

Pre-Surgery Packet

Enclosed in this packet are your Surgical Consent Form and an estimate of the possible charges incurred. Please use this letter as further information on your choices from the Surgical Consent Form.

Blood work:

Blood work is beneficial for all pets whatever their age. At Brookwood Veterinary Clinic, we require blood work for ALL PETS OVER 7 YEARS OF AGE. Any pet under 7 years is not required to have blood work drawn. THIS DOES NOT MEAN THAT WE DO NOT RECOMMEND BLOOD WORK, BUT IT IS NOT REQUIRED. We cannot suggest against it because we have been able to diagnose some young pets with kidney disorders at a young age. The blood work is offered at an additional price of \$95.00

Home Again Microchip:

The microchip is very beneficial for pets that get away from their owners or pets that are prone to get out of their surroundings. While pets are under anesthesia, we offer owners a \$10.00 discount on this service, making the price \$60.00.

Additional Post-Operative Pain Medicine:

A post-operative pain injection is given to all pets that undergo anesthesia. A few days worth of pain tablets are included in your surgery price. More time consuming surgeries usually require additional take home pain medication. The additional cost for take home pain medication for dogs varies according to weight. The cost can be from \$15.00 to \$40.00. Please be advised any patient showing extreme discomfort or stress will be given a pain injection for a charge of \$70.00

THE ESTIMATE INCLUDED SHOWS ALL THE PRICES FOR SURGERY, AND ALL OPTIONS INCLUDED. PLEASE REMEMBER THAT ALL THINGS LISTED ON THE SURGICAL CONSENT FORM ARE OPTIONAL AND DO NOT HAVE TO BE CHOSEN. FOR ANY FURTHER QUESTIONS, PLEASE FEEL FREE TO CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT (919) 779-2940.

REMEMBER NO FOOD OR WATER AFTER 9:30 p.m. THE NIGHT BEFORE SURGERY OR THE MORNING OF SURGERY!! Have your pet at the office between 7:30 a.m. and 8:00 a.m. the morning of surgery. Please do not be late as we need time to get your pet prepped and pre medicated before surgery. Arrival after 8:00 delays the entire surgery schedule and you may be subject to cancellation if you arrive after 8:00 a.m. If your pet gets insulin **DO NOT GIVE THE MORNING DOSE!!!**

Kindly give our office a 24 hour notice if you are unable to keep your scheduled appointment, which will allow other patients the opportunity to be scheduled.

Failure to notify our office within 24 hours will result in an administrative fee of \$200.00 for surgical procedures, which will be assessed to your account.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation!