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**SURGERY RELEASE**

OWNER'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number for **TODAY** \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

PET'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

**Procedure to be performed:** \_\_\_\_\_

YES   NO   **PLEASE ANSWER THESE QUESTIONS BEFORE SURGERY**

- Are vaccinations current? (within the last year)  
                  **DOG:**  DHLPP  KENNEL COUGH    RABIES  
                  **CAT:**  FVRCP    FELEUK    RABIES
- Is the dog on Heartworm Preventative?  
  Has the pet been checked for intestinal parasites in the last 6 months?  
  Any Vomiting, Coughing, or Diarrhea?  
  Did your pet **EAT** this morning?  
  Is your pet **ALLERGIC** to any drugs?  
  Has your pet had any illness or injury in the last 30 days?

**ELECTIVE PROCEDURES TO BE DONE AT THE SAME TIME**

- Microchip Pet Identification (\$49.00)  
 Remove dew claws  
 Dock tail  
 Repair umbilical hernia  
 Routine Nail trim    Laser nail reduction  
 Ear flushing  
 Remove skin growths, warts   Location: (If not marked) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Extract retained puppy teeth  
 Teeth cleaning (Ultrasonic Scaling and Polishing)  
 Express Anal Glands  
 Frontline or Revolution Application for fleas  
 Flea Bath/Dip, Brush Out/Clip Hair Mats    Full Dog Grooming  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**OWNER RELEASE**

I authorize Animal Hospital of Montgomery, LLC to perform the indicated procedure(s) upon my pet/or any other procedures that professional judgement may dictate to be advisable for the patient's well being. I am aware that **general anesthesia** is required for this procedure and I have been advised of the benefits of pre-anesthetic blood screening tests. I am aware of the risks and the nature of the entire procedure with no warranty or guarantee given relative to the outcome.

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE OF OWNER OR AGENT

**PLEASE COMPLETE THE SECOND PAGE OF THIS FORM**

## **ANESTHETIC SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS**

**Please indicate with your initials below which procedures you would like done.**

Your pet is scheduled to undergo a procedure requiring general anesthesia. The safety of modern anesthesia has improved significantly with increased knowledge, state of the art equipment, and newer, safer anesthetic drugs. However, anesthesia can never be considered a risk free procedure. The following procedures can be utilized to maximize anesthetic safety by identifying patients that may be at increased risks. Post-operative pain can also be managed with an array of analgesic drugs. Other tests may be indicated or required for specific patients. Your veterinarian will individually discuss these. If you do not understand what you are initialing, please ask us.

**Preanesthetic Blood Work** provides information about your pet's systemic health that may not be apparent from a general physical examination. Based on the results from blood tests, adjustments to our anesthetic protocols may be made or the procedure may be postponed. Listed below are general recommendations. However, if your pet has an illness, additional testing may be required.

**Mini-Screen:** \$35.00    Accept \_\_\_\_\_ Decline \_\_\_\_\_

Strongly recommended for pets under 5 years of age prior to general anesthesia. Checks blood clotting, amount of red blood cells, white blood cells and kidney function.

**General Blood Profile:** \$115.00    Accept \_\_\_\_\_ Decline \_\_\_\_\_

Recommended for all animals over 5 years of age and animals with known health issues. General blood profile can be requested for any age. This test provides for a complete blood cell count and information regarding liver disease, kidney disease, pancreatic function, electrolytes, and blood sugar.

**Intravenous Catheter:** \$32.00    Accept \_\_\_\_\_ Decline \_\_\_\_\_

An intravenous catheter ensures a readily available route for drug administration in case problems arise during anesthesia. A catheter is of potential value in nearly all anesthetized patients, but especially for extended surgical procedures and geriatric patients.

Heart/Respiratory Monitor: Provides warning of abnormalities in heart rate and respiratory function. This is provided at no additional charge.

**Pain Relief:** Accept \_\_\_\_\_ Decline \_\_\_\_\_

We highly recommend pain management for all animal following surgery. A single injection can help make your pet's experience a better one. Oral medications may also be recommended depending on the type of procedure. (Routine spays, neuters, and declaws include the cost of pain medication) The cost of all other pain medications is based on the weight of the animal.

**Laser Surgery:** (when applicable) Accept \_\_\_\_\_ Decline \_\_\_\_\_ \$59.50 - \$89.50

Some surgeries have more successful outcomes with laser incisions. With laser surgery,