

PVSEC Surgery

Pre-Surgical instructions for clients

Please follow these instructions when preparing to bring your pet in for surgery.

You may download this page and fill in the appropriate information and bring it with you so that our staff will be best prepared for the care of your pet during his or her stay in the hospital.

Pre-operative instructions:

1. Unless otherwise instructed, do not feed your pet for 12 hours prior to drop off time. Do not take away water until 2 hours before you come in to the office.
2. If your pet is taking aspirin, please stop at least 5 days before the day of surgery.
3. In the case of other medications, please call our office if you are not sure whether to give them the morning of surgery. Do not give any medications with food that morning.
4. Bring any chronic medications that your pet takes regularly. For example, thyroid medication, Phenobarbital, KBr, Insulin, etc.
5. Bring any special diets that your pet is eating. We may not have these in stock.
6. Please do not bring blankets, towels or other personal items. We have plenty of comfortable blankets and quilts for your pet's cage or run. Any personal items may get soiled and will most likely get misplaced in the wash process.
7. Bring any xrays and medical records that your regular veterinarian has sent with you.
8. The surgeon or surgical technician will call you after surgery is complete.
9. A treatment technician will call you between 9:00 and 10:00 AM the morning after your pet's surgery to give an update and potentially schedule a discharge time in the afternoon.

Medication and Diet Check list

Medication	Schedule of When to Give	When Last Given

Special Diet: _____

Any other instructions and requests for our staff:

Clients Name

Pet's Name