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Laser Surgery Consent Form

As part of our commitment to quality care, we are pleased to offer laser surgery as a safe and comfortable treatment option, to better serve you and your pet. We feel that laser surgery with all its benefits provides the best possible care for your pet.

The Advantages of Laser Surgery:

LESS PAIN – The laser seals nerve endings as it “cuts,” so your pet may require less anesthesia during the operation, also reducing pain after the surgery. This is especially true for declaw procedures.

LESS BLEEDING – The laser seals small blood vessels during surgery, greatly reducing blood loss. This is very noticeable during more complex surgeries such as spays and mass excisions.

LESS SWELLING – Laser energy does not tear or bruise the tissue. There is no physical contact with the tissue. Subsequently animals recover quicker with less chance of infections, which equates into shorter hospital stays.

Your pet will be treated with the utmost care using the latest state of the art CO₂ Surgical Laser available in Veterinary Medicine. We are proud to be in the top 8% of hospitals offering laser surgery nationwide.

- I understand that laser surgery is an option and I have been advised of the advantages the procedure will offer.
- **A \$75.00 Laser fee will be added to the cost of your surgery should you choose this option.**

___ **Yes, I understand the benefits and want my pet to have laser surgery.** _____ *(initial)*

___ **No, I decline the laser surgery for my pet.** _____ *(initial)*

The use of the laser in complex surgical procedures may be required at the doctor's discretion.

Providing the Best in Veterinary Care