

YOUR PET IS COMING FOR SURGERY. HERE ARE A FEW SIMPLE STEPS YOU NEED TO FOLLOW TO PREPARE YOUR PET FOR SURGERY!

1. Please take up your pet's food the night before surgery at 8pm. No other food or snacks should be given after that time but water should be available as normal. Do not withhold water!!
2. If your pet is on medication, please check with the technician about dosing instructions for the morning of the surgery.
3. On the morning of the surgery do not allow your pet to eat anything but do make water available. This is for your pet's safety. If these instructions are not followed then we will have to reschedule the appointment.

On the day of your appointment, please come in at 9am and plan to stay for about 15-20 minutes. You will have to sign some paperwork and talk with a technician.

Your pet will stay with us throughout the day. You are more than welcome to call us and see how everything is going. Surgery starts at 11:00am and ends at 2pm on Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays. On Tuesday, surgery starts at 11:00am and lasts until 3:00pm.

Your pet will go home with you at around 4:00 that same day. A technician will talk with you before discharge to explain everything that happened, give you complete discharge instructions and emergency numbers if needed. We will be available during normal business hours to answer any questions that you might have so please, don't hesitate to ask!

Thank you for choosing Patterson Dog and Cat Hospital for your pet's good health.