

**Skyview Veterinary Hospital
Anesthesia / Surgical Release**

Pet's name: _____ **Date:** _____

Admitted for: _____

Your pet has been admitted for an anesthetic procedure or surgery today. Please be assured that our staff will use the safest anesthetics available. Your pet is constantly monitored throughout the procedure. However, regardless of an animal's age or apparent health status, all anesthetic procedures have an element of risk.

Before the anesthetic is given, a simple blood test can be done that allows us to check the function of internal organs. Knowing how well these organs are working is vital to the safety of the animal. We recommend 4 tests be done before any anesthetic procedure. The cost for the tests is \$46.

*** Blood work is mandatory for animals 7 yrs of age and older / 5 yrs and older for large breed dogs***

For the most complete safety, an electrocardiogram (EKG) can also be done prior to the anesthetic. The cost of this service in combination with the blood tests is \$72.

We also recommend IV fluids during your pet's surgery. IV fluids help maintain good blood pressure, gives us an accessible IV route in case of an emergency, and helps to flush the anesthesia from the body. The cost is \$37.

If applicable to your pet's surgery, we will be placing an Elizabethan collar on your pet to prevent licking/chewing on the surgery site. Cost varies depending on size.

Please initial/sign below to indicate that you understand that there are risks associated with anesthesia and what options you would like us to perform prior to or during the anesthesia/surgery.

Bloodwork:

- YES**, I have read the above and want both the blood tests & the EKG. (\$72)
 YES, I have read the above and want only the blood tests done. (\$46)
 NO, I have read the above and decline pre-surgical tests & EKG.

IV Fluids:

- YES**, I have read the above and want the IV Fluids during surgery. (\$37)
 NO, I have read the above and decline the IV fluids.

Laser:

- YES**, I would like the laser used for my pet's surgery at an additional charge. The laser is beneficial because there is minimal bleeding during surgery and less pain and swelling post surgery. **Laser use is not optional for declaws.** Cost: \$48 (for spay/neuter). Laser use costs range from \$48 to \$143 depending on extensiveness of use for other surgeries.
 NO, I decline the laser use for my pet's surgery.

Other services that can also be done while your pet is under anesthesia:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Nail Trim (\$15) | <input type="checkbox"/> K9 Heartworm Test (\$33) | <input type="checkbox"/> Feline Leukemia Test (\$36) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Microchip (\$36) | <input type="checkbox"/> Ear cleaning (\$19) | <input type="checkbox"/> Vaccinations |

I understand that some form of pain medication will be used during surgery and prescribed for post surgery pain for every procedure. I authorize my pet for anesthesia/surgery and understand the risks that are involved. I assume full financial responsibility for the above services for my pet. I understand that payment is due at the time of my pet's services.

Client Signature _____ **Today's Phone #** _____