

## Post-Anaesthetic Homecare for Rabbits & Guinea Pigs

Your pet has recently undergone sedation or anaesthetic.

## **Complications:**

Please notify the practice at once if any of the following occur:

- Diarrhoea
- Refusal to eat or drink. It is very important that rabbits and Guinea pigs continue to eat to prevent gut stasis. A life-threatening emergency where the gut stops moving.
- Signs of severe pain (mild pain and discomfort are normal for the first few days after surgery)
- If your pet acts off or seems "not right" in any other way

By following the guidelines below, you will be able to dramatically speed up your pet's Recovery.

- Offer your pet food and water immediately when you arrive home. We will provide liquid recovery food in your home care package.
- Do not give any over-the-counter pain relievers such as paracetamol or ibuprofen as these can be poisonous to pets. We will prescribe non-steroidal pain relief medication for the following 3-5 days after surgery which should keep your pet comfortable during their recovery.

Post-Operative Telephone Call - A staff member will call you a few days after the procedure to check on your pet. Do not be alarmed. This is a routine call to find out how your pet is progressing after their surgery.





Thank you for choosing Warren House Vets for your pet's care. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us:

Telephone: 01543 373033

WhatsApp: 07999048536.

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## Post-Operative Out-of-Hours Support



If you have any concerns following your pet's surgery, we offer free out-of-hours veterinary advice support with a UK Registered Vet, over the phone, as a part of our free VIP Club.

To sign up please email: Info@warrenhousevets.co.uk

## Emergency Out-of-hours Support



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