

# Suburbia North Animal Hospital Reproduction Services (Prices are subject to change)

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FEMALES	MALES
<p><b>In Heat Testing:</b></p> <p>First visit (every heat cycle) – Breeding consultation - <b>\$60</b> <i>The Breeding consultation is done every time the client comes in to begin a new breeding cycle. Breeding consultation fee covers:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Discussion of new breeding plan and any other questions with the veterinarian.</i></li><li>• <i>Complimentary vaginal cytology</i></li><li>• <i>Interpretation of progesterone results</i></li><li>• <i>We will be ON CALL for any questions or problems with breeding and/or whelping and/or csection needs.</i></li></ul> <p>Progesterone INSIDE laboratory - <b>\$99</b> per test Progesterone OUTSIDE laboratory - <b>\$270</b> per test Vaginal cytology without progesterone - <b>\$32</b></p>	<p><b>Collection Services:</b></p> <p>Collect male for Artificial Insemination – No charge Collect and Evaluation of semen (NO COUNT) - <b>\$127</b> Collect and Evaluation and Count of semen - <b>\$196</b></p> <p>Fee for failed semen collection due to poor semen quality or dog is unable to be collected- <b>\$63</b></p>
<p><b>Breeding via Artificial Insemination if timed with progesterones:</b></p> <p>A.I. X 1 - <b>\$159</b> A.I. X 2 - <b>\$230</b> • Price of AI includes a semen evaluation.</p> <p><b>Breeding via Artificial Insemination if NOT timed with progesterones:</b></p> <p>A.I. X 1 - <b>\$251</b> A.I. X 2 - <b>\$340</b> • Price of AI includes a semen evaluation &amp; in house progesterone</p>	<p><b>Collect for Ship Services:</b></p> <p><b>1. Collect for Ship Chilled Semen - \$361*</b> *Price includes: Box &amp; Extender - \$121 Fee for collection &amp; preparation - \$240</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>We do not fill out shipping labels OR ship boxes. Client MUST handle the shipping of semen box themselves by taking it to a local shipping store.</i></li><li>• <i>Additional Fee for International shipping paperwork - \$250</i></li><li>• <i>Fee for failed semen collection due to poor semen quality or dog is unable to be collected- \$63</i></li></ul> <p><b>2. Ship Frozen Semen - \$1,376*</b> *Price includes: Vapor shipper rental - \$75 Vapor shipper deposit - \$1,100 Fee for preparation - \$91 Fee for liquid nitrogen charge - \$110</p>
<p><b>Breeding via Surgical Implant:</b></p> <p>S.I. using <b>fresh/chilled</b> semen – Varies between <b>\$700 - \$900</b> depending on weight of female (includes pain meds and antibiotics)</p> <p>S.I. using <b>frozen</b> semen – Varies between <b>\$900 - \$1100</b> depending on weight of female (includes pain meds and antibiotics)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>We need 48-hour notice before shipping frozen semen.</i></li><li>• <i>Deposit (\$1100) will be credited back to client once shipping container is returned in good condition.</i></li><li>• <i>Additional Fee for International paperwork - \$300</i></li><li>• <i>FedEx Shipping charge – Our prices do not cover the Fed Ex charges which they will charge separately – We require credit card for shipping form. We have seen prices range \$1400-\$2000 for the tank to travel round trip.</i></li></ul>
<p><b>Pregnancy Confirmation, Exams and C-SECTION:</b></p> <p>Pregnancy Relaxin Test – <b>\$93</b> - 31 days of pregnancy Pregnancy Xray-<b>\$139-\$149</b> - 55 days of pregnancy (size dependent) Pregnancy Xray w/ Consultation – <b>\$159-\$171</b> (size dependent) - This service is for clients that did not have a breeding consultation with us. Pregnancy Ultrasound – <b>\$96</b> - 31 + days of pregnancy Pregnancy Ultrasound w/ Consultation - <b>\$124</b> – <i>This service is for clients that did not have a breeding consultation with us.</i> Pre-C-section appointment - <b>\$0</b> – <i>This service is a pregnancy exam so we can schedule csection and take deposit.</i></p> <p><b>PLEASE REFER TO BACK PAGE FOR PRICES AND POLICIES FOR C-SECTIONS &amp; PRECSECTION EXAMS!</b></p>	<p><b>FREEZING SEMEN:</b></p> <p>Collect and Freeze Semen for Storage - <b>\$973*</b></p> <p>*Price includes: Collect and Freeze - \$550 Storage for 1 year - \$110 Brucellosis testing - \$187 DNA - \$69 Microchip - \$57</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Client MUST bring in ALL documents and information proving that the dog has a microchip, DNA, Brucellosis test and registration papers on the day of the collect and freeze OR we can do all those the same day.</i></li><li>• <i>Fee for failed semen freeze due to poor semen quality or dog is unable to be collected- \$74</i></li><li>• <i>Additional Fee for International paperwork - \$300</i></li><li>• <i>Please plan ahead when scheduling because we book up fast and only have 1 doctor certified to freeze semen.</i></li></ul>
<p><b>After Hours and Weekend Fees:</b></p> <p>Progesterone Testing – Additional fee is <b>\$44</b> Artificial Insemination – Additional fee is <b>\$110</b> Surgical Implant – Less than 80 lbs – Additional fee is <b>\$440</b> Surgical Implant – Greater than 80 lbs – Additional fee is <b>\$660</b> C-Section After Hours OR Emergency – Additional fee is <b>\$825</b></p>	

