**Home Care for Declaws**

* Every pet recovers from anesthesia at a different rate. Some pets are back to normal within 24 hours, while others may take as long as 2-3 days to fully recuperate.
* Monitor for excessive swelling that may occur. Please call the office at any point if you see swelling.
* Strongly discourage jumping on objects or high surfaces (counters, etc.) for 2 weeks.
* If the paws start bleeding, confine to a cat carrier for a few hours.
* There is no need to change cat litter.

**Reasons to contact clinic**

* Excessive swelling
* Progressive Lameness
* Painful