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Canine Neuter (< 10kg)

What is a Neuter (Orchidectomy)?

A neuter involves removal of both testicles. This is done through a small incision made just in front of the scrotum. All dogs are sent home with pain control medication. Most animals tolerate this procedure well and return to their normal activity within 2-3 days. We recommend keeping a cone on (or old pair of boxers) until the incision is fully healed, 2 weeks after surgery.

Why is it important to get my dog Neutered?

Benefits of a neuter include:

- Decrease unwanted pregnancies and surplus animal population
- Prevent prostate infections that can be fatal
- Prevent testicular cancer
- Decrease marking, wandering, and territorial behaviors
- Decrease inter-dog aggression

We recommend
neutering ALL dogs from
<10kg (22lb) at 6 months
of age.

What is the cost of a Dog Neuter? (<10kg)

Pre-Surgery Package		Surgery Package	
Pre-Operative wellness exam	\$120	Neuter surgery bundle	\$305
• Check for conditions that cause increased anesthetic risk (ie – heart murmurs) • Check for additional surgical procedures that can be completed while anesthetized (ie – removal of baby teeth) • Provide pre-anesthetic calming agents to reduce stress		• IV fluids • Surgery • Surgical supplies • Anesthetic monitoring	
Pre-Anesthetic blood work	\$100	Medication bundle	\$45
• Check organ function to assess anesthetic risk		• Anesthetic medications • Post-operative pain control • The Cone of Shame	
		TOTAL	\$350
TOTAL	\$220		

Total Cost = \$570
+ Tax



Surgical Add-Ons

Other things that can be done at the time of Neuter

We often perform additional preventive medicine treatments at the same as the neuter while your dog is under anesthetic. These treatments can be included at an additional fee.

Preventive Treatments	Price Range
Vaccines • DA2PPv (Distemper, Adenovirus, Parainfluenza, and Parvo viruses) • Rabies • Bordetella ("Kennel cough") • Leptospirosis	\$30 - \$40
External parasite (Flea/Tick) control • Bravecto (lasts for 3 months) • Revolution (lasts for 1 month)	\$70 - \$80 \$30 - \$40
Internal parasite control • Drontal	\$30 - \$70
Identification • Tattoo (visual ID that traces to our clinic) • Microchip (hidden ID that traces to an individual owner)	\$50 \$58
Incision protection • Onesie (recommended for spay procedures)	\$40 - \$50

Please note – the above price ranges are subject to change at any time, and may vary depending on the size of your specific pet