

Mountain View Veterinary Services (MVVS)

20 Park Place Suite 1 Shippensburg PA 17257

Nonelective Surgical Consent

Client Name: _____ Patient Name _____ Date: _____

Procedure: _____

Pre-Surgical Exam

All of our surgical patients will receive a full physical examination. Although many advances have been made, anesthesia does still carry some risks. During the procedure, your pet's blood oxygen level, blood pressure, heart rate and rhythm, respirations and temperature will be monitored. The anesthetic drugs we use are primarily eliminated by the kidney and liver. We require blood screening as well as an intravenous catheter. The blood screening helps to identify pre-existing conditions that could lead to complications with anesthesia or healing. The IV catheter will provide fluids to maintain blood pressure and flush anesthetics from the body. In the event of an emergency, this will allow rapid administration of lifesaving drugs. I permit today's surgeon to perform the following pre-surgical blood screening.

☐ **Dogs: Prep Profile/CBC:** Evaluates basic kidney and liver functions as well as red and white blood cell levels and platelet count. (\$65)

☐ **Cats: Prep Profile/CBC/ProBNP:** Evaluates kidney, liver functions, red cell and white cell and platelet count and a heart muscle specific protein that indicates underlying heart disease (\$89)

☐ **CBC/Comprehensive Profile/ProBNP:** Evaluates kidney, liver and pancreatic functions as well as red and white blood cell levels and platelet count. These screenings are required for patients undergoing non-elective procedures that are 8 years or older in age. (\$125 (dogs) \$265 (cats))

☐ My pet's bloodwork was completed in the last 3 months

Vaccines: Our clinic policy requires patients to be up to date on Rabies vaccination before we can perform surgery. If the Rabies vaccine is not current, the patient will be vaccinated the day of surgery and you will be charged accordingly. Additionally, we recommend your pet be up to date on Distemper vaccine.

☐ My pet is current ☐ My Pet needs: Rabies: _____
DAP (Dogs): _____ FVRCP (Cats): _____

Optional Vaccines:

Canine: Lyme _____ Leptospirosis _____ Bordetella _____
Feline: Leukemia: _____

I have read and understand the above services or tests that I have selected or declined. **I understand that I may have chosen items that will accrue additional charges above and beyond any estimates I was previously given.** I have had the opportunity to ask questions about the above options including any additional costs related to my choices.

Signature of Owner/Agent

Date

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Hospital Admittance Form

I, undersigned owner/agent of the below named and admitted patient, hereby authorize the attending Veterinarian(s), her/his designated associates, assistants and staff to perform diagnostic procedures as they determine necessary for the care of my pet, including but not limited to blood tests, X-rays or other procedures as needed. Further, I authorize the attending Veterinarian(s), her/his designated associates, assistants and staff to administer such treatment as deemed therapeutically necessary. I also authorize the use of anesthetic agents if needed. Should an anesthetic be necessary, I authorize the placement of an intravenous catheter (if needed) to minimize the risk of anesthesia. I grant you my consent to receive, prescribe for, treat and/or operate upon my pet. You are to use all reasonable precautions against injury, escape or death of my pet, but you will not be held liable or responsible in any manner in connection therewith as it is thoroughly understood that I assume all risks.

I understand that the attending Veterinarian will make a reasonable attempt to contact me prior to above-mentioned therapeutic procedures being performed. However, failure to complete said connections shall in no way reverse this authorization for treatment. I understand that no guarantee of successful treatment is made, and hereby verify that I have read and fully understand this authorization. Further, I assume financial responsibility for all charges, and agree to pay all charges at the time of the release of my pet from hospital care.

Since we are a multi-vet practice, I understand my pet may be seen by more than one veterinarian. Visitation may be available during my pet's stay and I understand that due to the nature of the hospital setting emergency conditions may alter the length of time or time(s) of day available. It is necessary that I call and confirm visitation before my arrival. Visitation is not allowed for any patient in isolation. I am welcome to call the hospital and speak to a technician during business hours regarding my pet and understand that any diagnoses can only be made by a doctor. A doctor or technician will make every attempt to update me at least once daily during my pet's stay.

In the unfortunate event that my pet becomes critical, I request the doctor and medical staff to:

____ **RESUSCITATE:** Perform any resuscitation effort including chest compressions, oxygen therapy and life-saving medications the doctor deems necessary and is within the realms of our clinic's capability to aid my pet, including emergency surgery.

____ **DO NOT RESUSCITATE (DNR)**

ADMITTANCE DATE: _____ CLIENT: _____

PATIENT: _____

REASON ADMITTED: _____

I understand there are doctor(s) or staff member(s) in the building during business hours that are assigned to my pet's care. After hours monitoring via remote surveillance is utilized by our on call staff. 24 hour monitoring is available at an emergency clinic in Hagerstown, Maryland. If your pet needs close monitoring, our veterinarian may recommend your pet be transferred there overnight. It may be necessary for our doctors to contact you concerning your pet's status at any time during their hospitalization with us. Please provide any phone numbers that we may need during your pet's stay.

Primary Phone: _____ Secondary Phone: _____

Please keep me updated on my pet via: ☐ Phone Call ☐ Text Message (Carrier): _____

☐ Email: _____

Time last ate: _____ / Drank: _____

Last medications given: _____

I understand that throughout my pet's hospital stay additional costs may be incurred and that all fees are due when services and medications are rendered and will be paid in full at the time of my pet's discharge from the hospital.

I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THIS AUTHORIZATION AND CONSENT

Owner's Name (Print)

Owner's Name (Signature)