

*Specialty Care*  
for Special Pets



OAKLAND VETERINARY REFERRAL SERVICES



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# Oakland Veterinary Referral Services has long been considered a leading center of specialty veterinary care in the Midwest.

As a result of ongoing expansion, we now have one of the most comprehensive veterinary specialty facilities in the country, and are open **24 hours** every day for emergencies.

When your pet needs the expertise of a specialist, OVRS is the world-class choice for your pet's care. Our veterinary specialists are board-certified in their specialties, and they are supported by a highly trained staff of licensed veterinary technicians and other caring professionals.

Our expert professionals, advanced technology and wide range of treatment options all contribute to excellent veterinary care. However, we realize the ultimate satisfaction of our clients depends on the excellence of our client service. We are proud to have earned the confidence, trust and respect of thousands of local veterinarians and pet owners alike by offering exceptional care and outstanding services in a nurturing environment.

Over 25 Years of...

*Setting the Standard*

30,000 Square Foot Hospital  
Over 20 Board-Certified Veterinary Specialists  
and Emergency Veterinarians

*Renowned Expertise*

Diversely Trained Clinicians  
Extensive Referring Veterinarian Base  
Exceptional Client Service and Satisfaction  
On-Site Blood Bank  
Newest Medical Advances and Techniques

*Trusted Experience*

Respected by Thousands of Referring Veterinarians  
Advanced Medicine with Compassionate Care  
Over 30,000 Patients Treated Annually

*Partners in Care*

Partnership Between You, Your Vet and Our  
Emergency and Specialty Doctors  
Extraordinary Care to Each and Every Patient  
Regular Updates from Our Staff Doctors



## BEHAVIORAL MEDICINE

Aggression • Compulsive Disorders • Destructive Behaviors  
Elimination Problems • Fears, Anxieties & Phobias • New Pet Counseling  
Puppy or Kitten Problems • Separation Anxiety • Training Difficulties

The Behavior Department offers solutions to problems with your pet's anxieties, aggressions, phobias, compulsive disorders and more by providing high-quality veterinary care and humane behavior modification therapy. We combine scientific principles of animal learning with sensitivity for the special role your pet plays in your family's life, enhancing the human-animal bond.

## CARDIOLOGY

Echocardiography • 3D Echocardiography • Contrast Echocardiography  
Electrocardiography • Digital Radiography • Holter Monitoring  
Doppler Blood Pressure Monitoring • Telemetric Heart Rate Monitoring  
Oscillometric Blood Pressure Monitoring

Heart disease is one of the most common diseases among dogs and cats. In order to obtain a definitive diagnosis, we consider your pet's medical history, perform a physical examination and utilize diagnostic tests such as blood pressure monitoring, digital radiography and cardiac ultrasound. Once the diagnosis is made, we will devise a treatment plan to best suit the needs of both family and pet.

*“You helped us with decisions  
and calmed our nerves.”*

– Oden's Family

## COMPLEMENTARY & ALTERNATIVE MEDICINE

Acupuncture • Electro-acupuncture • Botanical/Herbal Therapies  
Nutritional Supplements • Nutritional Counseling

The Complementary and Alternative Medicine (CAM) Department is a holistic service providing treatments designed to treat the whole pet. CAM is a comprehensive approach to health care, translating into improved health, energy and quality of life for the patient. Ancient and novel treatments are combined with conventional, mainstream diagnostics and treatment modalities to treat both acute and chronic conditions. CAM can be used alone or in combination with traditional treatments. CAM consultations are limited to oncologic cases.

## CRITICAL CARE

Critical Care Management of Acute & Chronic Disease • Chylothorax  
Blood Component Transfusion Therapy • Digital Radiology • Pyothorax  
Blood Gas Monitoring • Central Line Placement • Peritoneal Dialysis  
Central Venous Pressure (CVP) • Capnography • Abdominocentesis •  
Oxygen Therapy • Telemetry ECG monitoring • Ultrasound • Ventilator  
Multi-trauma Patients • Pain Management • Wound Management  
Feeding Tube Placement • Nutritional Support • Kidney Diuresis • CPR

Our Critical Care Department is ready to receive patients 24/7, 365 days a year. We provide emergency and critical care coverage for Oakland County and the surrounding communities. Our doctors work round the clock, side by side with a skilled staff of licensed veterinary technicians and veterinary assistants who excel in providing prompt, cutting-edge veterinary care to even the most critical patients.

## DERMATOLOGY & ALLERGY

Atopy/Allergic Skin Diseases • Bacterial & Fungal Skin Infections  
Biopsy • Computed Tomography (CT) Scan • Ear Polyp Removal  
Ear Diseases & Recurrent Otitis Externa • Ear Flush w/ Video Otoscopy  
Genodermatoses • Hormonally Induced Hair Loss & Skin Diseases  
Immune-Mediated Skin Diseases • Immunotherapy

Our Dermatology and Allergy Department has extensive training in the diagnosis and treatment of allergic skin diseases, ear diseases, skin cancer, infectious skin diseases, endocrinopathies and immune-mediated skin diseases in dogs and cats. We believe it is imperative to educate pet owners about their pet's skin disease and how to manage it successfully. A well-informed client is our best ally in the management of chronic diseases.

