

**Labahn Veterinary Hospital  
Internet Pharmacy Prescription Purchase Release**

**The safety of your pet is our ultimate priority. Labahn Veterinary Hospital understands that you are the owner, and we respect your right to choose where to obtain prescription products for your pet. If you choose to purchase prescription products from a non-veterinary source please be aware of the following:**

The doctors and staff of Labahn Veterinary Hospital will not be held responsible for any and all mistakes made by unaffiliated pharmacies. These mistakes may include the illegal dispensing of drugs not licensed for use within the United States, improper billing, and any other type of fraudulent or misleading acts.

There is no way for Labahn Veterinary Hospital to know if the requested product has been stored properly while in transit, is within expiration date, or has been repackaged for counterfeit purposes when purchased from an outside source. Many of these sites are operating illegally from foreign countries where medications are altered and then shipped to the United States with no governmental oversight.

Purchases from unaffiliated online pharmacies may not appear in my pet's medical records provided by my veterinarian. This information may be important in the event that my pet needs additional medications and/or treatment from my veterinarian.

Manufactures will not offer their guarantees of safety, purity, or efficacy when prescriptions are purchased through non-veterinary sources. However, manufacturers do guarantee prescriptions purchased directly from licensed veterinarians.

**Labahn Veterinary Hospital does not take responsibility for the safety of drugs purchased through unaffiliated online pharmacies or catalog vendors.**

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**CANINE PATIENTS ONLY: If heartworm preventive products are being requested: I understand Labahn Veterinary Hospital requires a current annual heartworm test (performed by a licensed veterinarian) before heartworm prevention prescriptions requests will be authorized. Owner initials \_\_\_\_\_.**

**I understand Labahn Veterinary Hospital strongly recommends purchasing prescription medications from veterinary facilities for the safety and well-being of my pet. I choose to purchase products from a non-veterinary source and accept any negative effects to my pet resulting from this decision. Owner initials \_\_\_\_\_.**

My signature below indicates that I have read, understand and agree to the terms of this release.

Owner's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Patient Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_