



SURGICAL & ANCILLARY SERVICES CONSENT FORM

First Name: _____ Last name: _____ Animal Name: _____

Pets In Stitches uses qualified staff and approved materials for all procedures performed. It is important that you understand that your pet's risk of injury or death, although extremely low, is always present just as it is for humans who undergo surgery. Carefully read and understand the following before signing your name.

I, acting as owner or agent of the pet named above, hereby authorize Pets In Stitches to perform an operation for sexual sterilization and any other approved procedures designated below on the animal named on the above portion of this form.

- I understand that injury to or death of my pet may result, for there are risks in the surgery and the use of anesthetics and drugs in providing this service. I accept that possibility as a necessary part of performing surgery on my pet.
- I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, my pet is in good health.
- I understand that Pets In Stitches may not perform a complete physical examination before surgery is performed. I also understand that my pet will not receive pre-operative blood work and waive my right to have this service performed prior to surgery at a full-service veterinary clinic.
- I understand that some factors significantly increase surgical risk, including but not limited to, poor healthcare prior to surgery, older age, pregnancy, heat, and diseases such as Feline Immunodeficiency Virus, Feline Leukemia, and heartworms.
- I either certify that my pet has been vaccinated within one (1) year prior to this date, waive my right to protect my pet by having it vaccinated, or I request recommended vaccinations at the time of surgery. I understand that it takes up to two (2) weeks for vaccinations to be protective.
- All fleas will be treated at the owners' expense.
- I understand that if my pet is pregnant, the pregnancy will be terminated at surgery. I accept the increased risks such as hemorrhage before and after surgery.
- If my pet bites a human while at Pets In Stitches, I will comply with Montgomery County law regarding bite quarantine for rabies.
- If a microchip is found in this animal, Pets In Stitches reserves the right to contact the microchipping company and registered owner/agent.
- If additional charges accrue, I will pay the additional balance due when I pick up my pet.

I understand that if I do not retrieve my pet on the day of surgery at the agreed upon time, that Pets In Stitches will exercise its right to either turn my pet over to the nearest humane society or handle as deemed as allowed by the State of Ohio under ORC – 4741.30. I understand that once a pet has been abandoned, I relinquish all ownership rights and I will be held responsible for any and all medical costs including any overnight fees.

I hereby release Pets In Stitches, all veterinarians, and employees from any and all claims arising out of or connected with the performance of surgical procedure(s) or any adverse reactions from vaccinations, including complication or death before, during or after surgery. I agree that I have not and will not claim any right of compensation from them, or any of them, or file action by reason of such sterilization or attempted sterilization of such animal or any consequences related thereto. I hereby agree to indemnify and hold Pets In Stitches harmless for any damages caused by any unforeseeable events including fire, vandalism, burglary, extreme weather, natural disasters or acts of God.

YOUR PET WILL RECEIVE A SMALL TATTOO ON HIS/HER UNDERSIDE TO SHOW THAT HE/SHE HAS BEEN STERILIZED.

FREE ROAMING CATS WILL ALSO HAVE THEIR EAR TIPPED.

Requested Surgical Procedures

- Sterilization (spay/neuter)
- Hernia Repair - \$75
- Retained Teeth Extraction(s) - \$15 to \$20
- Rear Dewclaw Removal (dogs only, not attached by bone) - \$50 per dewclaw

Requested Cat Services

- Rabies Vaccine (**required if not current**) - \$20
- Take-Home Pain Medication (**strongly recommended**) - \$20
- Leukemia Vaccine (at least 10 weeks of age) - \$25
- Distemper/Herpes/Calicivirus Vaccine - \$20
- FeLV/FIV Testing - \$40
- Microchip Implantation - \$50
- Revolution Application - \$25
- Nail Trim - \$20
- Check for Ear Mites - \$20
- Ear Clean - \$20
- Cardboard carrier - \$12 + tax
- Go-home worming for roundworms and Hookworms - \$15
- Yesterday's News (male cats) - \$10 + tax

Requested Dog Services

- Rabies Vaccine (**required if not current**) - \$20
- Take-Home Pain Medication (**strongly recommended**) - \$20
- Elizabethan Collar (plastic) - \$15 + tax
- Soft Recovery Collar - \$30 + tax
- Go-home sedation (**for active dogs**) - \$25
- Distemper/Parvovirus Vaccine - \$20
- Kennel Cough (Bordetella) Vaccine - \$20
- Heartworm Testing (7 months and older) - \$25
- Microchip Implantation - \$50
- Nail Trim - \$20
- Ear Clean - \$20
- Ear Hair Pluck - \$20
- Anal Gland Expression - \$25
- Monthly flea & tick prevention
- Go-home worming for roundworms and hookworms - \$15
- Monthly prevention for heartworm, roundworm, hookworm

I do do not have any additional questions about my pet's surgery and risks to discuss with the veterinarian.

Client Signature

Date