

F E L I N E
PRE-SURGICAL INSTRUCTIONS
FOX VALLEY ANIMAL WELFARE LEAGUE

FOOD & WATER

- No food or water after midnight the night before surgery, do not allow your cat to eat during the night or the morning of surgery.
- If you have kittens under four months of age, you may give them a spoonful of wet food early in the morning before transporting them to our clinic.

TRANSPORTING

- Cats must be transported in separate carriers, DO NOT transport loose cats in your vehicle nor bring loose cats into the building.
- Carriers should be large enough that your cat can turn around comfortably. Hard plastic carriers or wire cages are best, soft sided (bag) carriers are not ideal for the recovery period and the risk is greater for accidents which cannot be cleaned up in a soft sided carrier.
- One cat per carrier, transport boxes are available for purchase at our clinic.
- Feral cats should be transported in Wire Traps and covered, carriers are difficult to work with.

FORMS/PAPERWORK

- If you have access to a printer, you may print the Surgery Form or Dental Form prior to arrival, completing the form will drastically speed up your check in process.
- One form is needed for each individual animal.
- You may add additional services to your cat's surgical procedure by indicating those services you wish on the surgical form.
- Please let us know if your cat has had any previous medical conditions.

DROPPING OFF

- We open at 7:30, you may drop off your cat anytime between 7:30 and 9:00 am. The surgeon will determine the surgical order based on species, sex, size and overall health condition, the order in which you arrive does NOT have any influence on the surgical order.
- GPS - make sure you enter North Aurora, entering just Aurora will result in you getting lost.
- Park in FRONT of our building, the lot on the sides of our building as well as the lot across the street may result in your vehicle being towed to Plainfield at the expense of close to \$400.

PICKING UP

- Plan on picking up your cat around the 4:00 time frame. This greatly helps us ensure that we can get the clinic cleaned and ready for the next day's surgeries.

Services will be denied for rude & aggressive behavior. Our clinic is video and audio recorded 24/7.