



Lone Star Veterinary Surgical Services

Surgical Solutions for Your Loved Pets

NOCITA RELEASE

Nocita has been approved by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) for pain control in dog undergoing cranial cruciate ligament surgery only. Nocita has also been found to help control pain for dogs undergoing other orthopedic and soft tissue procedures. When a new drug must be used to treat a different condition than it was approved for its effectiveness and safety can be difficult to predict. Nocita has been used to help control pain by the doctors of Lone Star Surgical Specialists for many other procedures including fracture repair, FHO, MPL, TPLO as well as incisional pain associated with soft tissue surgeries. We would like to use Nocita to help control pain in your dog undergoing surgery today but we need to make you aware that such use is considering “extra-Label” use. Drugs are considered to be used in an “extra-label” manner when a FDA-approved drug is used to treat a different condition than it was approved for. Extra-label use does not include the use of experimental drugs or drugs manufactured in foreign countries that have not been approved by the FDA. All drugs can potentially cause harmful side effects, including death. Nocita has been used to help control pain by the doctors of Lone Star Surgical Specialists for many other procedures including fracture repair, FHO, MPL, TPLO as well as incisional pain associated with soft tissue surgeries without ill effect. We do not recommend the use of Nocita for ear surgery or surgical procedures near the anus.

I have read and understand the above policy on the use of Nocita extra-label. I authorize the staff at Lone Star Surgical Specialists to administer Nocita to my pet. I understand that any drug, including those that are used in an extra-label manner, can produce undesirable side effects.

Signature of Owner/Agent: _____ Date: _____