

## Detailed Summary Spay and Neuter

*Our goal is to provide a safe and comfortable surgical experience for your pet. While spaying or neutering are commonly performed procedures, there are many variables that affect your pet's safety, comfort and quality of care. Frontier Village Veterinary Clinic provides your pet with the support they need while at the hospital and for their continued recovery at home. We do not substitute less expensive anesthetics, drugs or patient care routines, to reduce the cost of surgery.*

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### **Before Surgery**

- ✓ Pre-surgical examination
- ✓ Treatment plan and associated cost discussion with owner
- ✓ Pre-anesthetic blood work assessment (recommended)

*Your pet will receive the highest level of care and support available during their Spay or Neuter Surgery at Frontier Village Veterinary Clinic. The list below insures the best level of safety and treatment.*

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### **During Surgery**

- Pre-anesthetic sedation
- Pre-anesthetic pain medication
- IV catheterization ( recommended)
- IV fluids (recommended)
- Precision IV infusion pump
- Anesthesia- inhalant gas
- Electronic monitoring of vital signs
  - Electrocardiogram, Pulse Oximetry, Blood pressure
- Skilled, licensed nurse who monitors patient and all vital signs while under sedation and during surgery
- Temperature therapy: circulating warm water blanket to insulate and maintain body temperature and comfort
- Procedure performed in a sterile surgical suite
- Pain Medication coordinated with surgery and after home care
- Patient recovery – with skilled nursing attendant
- Patient discharge performed with technician describing procedure and individualized home care instructions

### **After Surgery**

- Post surgical phone call from one of our technicians one day after patient arrives home
- Medial progress examination with doctor as necessary