



OWNER REHABILITATION INFORMATION AND RELEASE FORM

Please complete this form and fax to 204-728-3261 or email to gvac@mymts.net at least 24 hours prior to your appointment

CLIENT NAME: _____
ADDRESS: _____
PHONE: _____
EMAIL: _____

PETS NAME: _____
BREED: _____
GENDER (M/F/MN/FS): _____
AGE/DOB: _____

REGULAR VETERINARIAN: _____
VETERINARY CLINIC: _____
CLINIC PHONE NUMBER AND EMAIL: _____

REASON FOR PRESENTATION (If you normally use another veterinary clinic, please provide your completed *veterinary consent/referral form*)

RECREATION AND/OR FITNESS
REFERRAL BY A VETERINARIAN

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. What do you feed your pet and how often do you feed them?

2. Does your pet have any allergies? If yes, please specify below.

3. Is your pet taking any medication or supplements? If yes, please list below.

4. What type of exercise do you currently undertake with your pet or what was your pet's regular activity prior to injury/surgery?

5. Please describe your pet's level of training. (eg training classes, sports/competition, swimming etc)

6. Does your pet have any additional medical issues? (eg heart disease, kidney disease, diabetes etc)

7. Please list any behavioural or emotional issues that we should be aware of.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Please tick to indicate you have read and understand the following statements.

Pets with any ongoing or past injuries/health issues require a signed consent/release form from your veterinarian prior to use of the underwater treadmill or rehabilitation facilities.

Pets must be current on all required vaccinations.

Pets are not permitted to use the underwater treadmill if they have diarrhoea, infectious or contagious conditions like eye or skin infections, in order to prevent harm to both your pet and other clients pets. If you need to cancel your appointment, 24hrs notice is required otherwise we reserve the right to charge the usual fee associated with the service.

Please ensure your pet has been walked and has urinated/defecated prior to use of the underwater treadmill. Accidental elimination in the underwater treadmill will incur a \$50 surcharge to cover the cost of the treadmill being shutdown for cleaning, disinfection, and maintenance.

We request that your pet is not fed for 2-3hrs prior to use of the underwater treadmill (treats are allowed). This reduces the chance of both elimination while in the underwater treadmill, and injury to the pet.

All pets must be relatively clean and have well trimmed nails prior to entering the underwater treadmill. If necessary, a nail trim can be performed by our staff for the standard fee.

At the end of your pet's session in the underwater treadmill, we will towel dry your pet. You may wish to bring additional towels for your vehicle and a jacket for your pet during the colder months.

I understand that Grand Valley Animal Clinic reserves the right to take pictures or video recordings of my pet for advertising, publicity or other business purposes.

I give permission to Grand Valley Animal Clinic to share client information with my regular veterinarian in order to provide services to my pet.

Grand Valley Animal Clinic reserves the right to deny or refuse use of the underwater treadmill or rehabilitation facilities to any pet or its owner, including but not limited to: safety issue with other pets/employees, evidence of people/pet aggression and evidence of infectious or contagious disease.

I understand that all payments are due at the time of service.

Grand Valley Animal Clinic is not responsible for missed or cancelled sessions. Any sessions cancelled with less than 24hrs notice, or missed sessions, will be charged the usual fee associated with the service.

Unused sessions on a pre-purchased package are NOT refundable.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Certain conditions require precautions or are contra-indicated for use of the underwater treadmill and other rehabilitation modalities such as laser therapy and therapeutic exercise activities. These can include, but are not limited to, active bleeding/hemorrhage, infectious or contagious diseases, cardiac or respiratory disease, epilepsy, open/draining wounds, incisions, severe obesity and non-stable fractures.

Use of the rehabilitation facility and its modalities is **NOT** intended to be a replacement for primary veterinary care.

Veterinary confirmation of good health is required for recreational/fitness use of the facility.

A veterinary referral is required for any pets that have medical conditions, or are recovering from a veterinary procedure, where rehabilitation would be beneficial. We will provide updates and progress reports to the referring veterinarian if requested.

I understand and recognize the inherent risk of injury to pets and their owners associated with

participation in the various activities associated with use of the facility, including therapeutic exercise and use of the underwater treadmill. I also realize pets are capable of, and given to, independent action. I accept and acknowledge that Grand Valley Animal Clinic is not responsible for any injury, damage or loss resulting from, or connected in any way to use of the facility.

I acknowledge that I have read, understood and accept the risk associated with use of the facility.

I agree to fully release and forever discharge Grand Valley Animal Clinic, its agents and employees, from any and all claims for loss, damage or injury to my pets while in the care, or on the premises, of Grand Valley Animal Clinic. This encompasses participation in any and all services or activities, including, but not limited to, use of the underwater treadmill and therapeutic exercises.

I accept the terms, conditions and policies of Grand Valley Animal Clinic.

Owner: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____