



Maidstone Veterinary Clinic

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PRESENTING ANIMALS FOR SURGERY

Please help us make your pet's surgery as safe as possible by observing the following requests:

1. Do not give your pet anything to eat after 6⁰⁰ p.m. the day before surgery. The last big meal can be given the morning of the day before surgery. Water should be taken up the morning of surgery.
2. Present your pet at the clinic between 8.⁰⁰ and 8³⁰ a.m. on the day of the surgery. (use doorbell if door locked) If this is not possible, arrange surgery for a day that allows you to drop your pet off during an evening clinic the night before. This service is at no extra cost!
3. Please pick up your pet between 4⁰⁰ and 5⁰⁰ p.m., or during an evening clinic unless other arrangements have been made.
4. Please bring your dog on a leash and your cat in a box and ensure we have a contact phone number for you on the day of surgery.
5. Feel free to ring about your pets progress from about 3⁰⁰ p.m.
6. Be prepared for your responsibilities in the aftercare of your pet as stated in the Post-Operative Care sheet provided after surgery. This information aids in the comfort as well as speeding up the recovery from the surgery.
7. Fees are payable when your pet is picked up unless prior credit arrangements have been made.

If you have any queries about the surgery, please do not hesitate to ring.

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