

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

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# Virginia Veterinary Disclosure Form

(Please read carefully before signing)

By state law, we are required to inform you of the hours during which there will be no doctors in the hospital.

After regular business hours, we will remain with any sick pets as long as necessary until they are properly stabilized. We will also maintain nursing care for hospitalized patients 24/7. However, if your pet requires continued veterinary monitoring, arrangements need to be made to transfer your pet to a local emergency hospital.

Acredale Animal Hospital, Inc. has business hours and medical staffing hours at our Kempsville location (1200 Lake James Drive) as follows:

Monday -- Thursday 8:00 am to 8:00 pm

Friday -- Sunday 8:00 am to 5:00 pm

Therefore, we have no in-house, on duty, veterinarian: 1. overnight from closing times to opening time (as noted above). 2. Occasional Holidays, from closing time before the holiday to opening time following the holiday. We take responsibility for caring for your pets very seriously. If your pet becomes ill, or shows evidence of fleas, worms, or any other parasite, they will be treated at your expense. If you do not wish for your pet to be treated, then we cannot allow your pet to stay at our hospital. Aside from food and medications, we take no responsibility for any items you select to leave with your pet.

\_\_\_\_\_ ***I have read this form and I am aware of the above staffing hours. I will pick up my pet by 7:30pm if dropped off Monday Thursday; or by 4:30pm Friday- Sunday.***

\_\_\_\_\_ **I am aware there will be no continuous, after hours DVM monitoring. I decline to transfer my pet to an emergency facility for after-hours hospitalization.**

\_\_\_\_\_ **I prefer to transfer my pet to an emergency facility for after-hours hospitalization.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Pet Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

While my pet is in your custody, I can be reached at the following telephone numbers:

( ) \_\_\_\_\_ or ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

