



ORTHOPEDIC SURGERY

MEDICAL DISCLOSURE FOR ORTHOPEDIC SURGERY

This pet had a fracture that required surgical correction. In most cases, the metal surgical implants remain in the pet even after the fracture has healed. Those pets may be a little more sensitive to cold temperatures, and may limp slightly as a result. It is recommended to keep pets at a healthy lean weight to not put additional strain on the bones/joints. In some instances, the surgical implants may shift and cause the pet to be uncomfortable. In those cases, the implants may need to be surgically removed. All follow-up care will need to be done at the owner's veterinarian and at the owner's expense.