

Lee Veterinary Clinic, P.C.

Young Animal Surgical Consent Form

<date>

Owner: <first-name> <last-name>
Address: <address> <city>, <st>

Patient's Name: <animal>
Breed: <breed>
Sex: <sex-name> Age:<age>

SECTION 1 -procedures and liability

Number where you can be reached TODAY: _____

As the owner or agent of the above animal, I hereby consent to Lee Veterinary Clinic, PC performing the following procedures:

Optional Feline Leukemia, FIV, Heartworm test: YES or NO
Optional Canine Heartworm Test: YES or NO
Optional Microchip: YES or NO
Optional Cerenia anti-nausea medication (many pet owners will notice their pet is more comfortable and more eager to eat during their recovery at home): YES or NO

I understand that during the performance of the procedure(s), unforeseen conditions may occur or be revealed that necessitate a variance in the procedure(s) set forth above. The nature of the procedure(s) and risks involved have been explained to me, and I realize results cannot be guaranteed. I am also aware that the occurrence of unforeseen events, including but not limited to death, will not relieve me from my obligation to pay all costs incurred regarding the animal.

Initial _____

SECTION 2 -pain management

Pain medications vary greatly and will be chosen, prescribed, and charged by the attending veterinarian based on the patient's individual need.

SECTION 3 -rabies and external parasites

In accordance with state law, ALL DOGS AND CATS OVER 12 WEEKS OF AGE ADMITTED INTO THE HOSPITAL MUST BE CURRENT ON THEIR RABIES VACCINATION. All admitted patients must be free from external parasites in order to protect the other hospitalized patients and hospital staff. ANY ANIMAL FOUND TO HAVE FLEAS OR TICKS WILL BE TREATED AT THE OWNER'S EXPENSE.

SECTION 4 -laboratory tests

Recommended Laboratory Testing

Rest assured that advances in anesthesia and surgery have made routine procedures relatively safe with a low rate of complications. Nevertheless, problems do arise due to pre-existing conditions not evident during routine pre-anesthetic examinations. Anesthetics are eliminated from the body by the liver, kidneys, and lungs. Unseen problems with any of these body systems greatly increase the risk associated with anesthesia. To assist in avoiding these problems, the following laboratory testing should be performed on your pet prior to anesthesia. **These tests cost \$41.08 and are in addition to the surgical cost.** They are detailed below:

Packed Cell Volume: -assesses red blood cell numbers
Total Protein: -quantifies blood protein; provides an indication of nutrition and potential unforeseen protein losses and lack of production
Serum Chemistry Panel: -tests for proper kidney and liver function in addition to quantifying blood glucose.

By signing here _____, I refuse the aforementioned testing and acknowledge that I understand the risks detailed above and hereby forever release Lee Veterinary Clinic and its agents from any liability that may arise from my decision not to perform these recommended tests.

By signing below I acknowledge that I have read Sections 1, 2, 3, and 4 above, that I understand them, and that any questions I had regarding the content and meaning have been adequately answered and clarified by Lee Veterinary Clinic and its agents. Furthermore, I realize and again profess that neither guarantee nor warranty can be legally or ethically made regarding the results of the above listed procedures.

Signature of Owner/ Agent _____

DATE _____

Witness _____

DATE _____