

Valley Spay & Neuter
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Select Saturdays (7am-4pm)
By Appointment Only

PREPARATION STEPS FOR SURGERY

1. The night before surgery, no food after 10:00 PM, water is OK. Puppies and kittens less than 6 months of age should have a small snack between 5 and 6am, about a quarter of what you would normally feed them.
2. Our doors open at 7:00 am on select Saturdays as scheduled. Animals arriving after 8:30am may not be accepted because the doctor will already be in surgery.
3. Paperwork must be completed at the time of check-in. The paperwork will be emailed to you in advance. Please bring the completed forms with you to expedite the check-in process.
4. **For dogs, please provide PROOF OF RABIES VACCINE via text, email or in person. Without proof, we are required by law to administer the vaccine, which you will be charged for.**
5. Allow up to 15 minutes when dropping off your pet for the pre-examination.
6. Cats must be in a standard carrier. Multiple cats must each be in their own carrier.
7. Dogs must be on a leash.

POST-SURGERY RELEASE

1. We will contact you post-surgery when your pet is available for pick-up. Additional charges of \$25+ will apply for animals not picked up by 4:00 pm.
2. We are not a 24-hour facility. We are not able to monitor patients overnight.
3. Payment is due at time of service prior to release of your pet. We accept Visa, MasterCard, American Express, Discover, Apple pay, Google pay, and Cash as forms of payment. **We do not accept personal checks, CareCredit or Scratchpay.**

POST-SURGERY CARE INSTRUCTIONS

1. Keep your pet calm. Discourage running, jumping, playing for next 10-14 days. If your pet is not kept calm, it can cause swelling at the incision site, which can be disturbing to owners and require surgical repair.
2. Please separate your pet from other active pets during the first 7 days of recovery.
3. It is okay to offer food and water the evening of surgery. Some pets may not want to eat or drink that night, which is normal.
4. If you notice any green/yellow discharge or bleeding around the incision please call 480-851-2065.
5. If your female dog was in heat or pregnant at the time of surgery, vaginal discharge may continue for up to 3 weeks. This is normal and not a cause for concern.
6. Do not allow your pet to lick or chew the incision as this may cause infection and other complications that may require additional surgical repair. Use of the e-collar should minimize these issues.
7. Owners are responsible for any charges to repair damages caused by licking, chewing or excessive activity.
8. No swimming, baths or grooming for 14 days after surgery.
9. All sutures are dissolvable so there is no need to have these removed by a veterinarian unless otherwise specified.
10. *The anti-inflammatory given for pain can occasionally cause GI upset (i.e., vomiting or diarrhea). If this occurs please discontinue medication and notify us.*
11. If your pet experiences multiple episodes of vomiting, seems extremely lethargic or their gums appear white, please proceed to an emergency veterinary facility near you. Please call us immediately at 480-851-2065 should these potential complications occur. A 24-hour facility close to Valley Spay & Neuter is AVECC at 86 W Juniper Avenue, Gilbert, AZ (480 497 0222).