



Chemotherapy Consent Form

I understand that my pet has been diagnosed with a type of cancer in which chemotherapy has been recommended for treatment of this condition. After consultation with my pet's oncologist, it has been determined that chemotherapy, either alone or in combination with other treatments, offers the best opportunity to help my pet. I understand that the efficacy of chemotherapy, and the outcome of my pet's therapy cannot be guaranteed. Recommendations and pertinent information regarding statistical outcomes have been provided and explained, but in no way imply or assure any given responses. My oncologist has also discussed that the use of chemotherapy maintains a potential for severe, and rare, life-threatening complications. Every effort will be made to identify, control, and prevent these complications. My pet's oncologist has explained that the outcomes of cancer therapy are dependent on the type and status of my pet's cancer, as well as my pet's overall health status.

Based on all pertinent information provided about my pet's health, my pet's oncologist may be able to formulate a prognosis. I understand that this information is based on an informed opinion, clinical experience, and advanced training on the part of my pet's oncologist and in no way guarantees a period of tumor control or survival.

I have been provided information regarding my safety while my pet is actively receiving chemotherapy and I will abide by recommended safety precautions as instructed by my pet's oncologist. I have also been informed that most chemotherapy drugs used in canine and feline patients are human therapeutic medications and have not been approved by the FDA for use in these species.

I have read and understand this statement of consent. I have been given the opportunity to fully discuss this with my pet's oncologist and I have made the informed decision to pursue chemotherapy for my pet. Any changes to the protocol will be discussed with me prior, and I retain the right to discontinue therapy at any time at my discretion.

Pet's Name: _____

Owner Signature: _____ Date: _____