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Pre-surgical Total Hip Replacement Instructions

1. No anti-inflammatory products 7-10 days prior to surgery.
2. Blood work – General Health Profile
Also known as CBC/Chem (Complete Blood Count/Chemistry)
Needs to be done **within one month** of surgery date.
3. A bath the day before surgery.
4. No food or water after 10:00 p.m. the evening before surgery.
5. Drop off between 7:30 and 8:00 the morning of surgery.
6. A deposit of 50% is due at the time of drop off. The balance is due at the time of pick up.
7. Your pet will most likely stay over night in the hospital unless other arrangements have been discussed with Dr. Kiefer. An appointment will be made for you to return the following day to pick up your pet and meet with Dr. Kiefer. At this appointment you will view your pet's radiographs, discuss aftercare as well as medications going home with you.

If you have any questions about your pet's surgery please do not hesitate to call us @ (503)292-0931.