

Zarges Animal Clinic

Dog Pre-Op Consent Form

Date _____ Owner _____ Patient _____

Please read carefully, check appropriate boxes and sign/date. Your pet is scheduled for a surgical procedure. The Doctor will perform a physical examination before administering anesthesia. Any surgical procedure or anesthesia involves a certain amount of risk; therefore, we recommend the following elective tests. Please read carefully and answer the following questions.

Pre-op blood screen, which will rule out any internal problems not evident on the exam. Most anesthetic agents are removed from the body by the liver and the kidneys, so it is important to know that these organs are functioning normally. The fee is **\$65** and includes a CBC (complete blood count), glucose, basic liver and kidney function. Yes _____ No _____

We also recommend an EKG before anesthesia since a physical exam may not detect heart problems possibly leading to complications during surgery. The fee is **\$30**. Yes _____ No _____

Finally we recommend a thoracic X-ray . This will detect underlying heart and lung problems. The fee is **\$66** for two thoracic x-rays. Yes _____ No _____

Is your pet current on vaccinations? Yes _____ No _____

Is your pet on heartworm preventative? Yes _____ No _____

If not, would you like for us to check for heartworm disease? The fee is **\$20**. Yes _____ No _____

Is your pet on any medications? If so, please list the medications. _____

Would you like for your pet to receive pain medication? The fee is dependent on the pet's body weight. Yes _____ No _____

Would you like to microchip your pet? The fee is **\$42**. Yes _____ No _____

Would you like for your pet to receive an IV catheter/ IV fluids administered during the procedure? The fee is **\$40**. Yes _____ No _____

If a problem is detected, we will contact you before proceeding.

We reserve the right to use appropriate anesthesia that may incur an additional cost. The fee is calculated by your pet's weight, please initial. _____

I UNDERSTAND THAT ANYTIME AN ANIMAL IS GIVEN ANESTHESIA, THERE IS A RISK INVOLVED.

Signature

Date

Phone numbers where we can reach you today _____