

OCEAN ANIMAL HOSPITAL SURGIAL RELEASE FORM

Pre-surgical/anesthesia testing is an important wellness test for the client, patient, and the veterinarian.

No surgery is without risk. We recommend a pre-surgical condensed blood profile prior to anesthesia. This profile includes tests which help determine your pet's basic organ functions. The body rids itself of anesthesia through the kidneys and liver. Knowing the functions of these systems helps minimize the risks of anesthesia and allows the doctor to adjust anesthesia or surgery accordingly. Dr. Dave may have already recommended this procedure, if not you may elect to have this testing done by checking below. Our hospital laboratory is fully equipped to perform these tests and results will be read prior to any procedure being performed. If there is a problem Dr. Dave will contact you at the emergency number below prior to treating your pet. The total cost of the test is \$71.50.

BLOOD WORK IS MANDATORY FOR ALL ANIMALS OVER 6 YEARS OLD.

YES, I want my pet to have a pre-surgical/anesthesia blood profile.

NO, I do not want my pet to have a blood profile done; **I have been informed of the risks.**

PAIN MANAGEMENT: We offer pain management during procedures and post-operatively for your pet. Please indicate below if you would like pain control to ease any discomfort your pet might have. Specific procedures can be very painful and take home pain medication will be sent home automatically.

YES, I want my pet to have pain management

NO, I decline to have pain management

ELIZABETH COLLAR: To ensure that your pet will not chew or lick open a new surgical site, an Elizabethan collar is available. Average cost is \$10-\$23. This small investment could save you the added cost to have the site repaired.

YES, please send home a collar

NO, I decline a collar and am aware of the risk.

MICROCHIPPING: Permanent RESQ Microchipping is a very simple and safe way to permanently identify your pet. Because we at Ocean Animal Hospital feel this is so important for you and your pet, we offer this at the reduced rate of \$40 if done during a surgical procedure.

YES, I want a RESQ Microchip

NO, I decline the RESQ Microchip

COMPLIMENTARY NAIL TRIM

NO I DO NOT WANT a complimentary nail trim that will be done while my pet is asleep.

Please note: Heartworm test for dogs must be current before anesthetic procedures. All animals must be current on vaccinations and free of external parasites. Any animal with fleas and/or ticks will be treated at the owner's expense.

PLEASE CIRCLE ONE.

YES **NO** Did your pet eat this morning?

YES **NO** Is your pet allergic to any medications? If yes, please list _____

YES **NO** Has your pet had any illness or injury in the past 30 days?

YES **NO** Does your pet have any history of seizures and/or previous anesthetic problems?

Current medications _____

I, being responsible for the above animal, have the authority to grant you my consent to treat, prescribe for and or operate upon my pet. You are to use all responsible precautions against injury, escape of, and/or death of my pet, but you will not be held liable or responsible in any manner, as I thoroughly understand I assume all risks. I agree to pay in full for services rendered.

IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY I CAN BE REACHED AT THE FOLLOWING NUMBERS.

Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Client Signature: _____ Date: _____