

DENTAL PROCEDURE CONSENT FORM
Please Return the Day of Surgery!

Your pet's safety and comfort are our primary concern at the Animal Medical Center. Before your pet has a dental prophylaxis on _____, he/she will be examined for any problems that could complicate anesthesia. Many conditions, including disorders of the liver, kidneys, or blood, cannot be detected unless blood testing is performed. It is much safer to discover any abnormalities before anesthesia is administered and the dental is performed. We are fully equipped to perform these important blood tests in our hospital, so we will have results immediately available. Due to increased risk associated with age, pre-anesthetic testing is required for all pets 7 years of age and older. However, we highly recommend blood screening before dental procedures in pets of any age. Please let us know if you have questions about this testing. If your pet is less than 7 years of age please note if you would like this testing performed. YES NO

After the procedure your pet will be closely monitored to help ensure a safe and comfortable recovery. We prescribe pain medication for all pets that require extractions as part of their dental prophylaxis because we believe that no pet should feel unnecessary pain. By signing below, I am giving Animal Medical Center permission to perform the procedures indicated. I am aware of and accept the inherent risks associated with anesthesia and surgery.

Signature: _____

A.M. Phone: _____

During the dental cleaning, your pet's mouth will be examined tooth by tooth for disease or abnormalities. If a problem is discovered, a dental x-ray (s) may be necessary to determine whether or not the tooth is salvageable. Every effort will be made to save every tooth in your pet's mouth. If, however, irreversible damage has occurred, the affected tooth or teeth may need to be extracted. Not extracting such a tooth would be a constant source of pain and infection for your pet.

Owner consent for x-rays and extractions if needed: _____ YES _____ NO

We are proud to offer the new Oravet barrier sealant for teeth. This is the first plaque prevention system available in veterinary medicine. It is similar to "sealing" children's teeth. The sealant binds electrostatically to tooth surfaces - forming a barrier to which bacteria cannot attach. After your pets teeth are cleaned and polished, would you like us to seal them? Cost \$38.75 YES NO