

## Preop Instructions for Surgery

Nothing to eat after 10:00 p.m. the night before. Can have water.

Drop off at 8:00a.m.

Pre Op blood work is done in the morning prior to surgery. If there are any concerns with the pre op blood work results we will notify you so a decision can be made whether to proceed with surgery or not. The cost of the pre op blood work is \$49.75. You have the right to decline the pre op blood work although it is strongly recommended to have it done. If you choose to decline you will have to sign a waiver saying that you are declining pre op blood work. The pre op blood work checks the liver and kidney values to make sure they are functioning properly so that the risk of anesthesia is minimal.

Pick up same day between 5:00 and 6:00 p.m.

If it is a cat declaw the cat is to be picked up the next day after 1:00 p.m.

Stitches come out 10 days after surgery for spays and mass removals. Stitches dissolve on neuters. No appointment is to be made for suture removal and there is no charge.

Please leash walk your dog before bringing in for surgery.