

## Senior Health Screen Consent Form

It is very important for the health of your pet to get a comprehensive bloodwork panel at least once a year beginning at the age of seven years old. This allows us to screen for common physical conditions and abnormalities that can affect pets as they age *that cannot and/or may not be evident* on physical examination of your pet.

The following conditions are examples of **SERIOUS CONDITIONS** that your pet can be screened for by allowing the yearly wellness bloodwork:

- \*Liver Disease
- \*Kidney Disease
- \*Diabetes
- \*Anemia
- \*Infection
- \*Cushing's Disease
- \*Thyroid disease
- \*Long term medication usage on internal organs (ie arthritis medication, steroids, allergy medications etc)
- \*Pancreatic disease
- \*Protein loss

At least 20% of the bloodwork we do in senior aged pets (7 yrs and older) reveals abnormalities. **The key to a longer healthier quality of life for your aging pet is early detection and/or early intervention in therapy for these disease related conditions.** Our doctors firmly believe in a good physical examination *externally as well as internally* for your pet.

The cost for the annual senior health screen bloodwork is \$150.00

**YES!** I accept the bloodwork screen for my pet \_\_\_\_\_.

**NO!** I decline the bloodwork screen for my pet \_\_\_\_\_.

Client Name \_\_\_\_\_ Patient Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_