## **Dental Referral Form for Referring Veterinarian**

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Referring Veterinarian: \_\_\_\_\_\_Hospital Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ Preferred method of communication: Phone\_\_ fax\_\_ mail \_\_ **Client Information** Owner's name: \_\_\_\_\_ **Patient Information** Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_ Species: \_\_\_\_\_ Breed: \_\_\_\_\_ Male: \_\_\_ Female: \_\_\_\_ Spayed/neutered \_\_\_\_ Chief concern/provisional diagnosis: History and Physical Findings: \_\_\_\_\_ Laboratory Data: Bartonella testing \_\_\_\_\_ Feline patients: date of FELV and FIV testing \_\_\_\_\_ Previous or Current Therapy: (note dosage/duration/effectiveness) Other medical concerns? For your clients: We are located on Norvell Rd, south of Michigan Ave and north of Grass Lake Rd, between Farmers State Bank and Sherwood Funeral Home. Mapquest often incorrectly places us south of Grass Lake Rd. If they mapquest the bank at 12005 Michigan Avenue, Grass Lake MI, 49240, we are right next door! From Ann Arbor:

I94W to exit 157(Pierce Rd and Old 12)

Turn left off 94, go south 7 miles on Old 12/Michigan Ave

Turn left at stoplight for Norvell Rd/Sarossy Lake Rd and left at second drive

From Jackson:

I94 E to exit 150 (Mt Hope Rd)

Turn right off 94 and go south 2.5 miles to stoplight Turn left onto Michigan Ave, continue one mile At stoplight for Norvell/Sarossy Lake Road, turn right

Left at second drive

We accept cash, VISA, MC, Discover, Care Credit and Debit cards and checks with current MI DL.

Dear Pet Owner,

Your veterinarian has referred you and your pet to Dr. Ruth Barthel. At your consultation she will examine your pet and talk to you about the dental therapy and treatment available to you and your pet.

Some of the dental services now available to pets include periodontal treatment for gum disease, surgery of the gums and jawbones, repair of cavities, root canals for broken teeth and even realignment of crooked teeth.

Dr. Barthel is a Diplomate of the American Veterinary Dental College and a Fellow of the Academy of Veterinary Dentistry. She graduated from Michigan State's College of Veterinary Medicine in 1981.

After your pet's oral exam, Dr. Barthel will talk with you about her findings and the recommendations she has for your pet. Please feel free to ask any questions you may have, and let her know of any concerns that she can help you with regarding the therapy and home care for your pet. She will be happy to create a personalized treatment plan for your pet's oral health and well-being. Your veterinarian will be kept informed of your pet's treatment by letter, and when possible, by phone. Please be sure that your veterinarian's name and address is given to our receptionist so that we may forward all reports promptly.

Although Dr. Barthel will be seeing your pet within a general hospital setting, only treatment and medications related to your pet's dental health would be provided. Your pet's doctor, who is familiar with your pet's history, best handles any questions you have regarding general veterinary care. Referring your pet to us shows that your veterinarian has a high level of concern for your pet's health and well-being.

We look forward to providing oral health care for your pet!

Directions:

from Ann Arbor: I94 W to exit 157 (Pierce Rd and Old 12)

Turn left off 94, go south 7 miles on Old 12 Turn left at Norvell Rd (it has a full stoplight)

Left at second drive

From Jackson: 194 E to exit 150 (Mt. Hope Rd.)

Go south about 2.5 miles until you reach the stoplight

Turn left at the stoplight (Michigan Ave.)

Continue about one mile, to stoplight. This is Norvell Rd, turn right

Left at second drive.