

Post Operative Care

Post-op care of the castrated cat

After admission, your cat was given a pre-med to relax him prior to preparation for surgery.

This will still act and cause him to be slightly drousy tonight. There may or may not be a clip mark on a foreleg where drugs are given intravenously.

Your cat has had a castration operation which involves surgical removal of both testicles.

There are small incisions on his scrotum which are not sutured and they heal quickly. He has been monitored by a nurse until his recovery was complete.

Your cat should only be given light foods tonight, like fish or chicken. Small drinks of water are fine. Should your cat vomit often then phone for advice.

There are no sutures (stitches) to be removed. Keep your cat indoors for 2 - 3 days (where possible).

Use ripped up newspaper in the litter tray, rather than the usual litter or grit as this will not contaminate the wound. Do this for a minimum of 2 - 3 days.



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