

Declaw Only Discharge Instructions

Confinement: Please keep indoors for the next 7 to 10 days.

Bathing: None for seven days.

Medication: Pain medication was given

Diet: Routine

Lab Results: Ok for anesthesia

Next Appointment: No suture removal is necessary.

Special Instructions: Watch for swelling of the paws or excessive licking. Keep from jumping as much as possible. Please use shredded newspaper or Yesterdays News in the litter box for the next ten days.

General Information: She/he has just been confined in our hospital and has received the best care we are capable of giving. She/he may not have eaten or drank as he/she would at home and, therefore, may seem to be overly hungry and thirsty. Do not overfeed or give excessive amounts of water, as this may cause vomiting.

SHE/HE HAS UNDERGONE SURGERY. Do not allow excessive playing, jumping or running. This may delay the healing process. If you observe any swelling of the paws, please call the clinic immediately for advice on further care. If he/she chews at the surgery areas, please attempt to discourage this, as it may cause the incision to opens.

The above recommendations from our staff are to insure your pet's safety.

Owner Signature: _____ Print Name: _____

Pet Name: _____ Date: _____ Staff Signature: _____