

Animal Rescue, Inc. Pre-Surgery Instructions

Read these instructions carefully prior to your appointment. Failure to follow instructions may cause you to have to reschedule and you may also be charged a \$25.00 fee. We cannot accept cats before 3pm.

1. On appointment day, **feed your adult cat (6 months & older) at 8 a.m.** and **kittens under 6 mos. old at noon**, then remove food. **They must eat up until their specified times (adults & kittens).** Water is OK anytime. If your cat did not eat at the specified times, you must reschedule. If your cat ate after the specified times, tell the office staff at your appointment. For cats in traps: Bait the trap with an ample amount of food so the cat has access to food.
2. **If your cat is wearing a flea collar, remove it. Flea collars will be cut off.** Regular collars with ID are OK.
3. Place one towel in the carrier and bring one towel with you for a total of two towels. Towels may not be returned. **If a cat soils themselves and carrier because a towel was not placed in carrier for transport a \$10 cleaning fee (for cat & carrier) will be collected at check-in.**
4. Each cat must be in his/her own clean, secure, hard carrier no larger than 16x24. **NO soft, cardboard or wire!** (traps OK).
5. We must vaccinate your cat for rabies per state law unless you bring a signed rabies certificate from a veterinarian.
6. If your cat has watery eyes, discharge coming from his/her nose or is sneezing before the appointment, you must reschedule.
7. **Cats can easily contract and spread respiratory illness.** By bringing your cat to this clinic, you are accepting this risk. If your cat shows signs of respiratory illness after his/her appointment, medication may be offered by us at a reduced cost.
8. If the cat has fleas and you did not order/pay for this service prior to examination, s/he will be treated and **you will be charged \$5.00 at pick-up. Bring additional cash/credit.**
9. If the cat has ear mites it will be at the Vet's discretion if the cat needs to be treated with Milbemite and have the ears flushed. **If treated, you will be charged \$16.00 at pick-up. Bring additional cash/credit.**
10. One person per appointment time may be allowed in the office due to fire hazard. NO CHILDREN.
11. Do not remove your cat from its carrier on Animal Rescue, Inc. property for ANY reason.
12. **Keep your cat (including trapped cats) in a warm area that is separated from other pets for up to one week post-surgery.**
13. Pick up times are the same evening as your appointment between 9:30 p.m. and 10 p.m. or between 10:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. the following day. Kittens younger than six months must be picked up the same night.
14. "Ear tipping" involves removing a portion of the tip of one ear while the cat is under anesthesia to mark that an outdoor cat has been neutered. Ear tipping is mandatory for all outdoor cats, in traps or carriers. We will not ear tip your cat otherwise without your consent.

Appointment time: Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday ___/___/___ at ___p.m.

___ Spay/Neuter @ \$30/ea.

___ Rabies Vaccine @ \$10/ea.

___ Distemper Vaccine @ \$10/ea.

___ Flea Treatment @ \$5/ea.

___ Worm Treatment @ \$5/ea.

___ @ \$ /ea. Total Cost: _____

If you need to make changes to your appointment, call Michele @ 717-246-8842 M-F 10 am to 7 pm.

Directions to Animal Rescue, Inc.

From Baltimore, MD

1. Take I-83 Northbound to exit 36.
2. At the top of Exit 36, Turn Right onto Route 439
3. Where 439 ends, make a Right on Route 45.
4. Travel to the first traffic light (There will be a fire hall on right).
5. Turn right at light onto Freeland Rd. and go over I-83.
6. Make a left onto Preston Road (the first left)
7. Go to the stop sign.
8. At the stop sign, make a right onto Heritage Farm Drive.
9. The first driveway on the right is Animal Rescue.

From York, PA

1. Take I-83 Southbound to exit 37 (Exit 37 is the first exit in Maryland, right as you cross the MD/PA line)
2. At the top of exit 37 make a sharp left on to Freeland Rd. and go over I-83.
3. Make a left onto Preston Road (the first left)
4. Go to the stop sign.
5. At the stop sign, make a right onto Heritage Farm Drive.
6. The first driveway on the right is Animal Rescue.

From Bel Air, MD

1. Follow 23 North (Keene Dodge is on this route) to Route 439
2. You will make a left onto Route 439.
3. Follow 439 until it ends (approximately 7 miles)
4. Where 439 ends, make a Right on Route 45.
5. Travel to the first traffic light (There will be a fire hall on the right).
6. Turn right at light onto Freeland Rd. and go over I-83.
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