

# BOARDING TREATMENT INFORMATION & PERMISSION FORM

FOR: \_\_\_\_\_

WHILE BOARDING, YOUR PET MAY DEVELOP UNEXPECTED MAJOR OR CATASTROPHIC ILLNESS. EXAMPLES INCLUDE ACUTE ASTHMA ATTACKS, SPINAL DISK RUPTURE, HEART PROBLEMS, GASTRIC TORSION, ETC. IN ADDITION, INJURIES CAN OCCUR DUE TO EXCESS EXCITEMENT, JUMPING AROUND, ETC, RESULTING IN A LEG OR BONE INJURY.

THESE PROBLEMS CANNOT BE ANTICIPATED AND OFTEN CAN ONLY BE TREATED BY A SPECIALIST.

LESS SERIOUS PROBLEMS LIKE INFLAMMED EARS, SKIN PROBLEMS, ETC. CAN ALSO OCCUR WHILE BOARDING. WE CAN TREAT THESE PROBLEMS AT PICKENS ANIMAL HOSPITAL.

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**IT IS VERY COMMON FOR PETS, ESPECIALLY DOGS, TO GET DIARRHEA OR VOMITING DUE TO EXCITEMENT. THIS OCCURS MORE OFTEN IN DOGS THAT ARE NOT USUALLY AROUND A GROUP OF DOGS THAT ARE BARKING, ACTIVE, AND SUCH.**

\_\_\_\_\_ ADVANCE PERMISSION FOR TREATMENT, IF NEEDED, AT PICKENS ANIMAL HOSPITAL FOR MILD TO MODERATE AND NON-SPECIFIC **DIARRHEA OR VOMITING.**

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THERE MAY BE TIMES WHEN WE WILL BE UNABLE TO CONTACT YOU (DUE TO YOUR TRAVELING OR CELL PHONE NOT WORKING, ETC.). EVEN THOUGH THESE SITUATIONS RARELY OCCUR, THESE PROBLEMS, MAJOR OR MINOR, CAN BE TREATED BUT MAY INVOLVE A SIGNIFICANT COST.

**WE MUST KNOW WHAT LEVEL OF TREATMENT YOU WANT FOR YOUR PET.**

\_\_\_\_\_ LIMITED TREATMENT AT PICKENS ANIMAL HOSPITAL WITH YOUR UNDERSTANDING THAT PICKENS ANIMAL HOSPITAL IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR TREATMENT OF PATIENTS THAT SHOULD BE REFERRED TO UPSTATE VETERINARY SPECIALISTS OR TO THE ANIMAL EMERGENCY CLINIC.  
EST. COST: \$100.00 TO \$2000.00 ?????

\_\_\_\_\_ REFER TO UPSTATE VETERINARY SPECIALISTS OR THE ANIMAL EMERGENCY CLINIC.  
EST. COST: \$900.00 TO \$3000.00 OR MORE? (A SIGNED BLANK CHECK OR VALID CREDIT CARD IS REQUIRED BY UPSTATE VETERINARY SPECIALISTS IN ADVANCE FOR TREATMENT TO BE STARTED.)

\_\_\_\_\_ GIVE PAIN MEDICATION ONLY. KEEP PET COMFORTABLE; RELIEVING PAIN AND SUFFERING UNTIL OWNERS RETURN. I UNDERSTAND THAT MY PET MAY NOT SURVIVE UNTIL I RETURN.  
EST. COST: UP TO \$300.

\_\_\_\_\_ EUTHANIZE MY PET. \$49-\$69

I WILL NOTIFY YOU IN WRITING WITH ANY CHANGE OF THE ABOVE.

SIGNED \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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