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Here are the instructions for having your cat spayed/neutered.

You agree to pay \$55.00 for a male cat and \$90.00 for a female cat for the surgery and you **must pay that morning**.

The law requires that all cats that are at least 16 weeks old must be vaccinated against rabies. If your cat is old enough and hasn't received the vaccination, you must pay \$20.00 for the vaccine to be administered. If you want your cat to also have the distemper vaccine, it will cost an additional \$20.00. Please note that the distemper vaccine requires a booster one month after the initial vaccine to be truly effective. We do not offer vaccine clinics so you will need to arrange for a booster vaccine through your own vet or you could try PETCO or Tractor Supply as they offer discounted vaccine clinics.

If there is any chance your cat has fleas, we recommend you have him/her treated several days ahead of time or plan to pay an additional \$20.00 for the flea treatment that the vet will administer. It is a policy of the animal hospital that any pet entering the building with fleas automatically gets treated and the charge is \$20.00. We will collect this from you at pick-up if the receipt shows your cat had fleas.

Because we have received so many bad ones, we can no longer accept personal checks. From now on, we will accept **ONLY CASH OR MONEY ORDERS**. If you pay with cash, please bring exact change, if possible. If you pay by money order, make it payable to Animal Allies. No credit or debit cards, please.

1. On the day of surgery, you will meet our volunteer roughly between 8:15 and 8:30 am in the parking lot of the Suncook River Veterinary Clinic at 1569 Dover Road, Epsom, NH. It is located on Rtes. 4, 9 & 202, about 1½ miles east of the Epsom traffic circle. You **MUST WAIT OUTSIDE** for our volunteer. It is too confusing if you take your cat inside. Our volunteer will collect the money and take the cat inside.
2. The cat must not have any food or water after 10:00 p.m. the night before.
3. The cat must come in a secure cat carrier with a towel or small blanket inside. Please fill out the Suncook River Veterinary Clinic consent form ahead of time and attach it to the carrier. **Please be sure to also print your name and phone # in the upper right-hand corner of the form**, so the vet's office knows you are picking the cat up directly at their office.
4. You may pick up your cat yourself, at around 5:00 pm that same day. No volunteer is needed for this. **DO NOT CALL** the vet's office to see if your cat is ready to be picked up. They are generously providing a low-cost service and extra phone calls unnecessarily take up their valuable time.
5. Call 228-6755 if you have questions or need to cancel the appointment. It's important that you call if you are not going to be able to make the appointment. Otherwise, our volunteer will be waiting for you needlessly. Also, we might be able to get someone else's cat done.



CONSENT TO VETERINARY SURGERY AND GENERAL RELEASE OF CLAIMS

Pet Owner's Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Pet's Name: _____ Sex: Female Male

Age/DOB: _____ Color/Markings: _____

Health History (Please include any illness, recent or potential pregnancy, and any medications given including flea treatments.)

I request and authorize the following treatments (please circle):

Spay (Female) Neuter (Male) Rabies Vaccine (required by law if not already done)

Distemper Vaccine Fecal Exam Felv/FIV/HW Test Ear Tip (feral cats only)

I understand my animal has not undergone any pre-anesthetic examination or bloodwork and accept the additional risk. _____ (Initial)

I understand there are many risks involved in any veterinary surgical procedure like spay/neuter surgery and the administration of anesthesia. By signing below I consent to proceed with the surgery and hereby release Animal Allies, the vet performing the surgery, Suncook River Veterinary Clinic and all their employees, agents, and volunteers from any and all claims of liability, lawsuits, or any other type of litigation related to the surgery to be performed on my pet.

Signature

Date

- Please do not allow your cat to eat after midnight the evening before the procedure
- Please include a towel or blanket in the carrier to provide warmth during recovery



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CARE FOR YOUR CAT AFTER SPAY/NEUTER SURGERY

Keep your cat quiet the first night in a separate room, if possible.

When you get your cat home, take a good look at the incision area to become familiar with it. Check the incision daily to be sure there are no noticeable changes for the worse. If you notice discharge, inflammation or extra swelling, please contact the vet below who is the one who performed the surgery on your cat. Feel free to call us too, but the vet is better suited to answer your specific concerns regarding the proper care for your animal.

Avoid bright lights and loud noises around him/her for 24 hours. A little food and water is fine the first night, if they are up and alert. As they start to feel better, make sure they are eating, drinking and going to the bathroom regularly.

Keep your cat indoor for **at least 1 week for males, and 2 weeks for females.**

Thank you for caring enough to have your animal spayed or neutered! Millions of cats and kittens are killed each year in shelters across the country simply for lack of a home. Thank you for not contributing to this senseless tragedy.

SUNCOOK RIVER VETERINARY CLINIC – 736-3388