

# FAQ:

## Minimally Invasive Surgery

**Q: Is this the same technology that is used in human surgery?**

**A:** Yes, we use the same advanced technology standard that has been used in human medicine for the past 25 years.

**Q: What are the benefits of laparoscopy over a small incision open procedure?**

**A:** Laparoscopy offers precise surgery with less trauma and pain, reduced anesthesia, smaller incisions, lower infection risk, and faster healing.

**Q: How long is the recovery after laparoscopic surgery?**

**A:** Typically, 2-3 days of reduced activity are recommended. Pets should avoid baths and swimming for 7-14 days.

**Q: Is it safe to only remove the ovaries?**

**A:** Yes, removing just the ovaries eliminates hormones that can cause uterine cancers and infections, with no benefit from removing a healthy uterus.



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LOVE SPAY  
VIDEO



GASTROPEXY  
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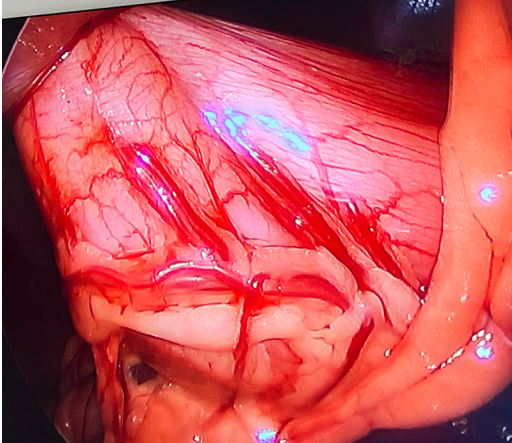
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Laparoscopy

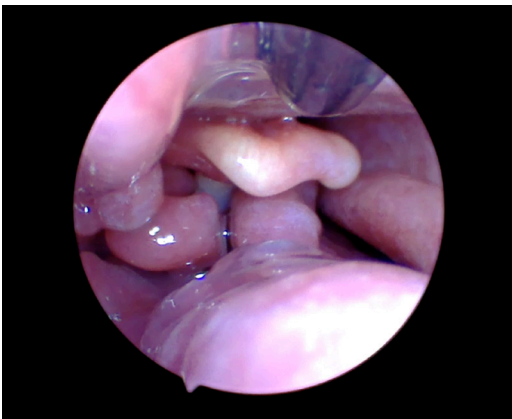


## MINIMALLY INVASIVE PROCEDURES



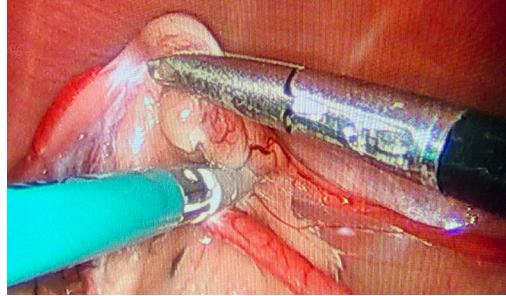
### ► Prophylactic Gastropexy

Prophylactic gastropexy is recommended for all at-risk breeds. Laparoscopy allows excellent visualization and very quick recovery times.



### ► Rhinoscopy

This procedure is used to examine the nose and take a biopsy.



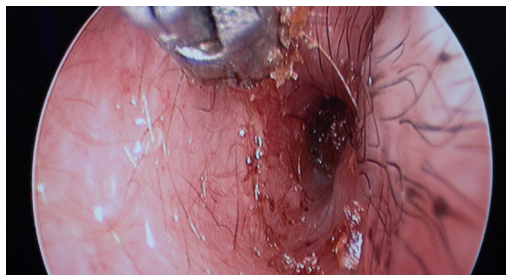
### ► LOVE Spay

LOVE spay stands for Laparoscopic OVE (ovariectomy). This is a minimally invasive spay that removes the ovaries from healthy animals and has been shown to be a less painful alternative to traditional spays.



### ► Diagnosis & Biopsy

Direct visualization during laparoscopy provides more comprehensive information along with the ability to biopsy tissue.



### ► Otoscopy/Ear

We utilize high-quality imaging to pinpoint recurrent and underlying problems inside the ear and the nose for better diagnosis and treatment.



## LOVE Spay

A minimally invasive laparoscopic ovariectomy (OVE) that removes the ovaries using small incisions.

### Why LOVE Spay?

- Less Pain:** Causes 65% less pain + than traditional spays.
- Quicker Recovery:** Faster recovery + with 2-3 days of activity restriction versus 7-14 days.
- Lower Infection Risk:** Smaller incisions mean less risk of infection.
- Precision Surgery:** Better visualization and magnification improve operative precision and reduce blood loss.

**Schedule A Consultation Today!**

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