BANDAGE CARE

- Keep the bandage dry!
  - If a bandage is applied to any one of the feet, please wrap a plastic bag around the bandage when taking your pet outside. Remove the bag when indoors.
  - Do not give your pet a bath or let your dog swim until the bandage has been removed according to the veterinarian’s instructions. If there is an incision or open-wound injury, it should be given enough time to heal before bathing.

- Keep your pet indoors and confined while the bandage is in place. It is best to use a leash while you take your pet outside to go to the bathroom.

- Do not let your pet lick or bite the bandage
  - If need be, use a Elizabethan collar (cone) to ensure that your pet does not pull off the bandage

- If you notice a foul odor, significant discharge, or blood leakage through the bandage, please contact us at once.

- Take note of the position of the bandage when you bring your pet home from the vet. Please call us if you notice it is no longer in the right spot.

- Monitor the area where the bandage is applied. If you have any concerns about swelling or it seems as if your pet is in a great deal of pain, please don’t hesitate to call us.