

RIPON VETERINARY HOSPITAL
LOW COST
SPAY & NEUTER SURGERY INSTRUCTIONS

“ _____ ” is scheduled for a low cost surgery on _____.

PLEASE read the following **LOW COST** surgery requirements.

Please complete the attached form and return on your scheduled date.

We are happy to reschedule your pet for a non-low cost day, if he or she does not meet our requirements.

1. Dog *and* Cats must be **UNDER 24 months of age.**
2. Dogs *and* Cats must **fast** from food and treats **8 hours** prior to surgery appointment, water is okay.
3. Dogs must be between **5-40 pounds.** Dogs over 40 pounds will have to reschedule for a regular non-low cost surgery day.
4. Dogs in heat or pregnant **MUST** reschedule for a non-low cost surgery day.
5. Dogs **MUST** have been **out** of **heat** for a minimum of **8 weeks.**
6. There is an **additional charge** of \$40.00-\$45.00 for **Cats** that are **pregnant.**
7. **CATS MUST ARRIVE IN A CARRIER.** A cardboard carrier can be purchased here prior to appointment if needed. **FERAL CATS MUST** arrive in hard plastic carriers.
8. **ALL MALES** should arrive between **8-8:30am** *and* picked-up between 3-4pm.
9. **ALL FEMALES** should arrive between **8:30 - 9:00am** *and* picked between 4:30-5:15pm.

If you need to reschedule your appointment please notify us within 48 hours of your appointment to avoid a non-cancellation fee of \$20 for each pet.

If you have further questions, please call (209) 599-6153

Thank You! 🐾 🐾