



Preparing for Surgery

• DOGS

- Pickup is between **3:30 p.m. and 4:30 p.m.** Please call if you will be late. 904.425.0005
- Your dog will need a calm, quiet environment over the next few days to recuperate.
- Check the incision twice daily and call us if you have any questions. We offer free surgery rechecks: bring in your dog Tuesday through Saturday, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. or 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. On Monday's please call ahead.
- If your dog is chewing, licking, or pulling at the incision site, you will need to purchase an E-Collar. You can purchase them at our clinic or at most pet stores.
- You will receive full post-operative care information when you pick up your dog.

• PET CATS

- Pickup is between **4:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m.** Please call if you will be late. 904.425.0005
- Your cat will need a calm, quiet environment over the next few days to recuperate.
- Check the incision twice daily and call us if you have any questions. We offer free surgery rechecks: bring in your cat Tuesday through Saturday, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. or 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. On Monday's please call ahead.
- If your cat is chewing, licking, or pulling at the incision site, you will need to purchase an E-Collar. You can purchase them at our clinic or at most pet stores.
- You will receive full post-operative care information when you pick up your cat.

• FERAL, FREE ROAMING, OUTDOOR, AND COMMUNITY CATS

- Pickup is between **5:00 p.m. and 5:30 p.m.** Please call if you will be late. 904.425.0005
- Keep the cat in the trap overnight, placing the trap in a calm, well-ventilated area (i.e. garage with the door open slightly, enclosed patio).
- Do not place food or water in the trap until the cat is fully awake. Only place food or water in trap if you can do it safely!
- Do not release the cat tomorrow if it shows the following signs: deep sleep, head bobbing, wobbly movements, fast breathing, shivering.
- You will receive full post-operative care information when you pick up your cat.

The times stated above are for **YOUR** convenience to reduce your wait time. However **FCNMHP** cares about your pet and wants to assure your pet is awake and safe for discharge.

We ask you to please do not arrive before 3:30.