



General Anesthesia Consent (Declaw)

Owner's Name: _____

Pet's Name: _____

Procedure or Surgery Today: Declaw

My Phone Number(s) Today: _____

Mobile or other phone numbers: _____

Animal Hospital of Rowlett and Diagnostic Center is pleased to offer laser declawing. Use of the laser for this procedure may result in less bleeding; less discomfort and faster healing compared to traditional declaw procedures. However, the older methods are considered safe and humane and AHR continues to offer them as a lower cost alternatives. The additional time and considerably more expensive equipment involved with the laser declaw procedure are reflected in the pricing shown below. Please consider carefully which option you prefer and indicate it by checking the appropriate box below.

If you have any questions about the two methods of declawing, one of our technicians or doctors will be happy to discuss this procedure with you.

- Laser declaw - cost \$280.01* (includes Duragesic® patch)
 - Non-laser declaw - cost. \$186.50* (includes Duragesic® patch)
- *plus tax for cat litter

I have been advised as to the nature of the procedure or surgery described above and the risks involved. I authorize the use of appropriate anesthetics and medications that are needed to perform these procedures or surgeries. I realize that results cannot be guaranteed, I further realize that I am responsible for full payment at time of discharge. I understand that unforeseen conditions may extend the procedure or surgery and that if this happens, the AHR staff will try to contact me to discuss these conditions. If I cannot be reached, I consent to having Animal Hospital of Rowlett and Diagnostic Center take the steps necessary to help ensure the safe care of my pet.

Signature

Date



Comfort and Safety Options

Anesthesia carries some risk (even though it may be small). AHR's doctors and staff utilize safe anesthetic protocols for all of our patients. Some patients, due to age or pre-existing conditions will have already received an estimate that includes lab work, ecg, IV fluids, laser use, or Duragesic[®] pain patch. These are provided as options for patients and their owners, if not previously required by your doctor.

- yes no Presurgical health Screen (this test is required for all patients over 5 years of age) . . . \$63.60
- BUN, creat, ALT, ALKP, Glucose, t.p. hematocrit (will screen for pre-existing liver or kidney problems, anemia, high or low blood sugar)
- electrocardiogram (screen heart rate and rhythm)
- yes no AVID chip (tiny microchip that contains a personal one-of-a-kind identification number, injected under the skin between the shoulders). \$38.00
- yes no Ora-Vet[®] application (reduces plaque and tartar formation by preventing bacteria from attaching to your pet's teeth) \$19.60

- All patients must be current and have proof of vaccinations from a veterinarian.
- Any fleas and/or ticks will be treated at owner's expense