

# CHECK – IN QUESTIONNAIRE FOR CATS UNDERGOING DECLAW SURGERY

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| 1. Eating/drinking normal?                                 | Yes | No | _____                                      |
| 2. Was food withheld after 10:00 pm?                       | Yes | No | _____                                      |
| 3. Is your pet currently on any medication?                | Yes | No | If yes, was medication given today? Yes No |
| 4. Are you aware of any previous anesthetic complications? | Yes | No | _____                                      |
| 5. Are you aware of any other problems? (allergies)        | Yes | No | _____                                      |

- **Your pet is being admitted to our hospital for surgery today.** A pre-surgical/pre-anaesthetic physical examination will be performed before administering anesthesia.
- Every animal undergoing general anesthesia should be screened for internal problems not readily evident on the external physical examination. **Some pets have pre-existing medical problems that may cause anesthetic complications; these problems may not be evident on physical examination.** Some of these problems may include anemia, dehydration, diabetes, liver disease, kidney disease or other organ conditions.

## TYPE OF ANESTHETIC GAS

 Please choose the type of anesthetic gas you want us to use on your pet:

- Isoflurane – advanced anesthetic gas; strongly recommended for cats less than 5 years of age or without pre-existing health problems ***price included with the cost of surgery***
- Sevoflurane - safest anesthetic gas available, recommended for geriatric cats and cats with pre-existing medical conditions such as heart, kidney or liver disease. ***COST \$ 115.00***

## BLOOD PROFILE AND URINALYSIS

- YES, I want to help increase the safety of the anaesthetic/surgical procedure for my pet. Please perform the pre-anesthetic **Blood Profile and Urinalysis**. If abnormalities are found which present any hazard to my pet, please notify me prior to performing general anesthesia or any surgery. ***COST: \$ 72.50***
- NO, I understand that there is some risk of complications in my pet's surgery but **elect to decline Pre-anaesthetic Safety testing**, holding the hospital harmless in the event of any complications.
- FELV/FIV blood test** (screens for feline AIDS and feline leukemia virus) ***COST: \$58.50***

## FLUID SUPPORT

Fluid support is important for cardiovascular and blood pressure support during anesthesia and is an important safety feature during anesthetics. Subcutaneous fluids are fluids administered under the skin whereas IV fluids are fluids pumped directly into the vein via an IV catheter.

Subcutaneous (under the skin) fluid support.

***COST IS INCLUDED IN THE DECLAW PACKAGE***

- I elect to upgrade my cat's fluid support to include both IV and subcutaneous fluid therapy

***COST \$ 47.00***

## PAIN CONTROL

Every surgical procedure involves some degree of pain. We are very concerned about the pain your pet may experience. In order to decrease post-surgical pain and increase your pet's comfort in the recovery period, we provide additional post-operative pain treatment. The **Duragesic patch** provides superior pain control, but can only be used on cats weighing 5 pounds or more.

***price included with the cost of surgery***

## IDENTIFICATION (LOSS PREVENTION)

 I would like to identify my cat with:

- Tattoo (right ear)
- Microchip
- NO, I decline to have my pet tattooed or microchipped.

***COST \$ 30.00***

***COST \$ 71.00***

Owner's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Cat's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_