

# ANIMAL CLINIC AT LAKE OF THE PINES

## Pre-Anesthetic Blood Testing Consent Form

Please read carefully and sign.

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Client

\_\_\_\_\_  
Patient

\_\_\_\_\_  
Age

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Your pet is scheduled for a procedure that requires anesthesia. We would like to take this opportunity to explain why pre-anesthetic blood testing and electrocardiogram are important for the health of your pet.

Like you, our greatest concern is the well-being of your pet. Before putting your pet under anesthesia, a veterinarian will perform a full physical examination to identify any existing medical conditions that could complicate the procedure and compromise the health of your pet.

Because there is always the possibility that a physical exam alone will not identify all of your pet's health problems, we **strongly recommend** that a pre-anesthetic blood profile (a combination of blood tests) and electrocardiogram be performed prior to anesthesia. The tests we recommend are similar to and equally as important as those your own physician would run if you were to undergo anesthesia.

It is important to understand that a pre-anesthetic blood profile and electrocardiogram do not guarantee the absence of complications. It helps us identify medical conditions that could require medical treatment in the future, and minimize potential risks associated with anesthesia.

DATE OF LAST LABWORK : \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / \_\_\_

IF A BLOOD AND/OR URINE TEST HAS NOT ALREADY BEEN PERFORMED, PLEASE INDICATE YOUR CHOICE BELOW:

**CHEM 10 with CBC and electrolytes**

Albumin (Protein)	ALB/GLOB	BUN/CREA
BUN (Kidneys)	Creatinine (Kidneys)	ALKP (Liver)
ALT (Liver)	Glucose (Diabetes/Sugar)	Total Protein (Hydration)
Electrolytes (Sodium Potassium and Chloride)		

**CHEM 17 with CBC and electrolytes**

BUN (Kidneys)	Creatinine (Kidneys)	ALKP (Liver)
ALT (Liver)	Glucose (Diabetes/Sugar)	Total Protein (Hydration)
Albumin (Protein)	Phosphorus (Kidneys)	Calcium (Tumors)
Total Bilirubin (Liver)	Amylase (Pancreas)	Cholesterol
Lipase	Gamma-glutamyltransferase	ALB/GLOB
BUN/CREA	GLOB	
Electrolytes(Sodium, Potassium and Chloride)		

**HEARTWORM TEST**

**FELV/FIV/Heartworm Antigen**

**HEARTWORM TEST with Tick screen**  
**(Lyme disease, Anaplasmosis, Ehrlichiosis)**

**PRE-ANESTHETIC ELECTROCARDIOGRAM**

I decline the recommended pre-anesthetic blood tests and electrocardiogram at this time and request that you proceed with anesthesia. I assume full financial responsibility for this animal. I understand that a medical condition may exist which would be impossible to identify during a physical exam alone. I understand that my pet's health could be at risk if such a condition goes undetected when my pet is placed under anesthesia.

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Signature of owner

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Phone number(s)