**C-Section - \$1,280 to \$1,750** – Price varies depending on size/weight of female, how long female is under anesthesia and if there are any complications that arise with female or puppies. Also there may be additional fees if csection is late or considered after hours.

**ADDITIONAL FEES POSSIBLE BEFORE CSECTION DATE - \$83** - Depending on breeding dates, the type of machine progesterones have been run on, etc., we do what are called reverse progesterones to try to pinpoint when it is safe to take puppies. We are ideally looking for a progesterone of 3 or under. This criteria is more important than how long it has been since the girl has been bred. There are circumstances depending on the condition of the mother, when we might suggest an earlier delivery. Many of these progesterone tests maybe unnecessary if we handle the entire breeding process. Owners often have the dates bred and progesterone numbers confused or inaccurate. We have to confirm the statistics on our own if we do not time or breed the mothers ourselves.

### **What is the difference between AFTER HOURS CSECTION & EMERGENCY CSECTION?**

Emergency Fee is for hours 8am to 11am - When a client or new client comes in with a female in need of a csection that we HAVE NOT been tracking OR we don't have on the repro list for any reason.

After Hours Fee is for hours after 11am - When a client or new client comes in with a female in need of a csection that we HAVE NOT been tracking OR we don't have on the repro list for any reason.

After Hours fee option will also apply to ALL clients who ARE on our repro list IF THEY SHOW UP LATE AFTER 11AM!

Reservation for C section Surgical Time:	Please bring the following items the morning of your females c-section:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• A deposit is required at this time to guarantee appointment and for staff to be on call (read on call policy below). Deposit is refundable at the time of surgery and will be applied to the final bill.</li><li>• Cancellations must be made at least 24 hours in advance. Voicemails may be left or email <a href="mailto:ask.jennifer@suburbiavet.com">ask.jennifer@suburbiavet.com</a>. Failure to reschedule or cancel WILL lead to a loss of deposit.</li><li>• <b>For the safety of our clients and staff, we have made the decision to refer our over-night emergency c-sections (that we are "on call" for) to hospitals that are open with a full night-time staff depending on what time it is. The emergency phone will not be answered after 8pm nor before 5am.</b></li><li>• If your pet needs an emergency C-Section and we at Suburbia North Animal Hospital cannot be reached, please proceed to the Emergency Room of your preference. Please be sure to find an Emergency Hospital that does not require the patient to be spayed. Below are a couple of options if you need recommendations.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Box, basket, or some type of container to hold puppies in.</li><li>• Blankets or towels to line the container for the puppies</li><li>• Blanket, towel, or diaper for mother dog to use due to post-partum bleeding.</li><li>• A heating source of some kind to keep puppies warm when they come out, while mother wakes and during transportation.</li></ul> <p><b>C section Policies:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>❖ Please be aware that no client is allowed in surgery during the csection. This is for the safety of the mother dog and puppies as well as for sterility reasons. After all the puppies have arrived and have had their weights logged and umbilicals tied off by a veterinary technician, we will come get you from the lobby and place you in an exam room with your puppies.</li><li>❖ On the day of csection if you do not want to wait during csection then puppies and mother dog MUST be picked up within an hour of the csection. We are not able to provide care and feeding for puppies' post csection.</li><li>❖ Please research how to care of puppies and pregnant dogs. We can provide as much info as we can, but it is up to you to take the responsibility to ensure that your breeding program thrives!</li></ul>
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Blue Pearl Vet ER & Specialists 832-616-5000	Conroe Emergency Clinic on SH 105 936-539-3800