

### **What you need to know for your cat's spay/neuter:**

- Absolutely no food after midnight the night before your appointment (water is okay).
  - You will need to have an area set up for your cat to recover for about 10 days. (No running, jumping, or stairs). For females, we highly suggest a large dog crate if you are able to get one. (Inexpensive ones are sometimes available on Facebook marketplace.) This will help prevent incision complications.
  - You will go upstairs (the door to the left of our main door. At the top of the stairs, the clinic is the last door on your right).
  - Drop-off time: 6:30 to 8 A.M.
  - Pick-up time: 1:30-4:30 the same day of your appointment. If you are able to make it by 4 pm, it is much appreciated on our end.
  - There is a \$40 re-booking fee if you do not show up for your appointment. For cancellations, please call 607-786-7729 twenty-four hours ahead of your appointment.
  - **We highly recommend a cone collar for \$10 (our vet charges to repair sutures and he is located in Candor, NY).**
  - A rabies vaccination is required by NYS law. If your cat does have a current rabies vaccine, we must see a copy of the rabies certificate at the time you drop-off your cat for surgery (if you would like to show us the rabies certificate on your phone, that is fine with us). A receipt from your vet will not work, we need an actual certificate. Please contact your vet if you need one. Anything that is not a certificate or an out-dated certificate, will be rejected. We are required to administer the vaccine if we do not have a certificate. **If you do not want your cat to receive a rabies vaccine, you must bring a your rabies certificate with you at the time of drop-off.**
  - **If your cat has fleas, we will automatically apply advantage II for free. If you do not wish for your cat to receive flea treatment, please indicate this at time of drop-off.**
  - Please bring your cat in a carrier, not a box.
  - **If you have an emergency, our vet's phone number is 607-659-4220. Please be prepared to drive to Candor, NY during the event of a post-surgical emergency. We will not reimburse vet bills from another vet.**
  - If your cat is in heat, please bring her anyways.
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- Prices:
  - \$80 Spay (female)
  - \$50 Neuter (male)
  - \$10 Rabies Vaccine
- Additional Services:
- \$40 FIV/FeLV test
  - \$10 Distemper Vaccine at the time of the first shot. \$10 more at the time of the second shot. (\$20 total)
- Additional Items Available for Purchase:
- a cone collar (\$10)
  - broad-spectrum deworming pill (\$10)
  - earmite treatment (\$10)
  - one flea treatment (advantage II - \$10)

Our low-cost spay & neuter clinic is for cats only. The clinic is on Wednesdays by appointment. Surgeries are performed by a licensed veterinarian. The appointment must be scheduled in advance. We recommend that you spay/neuter your cat at 5 months of age. They should weigh at least 4 1/2 lbs. To book an appointment, please fill out the contact form below. You should receive an email with instructions. Someone will call or email you within several days to book your appointment.

Please note: The only time we offer vaccinations is when you bring your cat in for her/his scheduled spay/neuter appointment. If you notice one testicle has not descended on your cat, please mention that before booking an appointment. This is called a "cryptorchid."