

BOARDING ADMISSION FORM

This form is available to download on our website www.elliottbayah.com

**** KEEP ON FILE (CATS)****

Client Name _____ Cat Name _____

Do we have your permission to post your pet's photo on our website or Facebook page?..... YES NO

1. What do you feed your cat (s)? _____

2. What protein source do you feed? Please indicate **chicken** **lamb** **seafood** **other** _____

3. How much do you normally feed your cat(s)? AM: _____ PM: _____

4. We use dust free, bio-degradable, recycled newspaper litter for cats boarding with us. In the event your cat does not like our litter, what type of litter do you use with your cat(s) at home? _____

5. Please list any food, drug, or environmental allergies your cat might have.

6. Please advise us if your cat has any history of aggression towards other people or other animals.

REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL PLAYTIME: Please ask a Hospital Team Member for the authorization form.

Boarding can be stressful. For example, some cats develop diarrhea or constipation due to change of environment or diet. In the event that your cat develops diarrhea or constipation while boarding, ***every attempt will be made to contact you or the designated emergency contact that you provided for us. IF WE DO NOT REACH YOU***, we will provide appropriate medical care and the additional fees will be applied to your account. _____ (initials).

IN THE EVENT A HEALTH CONCERN EMERGES AND I CANNOT BE REACHED

**** MUST CHECK ONE ****

I authorize Elliott Bay Animal Hospital to do whatever is necessary and I will pay any additional charges.

I authorize necessary procedures/expenses (\$350 minimum) up to \$ _____ beyond standard boarding charges.

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Boarding Policy

We are a full service veterinary hospital that also provides boarding services for our client's cats. *As such, we provide the same high standards of medical care for our boarding cats that we do for our hospital patients.* In our experience, a few animals are not good candidates for boarding and may become ill, or their chronic conditions may worsen during their stay. *Please be advised that any observed, untreated, or worsening pre-existing chronic health conditions that are causing your cat pain and discomfort during his/her boarding stay will be treated by our doctors at our standard rate.* Any health condition observed with your cat deemed non-emergent will be noted and you will be advised upon your return of any additional medical, dental, or surgical procedures recommended for your cat.

Boarding multiple cats in the same enclosure is discouraged in most cases, because the added excitement and crowding can cause family cats to fight and inflict unexpected, and potentially serious injury to one another. If a medical condition develops with your cat, ***every attempt will be made to contact you or the designated emergency contact that you provided for us.*** **IF WE DO NOT REACH YOU**, we will provide appropriate medical care as designated below and the additional fees will be applied to your account. _____(initials).

In the rare event that a **LIFE-THREATENING EMERGENCY arises with your cat and we are unable to reach you**, we will proceed with every necessary life support measure including surgery, in order to save your cat's life while we continue to attempt to contact you. Should your cat require care from a Veterinary Specialist or Emergency Hospital, we will provide them with your current address and phone number (s). Payment for all services rendered will be due upon your return.

Please indicate by signing below how you want us to manage the care of your cat in a life-threatening emergency.

1. Please treat my cat _____ for any medical emergency or pre-existing medical condition that is worsening or causing my cat pain or discomfort. I understand that Elliott Bay Animal Hospital will make every reasonable attempt to contact me at the emergency numbers that I have provided, but will proceed with treatment to alleviate pain and to save my cat's life, if unable to reach me. I agree to pay all charges associated with rendering medical services to my cat.

Signature _____ Witness _____ Date _____

2. Please do not render any treatment to my cat _____. I authorize you to humanely euthanize my cat and hold the body until I return.

Signature _____ Witness _____ Date _____

All cats entering Elliott Bay Animal Hospital must have a physical exam from one of our doctors within one year, must be current on all required vaccines, and be free from internal and external parasites. If these conditions are not met, the appropriate services will be provided and you will be charged accordingly. Cats will be released only during regular office hours and payment is required at that time.

If I neglect to pick up my cat within 5 days of the pick up date above, Elliott Bay Animal Hospital may assume the cat(s) is abandoned and is authorized to relinquish or humanely dispose of the cat(s) as they deem necessary.

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

Thank you for allowing us to care for your pet!