

Pet Vet Breeding Policy

Canine reproduction is complex and subject to many variables. Pet Vet will do everything possible to ensure a successful breeding outcome but does not guarantee pregnancy or the delivery of live puppies.

There are inherent risks to the dam in both pregnancy and delivery that can result in emergency care and possible death. Breeders should be aware of these risks to the breeding female before undertaking breeding.

To be considered for canine breeding services at Pet Vet, clients must be aware of the following requirements:

1. Both the sire and dam require a complete physical examination prior to breeding. Dogs with significant health concerns or who have heritable genetic disorders may be considered unfit for breeding.
2. Female dogs are required to provide proof of vaccination prior to breeding service being provided by Pet Vet.
3. If artificial Insemination (AI) is desired, progesterone testing to determine ovulation and therefore timing of the breeding is mandatory.
4. Semen evaluation prior to insemination is mandatory.
5. After hours clinic availability for reproductive services is not guaranteed and clients are encouraged to discuss their emergency care plans in advance for out of hours care.
6. The breeder is responsible for providing a male for side-by-side AI services who is both able to be collected and is fertile.
7. A radiograph to assess fetal numbers is required 5-10 days prior to scheduled cesarean section.
8. Scheduled cesarean sections will be booked based on timing of ovulation.
9. Payment is required at the time of each service provided.

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CLIENT NAME PRINTED:

DATE (DD/MM/YY) :