



Tieraugenpraxis

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Anesthesia consent

Your pet has to undergo surgery under anesthesia for a painless surgical intervention.

We would welcome, if your normal regular vet does a general check-up including blood work beforehand.

On the day of the surgery we are going to examine the general health and the cardiovascular system once again before starting.

The patient should be fasted 12 hours before surgery. From this excluded are emergencies and rodents.

Every animal gets a venous catheter before the anesthesia. Through this catheter it receives the medication for anaesthetic introduction (sedatives, pain relieve). During surgery any animal also receives a cristalloid infusion to support blood pressure. To do that as aseptic as possible we are going to shave a little bit hair on the leg.

After the anaesthetic introduction your pet gets intubated- a tube is inserted into the trachea which keeps the airways open and serves to get the narcotic gas into the lungs.

During the whole surgery we record the heart rate, respiratory rate, oxygen and carbon level, temperature and have an ECG monitoring. A technician does a personell monitoring during the anesthesia and will react immediatly if a vital sign would change.

This kind of anesthesia and documentation is therefore like human medicine standard. However the possibillity for a cardio-vascular failure with death as result during the anesthesia can never be excluded.

During and after your pet awakes and recovers from the anesthesia we take care until it is full conscious, can stand up and walk.

With your signature you are confirming that you received this anesthesia education:

Date

Name

Signature