



Maplebrook Pet Care Center
2811 White Bear Avenue
Maplewood, MN 55109
651-788-9006

Patient Name:

Breed:

Age:

Sex:

Color:

Weight:

Ultrasound Release

I authorize Maplebrook Pet Care Center to perform an **ultrasound** on my pet. To acquire diagnostic quality images, we will need to shave the patient's entire abdomen. We also may require a full day's stay to acquire the appropriate images.

Additional Treatments:

We may require additional sedation depending on how your pet is handling the imaging procedure and if any needle aspirates (biopsies) are needed. Does Maplebrook Pet Care Center have permission to administer additional sedation and to perform aspirates if indicated?

Additional sedation * Please initial your selected response

_____ Yes to additional sedation, if needed (Cost \$65-\$100, in addition to base price of ultrasound)

_____ No to additional sedation (this might result in an incomplete scan, or poor-quality images)

_____ Some patients **may require sedation** for the examination, as patients must lie still for 20-30 minutes. If sedation is recommended or required, it may be given by your regular veterinarian in the form of oral sedation to be given prior to the appointment OR may be given by the Veterinarian and staff. I understand some risks may be associated with sedation. I also understand that if sedation is **not** used (or is not effective) in overly anxious, tense, panting, obese, or moving patients, the quality of the ultrasound study may be affected.

Needle aspirates * Please initial your selected response

_____ Yes to ultrasound-guided needle aspirates of organs or areas of interest (Cost \$135 in addition to the base price of ultrasound)

_____ No to ultrasound-guided needle aspirates (this might hinder our ability to diagnose your pet)

_____ I understand that this is a relatively **low risk** procedure, however adverse reactions and complications can occur including internal hemorrhage/life threatening complications. This risk is slightly greater in certain cancerous tissues. Aspirate results are approximately 50-90% diagnostic depending on the tissue.

Owner First and Last Name:

Street Address:

City, State:

Zip Code:

Phone Number:

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Phone number to reach you today: _____

When are you available: _____