

# GLENOLDEN ANIMAL HOSPITAL

## PRE-ANESTHETIC BLOOD TESTING

Like you, our greatest concern is the well being of your pet. Before placing your pet under anesthesia, we will perform a full physical examination. However, many conditions, including disorders of the liver, kidneys or blood, are not detected unless blood testing is performed. Such testing is especially important before any kind of surgery or anesthesia.

For these reasons, we highly recommend blood screening before any anesthetic procedure. Prior to your pet's anesthetic procedure, we can perform blood testing that will give us crucial insight into overall health of your pet. The total cost of this pre-anesthetic blood testing is \$65. We also offer more extensive blood testing, which includes a complete blood count (CBC), a full chemistry panel, and electrolyte evaluation (sodium, potassium and chloride). These tests are highly recommended because they provide more information about your pet's overall health. These tests are especially advised for our older patients (7 years of age or older). The total cost for the above-mentioned blood test is \$124

Our laboratory is fully equipped and staffed to perform these important blood tests. Results will be immediately available and evaluated by one of our doctors. If there are any test abnormalities, we will take appropriate measures and/or precautions. Our doctors will surely notify you of any concerns or problems and if we need to cancel the procedure.

Please keep in mind that there are still inherent risks associated with anesthesia, from minor to life threatening and unfortunately even death. We cannot guarantee a risk-free anesthetic experience despite normal blood results and physical examination.

If your pet has had blood testing done within 1 week prior to today's procedure then your pet does not need blood testing done today.

**NOTE: THE COST OF THESE TESTS MAY NOT HAVE BEEN INCLUDED IN YOUR ESTIMATE**

**PET'S NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

- YES, I want my pet to have a pre-anesthesia blood screen (Cost \$65)
- YES, I want my pet to have the more comprehensive blood test (Cost \$124)
- NO, I do not want my pet to have any blood testing

## Feline Leukemia and FIV/Heartworm Testing (Cats Only)

We recommend testing all cats for Feline Leukemia (FeLV) and Feline Immunodeficiency Virus (FIV/Heartworm) prior to anesthesia and/or surgery, even if this test was performed in the past.

- YES, I want my cat tested for FeLV/FIV/Heartworm (Cost \$47)
- NO, I do not want my cat tested for FeLV/FIV/Heartworm

## HOME AGAIN MICROCHIP

This is an identification chip that is safely and permanently implanted under your pet's skin. Implanting the microchip can be done in the office at any time, or today while your pet is under anesthesia to minimize discomfort. The cost for the permanent chip is \$47.00. You will need to fill out your registration form and we will pay for your first year of enrollment. This chip may also be used to obtain a lifetime Delaware County dog license. This chip cannot be removed.

- YES, I do want my pet to have a microchip
- NO, I do not want my pet to have a microchip     NO, my pet already has a microchip

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner or Authorized Agent

Date

Employee witness: \_\_\_\_\_