



Ann Arbor Animal Hospital (AAAH) Medical Boarding Client Release / Authorization

- Additional Services (fees will apply): Exam Vaccines HWT Nails Fecal AGE Bath
- Client Name: _____ Phone: _____
- Emergency Phone Number(s): _____ / _____
- Do you authorize anyone else to exercise or pick-up your pet (Y/N)? _____
Name: _____ Phone: _____
- Is your pet prone to any recurrent problems (Y/N)? _____
If yes, please list: _____

We appreciate that you have entrusted the care of your pet to us during your absence. To ensure the safest environment for all pets being Medically Boarded at our hospital we have set the following guidelines:

1. Dogs must be current on vaccinations for rabies, distemper, bordetella, as well as a negative heartworm test and fecal test.
2. Cats must be current on vaccinations for rabies, distemper, Feline Leukemia vaccine (where appropriate) as well as a negative FeLV/FIV test and fecal test.
3. If services listed in 1. or 2. are performed by AAAH at the time of Medical Boarding, an examination fee will be charged in addition to a fee for each of the service(s) provided.
4. Pets found with internal or external parasites will be treated at the owner's expense. We take precautions to prevent flea problems, but can extend no guarantee that your pet will not pick up fleas.
5. The hospital requests that personal belongings, such as toys or blankets, not be left for your pet. If you choose to leave them, we are not responsible for them becoming lost, broken or soiled (sorry).
6. Pets that become excessively soiled while boarding will be bathed, if necessary, at the client's expense.
7. We request that admissions and discharges for Medical Boarding occur during regular AAAH business hours. Also, we ask that you please plan on one hour to admit your pet allowing for time to review the estimate, discuss medications, ask questions, etc. If your schedule requires admission or discharge during Emergency Service hours, a \$75.00 fee, in addition to that day's boarding, will be added for this convenience. Please call ahead and recognize that admitting or discharging your pet during Emergency Service hours may require a lengthy wait due to emergencies and critical patient care.
8. We feed Science Diet Adult Maintenance, and Light, twice daily. If your animal requires a special diet and you do not provide it, you will be charged an additional fee per feeding.

(Initial) Though every attempt will be made to reach you, should problems arise in your absence, we will perform any necessary treatment to ensure your pet's good health. A change in hospital status may need to occur based on the veterinarian's medical assessment (***i.e. to a higher level of medical boarding or hospitalization***). This would necessitate additional costs for medical treatment and nursing care.

(Initial) I release the AAAH of all liability should my pet's life be lost due to unforeseen situations, including fire and natural catastrophe.

(Initial) I understand that if I neglect to call or pick-up my pet after five (5) days of the stated discharge date, the AAAH will assume that I have abandoned my pet. I understand the AAAH will abide by standard legal steps for abandoned pets.

(Initial) I understand that if I my pet is admitted or discharged during Emergency Service (ER) hours I will be assessed a Convenience Fee of \$75.00 for each occurrence and each pet, i.e., drop-off & pick-up during ER hours = \$150.00

(Initial) I understand that if refills are needed for medications or prescription foods prescribed to my pet(s) while he/she is Medically Boarded at AAAH I will be responsible for charges incurred.

(Initial) ***I understand that payment is required in full upon discharge of my pet.***

(Initial) ***I have read and fully understand Ann Arbor Animal Hospital's Medical Boarding policies***

Signature _____ Date _____

Employee