## DIAGNOSTIC IMAGING

Bronchoscopy • Colonoscopy • Cystoscopy • Laryngoscopy • Otoscopy  
Proctoscopy • Retroflex Pharyngoscopy • Rhinoscopy • CT Scan • X-Ray  
Fluoroscopy • Special Radiography • Ultrasound • Endoscopic Biopsy  
Endoscopic Gastric & Esophageal Foreign Body Retrieval

OVRS is dedicated to offering a multitude of diagnostic imaging techniques and equipment for the diagnosis and treatment of our patients. These services are all available at our facility, and test results are determined during your pet's appointment.

## EMERGENCY CARE

Triage • Emergency Stabilization • Pain Management • Thoracocentesis  
Intravenous Catheterization • CPR • Cardiac Assessment • Capnography  
Telemetry ECG Monitoring • Pulse Oximetry • Oxygen Therapy • GDV  
Endoscopic Retrieval of Foreign Bodies • Gastric Lavage  
Pain Management • Feeding Tube Placement • Doppler Blood Pressure  
Splinting/Casting Injured Limbs • Wound Management • Tracheostomy  
Urinary Catheterization • Abdominocentesis • Vascular Assessment

Upon arrival, one of our emergency technicians will meet you in the lobby, prepared to collect your pet for emergency treatment and stabilization. We obtain information regarding your pet's medical history, as well as the current injury/illness. We also create a medical record for logging treatments and medications. Our veterinarians work 24 hours a day in order to provide the best patient care possible.

*“From the moment we entered  
the clinic I had no doubt that  
my little boy was in good hands.  
Our service was quick, kind  
and understanding.”*

– Tyler's Family



## INTERNAL MEDICINE

Ultrasonography • Ultrasound-Guided Aspirates • Tru-cut Biopsies  
Endoscopy • Digital Radiography • Urethral Hydropropulsion  
Gastrostomy Tube Placement • Intravenous Pyelogram • Tracheal Wash  
Joint Taps • CT Scan • Bone Marrow Aspirates/Biopsies • Fluoroscopy

Our department is committed to providing comprehensive and expert care in such areas as: gastrointestinal disease, renal (kidney) disease, hepatic (liver) disease, immune-mediated disease, endocrinopathies, infectious disease, hematologic (blood) disease, respiratory disease and urinary tract disease.

## ONCOLOGY

Biopsies • Bone Marrow Aspirates • Chemotherapy • Clinical Trials  
Complementary & Alternative Medicine • Acupuncture • Cryosurgery  
Botanical/Herbal Therapies • Nutritional Therapies • Immunotherapy  
Electrochemotherapy • Cystostomy Tube Placement • Cytology  
OVRS Cancer Network • Emergency & Critical Care Capabilities • CT Scan  
Ultrasound • Palliative Treatments • Radiation Therapy Counseling

The Oncology Department is a unique pet cancer service that provides a personalized approach to treating and supporting cancer patients and their families. The mission of our medical oncology team is to provide the latest technologies available to diagnose our veterinary patients, determine the extent of disease and offer a variety of innovative treatment options with a commitment to quality and compassionate care.

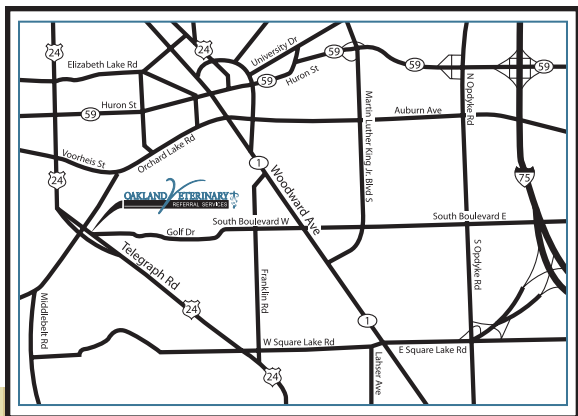
## SURGERY

Abdominal • Oral • Thoracic • Soft Tissue • Oncologic • Orthopedic  
Fiber-Optic Procedures • Diagnostic Imaging & Procedures  
Anesthesia & Sedation • Blood Products / Blood Transfusion

Our Surgery Department features a team of experienced and dedicated licensed veterinary technicians, surgical assistants and board-certified surgeons. Additionally, access to specialized instrumentation and sophisticated equipment allows them to expertly manage a wide array of surgical conditions. Furthermore, the ability to consult with other specialists in the hospital greatly improves the level of care that we can provide to our patients. Our surgical staff keeps abreast of the latest techniques and the safest anesthetic and pain management protocols.

# OUR *Commitment*

The health of our patients is our top priority. We will always work in close partnership with the referring veterinarian to promote the best course of care.



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