hereby authorized and direct the Veterinarians at Appleby Sand Road Animal Clinic, PC to perform the above procedure(s). I also authorize any emergency tests or procedures that may become necessary for my pet as a result of unforeseen complications or illness.

Blood Work

Your pet is undergoing a procedure requiring general anesthesia. We will perform a physical exam on your pet before administering the anesthesia. This process is to look for potential health problems, however, we strongly recommend a pre-anesthetic blood chemistry profile and blood cell count (CBC) be performed to help insure that your pet is in a low-risk category during anesthesia and surgery. By performing this important pre-anesthetic testing, we will be able to rule out many pre-existing internal problems that may not be evident physically, but could lead to serious complications. There is an additional fee of \$94.00 for this testing.

_____ Yes, COMPLETE the recommended blood work prior to anesthetizing my pet
_____ No, I DECLINE the recommended blood work and request to continue with the procedure

Pain Management

Your pet will be administered pain medication in the hospital prior to their surgery. Most of the time they do not require any further pain medication, however, we are happy to send home a prescription if you desire. There will be an additional fee depending on your pet's weight.

_____ Yes, I would like to take pain medication home with me.
_____ No, I decline pain medication at this time.

Microchip

A microchip is a small chip that would be placed under your pet's skin that is used as a permanent identification in case of loss. These chips can be read by scanners at most Veterinarians and shelter facilities. The cost of this service is \$38.43 and does not require anesthesia.

_____ Yes, I would like to have my pet microchipped. Email: _____
_____ No, I decline having my pet microchipped at this time.
_____ No, my pet is already microchipped.

Deciduous Teeth

Deciduous or "puppy" teeth occasionally never fall out as expected. When these remain in the mouth they result in crowding and cause excessive tartar build up. This build up will then expedite dental disease. We offer to remove these teeth at this time to be more economical for you. There is an additional charge for this service.

- Yes, please remove any deciduous teeth.
- No, I decline removing any deciduous teeth.

Additional

I would like to take an E-collar home with me when I pick up my pet. Price ranges from \$15 - \$30 depending on size.

I have received a voucher from the Nacogdoches Animal Shelter to aid in today's final expenses.

Other: _____

The nature of the procedure(s) has been explained to me and I realize that no guarantee as to the results or cure can ethically or professionally be made. I understand that there may be risks involved in these procedures. I fully realize that open communication between the doctor and the pet owner is essential to providing the best possible veterinary care for my pet. (Please feel free to discuss all aspects of your pet's treatment and it's costs.) I understand that a written estimate of the costs is available upon request if one has not already been presented to me.

Payment is to be made when the services are performed or when I take my pet home. I agree to pay in full for services rendered, including those deemed immediately necessary for medical and/or surgical complications or unforeseen circumstances. Any estimate of charges for presently planned procedures is only an approximation and the final bill may be greater or less than this amount.

I have read and understand the above statements:

Signature of Owner/Agent

Phone number: _____