

POST SURGICAL GUIDELINES FOR DENTALS WITH EXTRACTIONS

Your pet is ready to go home!

- Once home, allow pet to continue recovery in a warm, quiet, comfortable place. Keep separated from other pets and small children. Each pet will recover at his or her own pace.
- Patients that have received general anesthesia may experience some degree of stomach upset. As a preventative, please:
 - o Offer small amounts of water at a time
 - Soak dry kibble in warm water prior to feeding and offer small amounts at a time
- ✤ Leash walk for 5 days post procedure, including potty breaks.
- ✤ Rest is essential for a healthy recovery.
- Sutures, if present, are dissolvable and do not need to be removed.
- Recheck in _____ days. We request an appointment to be scheduled upon pick-up.
- Please start and give medication as prescribed:
- You may start tooth-brushing or oral hygiene products two weeks post procedure. We recommend and carry dental products bearing the VOHC label, which ensures the product has undergone and has passed clinical testing that fulfill product claims.

Please feel free to contact us at **540-364-4954** if you have any questions or concerns. Our goal is a smooth and uneventful recovery!