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Pre-Anesthetic Blood Testing and Surgical Consent Form

Owner's Name: _____

Pet's Name: _____

Daytime Phone: _____

Proposed Surgical Procedure: _____

Date: _____

Like you, our greatest concern is the well-being of your pet. Before putting your pet under anesthesia, we will perform a full physical examination. However, many conditions, including disorders of the liver, kidneys or blood, are not detected unless blood testing is performed. Such tests are especially important before any kind of surgery. This screen may rule out pre-existing internal problems that may not be evident physically and could lead to complications.

For these reasons, we highly recommend blood screening before such procedures. The total cost of these important tests is \$_____.

Our laboratory is fully equipped and staffed to perform these important blood tests. Results will be immediately available to examine before anesthesia and/or surgery.

Please indicate your choice below:

YES, I want my pet to have a pre-anesthesia blood screen, and consent to and authorize the proposed surgical procedure.

NO, I do not want my pet to have a pre-anesthesia blood screen. I consent to and authorize the proposed surgical procedure.



Pain Management:

Research has indicated that while pets may appear to withstand pain better than humans, they still experience it to a great degree. While undergoing surgery, your pet may receive anesthetic drugs that prevent pain. However, additional medications have recently become available that enable us to safely and effectively control the level of your pet's discomfort after surgery and during their recovery at home.

Since we care about your pet's comfort and strongly believe in pain management, we recommend additional medication for pain.

YES, I want my pet to receive additional pain management medication.

NO, I do not want my pet to have additional pain management medication.

I have an understanding of the possible risks involved with this procedure. I also understand and realize results cannot be guaranteed.

Signed: _____

Owner/Agent