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ANESTHETIC CONSENT FORM

Before putting your pet, _____, under anesthesia, we will perform a full physical examination. Anesthesia always carries an inherent risk but we strive to make your pet's anesthetic procedure as safe as possible. 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 anesthesia. For these reasons, we require blood screening before such procedures.

PRE-ANESTHETIC BLOODWORK CONSENT:

Pre-anesthetic bloodwork looks at kidney and liver values to screen for any signs of abnormalities since these are the primary organs the body uses to filter anesthesia out of the blood stream. It also includes a complete blood count which helps screen for any signs of infection, anemia or decreased oxygen carrying capacity of the blood cells, among other things. Our laboratory is fully equipped and staffed to perform these important blood tests. Results will immediately be available to examine before anesthesia and/or surgery.

INTRAVENOUS CATHETER PLACEMENT CONSENT:

We require the placement of an intravenous (IV) catheter during all anesthetic procedures. Before sedation, a small area is shaved on your pet's front leg and an intravenous catheter is placed in the vein that runs down the front of your pet's leg. This allows us to have quick, available access to administer medications or fluids in case of an emergency.

SURGICAL LASER TECHNIQUE CONSENT:

Laser technique uses a surgical cautery laser in place of a traditional scalpel blade, the laser offers several benefits such as:

- ***Less pain** – laser energy seals nerve endings as it moves through tissue, which decreases pain sensation.
- ***Less bleeding** – laser seals small blood vessels during surgery, which allows our doctors to perform surgeries with extraordinary precision. This also decreases surgical time, thus reducing the length of time under anesthesia.
- ***Less swelling** – laser energy does not crush, tear or bruise because only a beam of intense light contacts the tissue.

Surgical laser is used on all applicable procedures.

I am the owner or the authorized agent for the owner of the animal listed above, and I have the authority to execute this consent. I hereby give Hillside Animal Clinic, and any authorized agents, staff, or representatives' consent and authority to administer sedation and/or anesthesia to my pet. I understand that there are certain risks and complications associated with any anesthetic procedure. I further understand that during the course of the operations or procedures unforeseen conditions may arise that may necessitate the performance of additional procedures. I authorize the use of appropriate anesthesia and pain relief medication as needed before or after the procedure.

Owner's name (print)

Owner's Signature

Date

ADDITIONAL PROCEDURES: (check with technician for more information)

CANINE AND FELINE

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Nail trim | <input type="checkbox"/> Rabies vaccine |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ear cleaning | <input type="checkbox"/> Distemper combo vaccine |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Anal glands | <input type="checkbox"/> Intestinal parasite screen |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sanitary shave | <input type="checkbox"/> Dewormer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Microchip | <input type="checkbox"/> Flea and tick preventive |

CANINE ONLY

- Heartworm 4DX test
- Heartworm preventative
- Lepto vaccine
- Lyme vaccine
- Bordetella vaccine

FELINE ONLY

- Feline leukemia/FIV test
- Feline leukemia vaccine