

Cruciate Ligament Exam Form

For consideration to be given to reduce the prescribed waiting period:

Your Pet Insurance policy has a waiting period of 6 months starting from the initial commencement date of the policy for cruciate ligament (and related) conditions. This waiting period may be reduced to the policy commencement date depending on the results of a veterinary examination of your pet.

- Your vet must examine your pet and complete and sign this form (at your expense) on or after the policy commencement date.
- We must receive the completed and signed form within 14 days of the examination date.

1. Your (Policy holder) Details:						
Pet Insurance policy	number:					
Title:	First Name:		Surname:			
Address:						
Suburb/City:		State:		Post Code:		
2. Pet's Details: (1 form to be completed per insured pet)						
Name:			Dog/Cat:			
Breed:			Date of Birth:			
3. Important:						
You will receive written confirmation from us in the event that the waiting period for cruciate ligament conditions in respect of your pet is reduced. Unless you receive such written notification, the waiting period in respect of the pet identified on this form remains at 6 months starting from the policy commencement date.						

Vet to complete sections overleaf

Please mail completed form to Pet Insurance Australia, Locked Bag 9021, Castle Hill, NSW 1765 or Fax BOTH SIDES OF THIS FORM to 1300 367 229



To Be Completed by Veterinarian

Veterinarian's Guidelines:						
Please physically examine the pet as indicated. (No other diagnostic tests are required). Please circ findings, and add further details in the NOTES section at the end of this form. Please keep detailed						
Owners Surname: Pet Name:						
Date of Examination:						
Owner History						
 Has the owner ever reported a history of limping, or difficulty arising? (If YES please provide a copy of the clinical records) 	Yes No					
Clinical Observation - Observe the pet walking, trotting, and arising from a seated posi-	ition					
Were there observable signs of clinical lameness?	Yes No					
Clinical Examination - The clinical examination is performed without sedation or anest	hetic					
Joint Laxity – Is there laxity in the knee joint? Detected by:						
Positive Cranial Drawer Test	Yes No					
Tibial Compression Test	Yes No					
Pain or Discomfort on Palpation						
• Is there pain on palpation of the hind legs including hips and low spine? (If YES indicate the areas where pain was elicited on palpation in NOTES)	Yes No					
Joint Abnormalities						
• Is there crepitus, or any other abnormality, in the joints?	Yes No					
Are the joints thickened, or are there indications of past injury or surgery?	Yes No					
Conclusion						
Are there any findings or evidence of anterior cruciate disease?	Yes No					
Veterinarians Notes (Please note location and nature of any positive finding	gs)					
4. Examining veterinarian's declaration:						
I certify that the animal described on this certificate, and named above, has the clinical history and clinical signs as detailed above, and that the information provided by me on this form is truthful, accurate and complete.						
Signature:						
Print Name of Veterinarian:						
Date:	Practice name or Practice stamp					