



# Lone Star Veterinary Surgical Services

Surgical Solutions for Your Loved Pets

## Surgical Release Form for Bone Biopsy

Owner: \_\_\_\_\_ Patient: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Referring Hospital: \_\_\_\_\_ Veterinarian: \_\_\_\_\_

Surgery to be performed: \_\_\_\_\_

I authorize Lone Star Veterinary Surgical Services (LSVSS) to perform surgery on my pet. I have discussed the aforementioned surgery and the importance of pre-surgical blood testing with the referring veterinarian. I understand that there are risks and hazards involved with the recommended surgical procedure, including anesthetic risk. I realized that no guaranty or warranty can ethically or professionally be made regarding the results or cure.

Your pet has been diagnosed with bone lesion that requires a biopsy surgery to determine the cause of this lesion. The surgeon will carefully examine the entire region for any abnormalities and take a biopsy of the affected region during the procedure. It is important to identify the cause of the lesion to further direct your pet's treatment recommendations. There are some instances when biopsy of the affected region does not yield an answer due sample representation.

After fully discussing the planned surgical procedure and associated risks with your doctor or the surgeon, please sign the consent for surgery below:

Surgical Risks and Most Common Complication include:

1. Infection (less than 3% in closed fractures) which may require additional testing and medication at an additional cost.
2. Pathologic fracture at the biopsy site (rare).
3. Need to re-biopsy if the sample is determined to be non-diagnostic.

Strict adherence to post-surgical care and medicating of your pet will minimize these potential complications and serious problems are very uncommon in most cases.

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Date

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Pet Owner/Agent Signature

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Phone I Can Be Reached at Today