



Post operative care

Your friend is recovering from surgery. This information will help you provide the best possible care for them at home.

We employ a proactive approach to minimize the discomfort your dog experiences during and after surgery. The final part of this approach is the provision of REST, LOVE and effective PAIN MANAGEMENT.

- Allow a full 24 hours of complete rest – prevent children and other animals from interacting with your dog during this time
- Keep your dog WARM, QUIET, COMFORTABLE and CLEAN
- Allow short lead walks 10mins 2–3 times daily until stitches are removed
- Check the surgery site daily for bleeding, discharge or excessive redness and swelling
- Prevent your dog from licking, scratching or rubbing the surgery site

**CALL YOUR VETERINARIAN IF YOU HAVE
ANY CONCERNS**