

Special Notes:

COVID –

In response to COVID and for the safety of our veterinarians and volunteers, PROPERLY worn masks WILL BE REQUIRED. One person only MAY be allowed in the office for their pet's exam, other clients will wait in their vehicles until they are called in.

To help our clinic volunteers maintain efficiency, clients should do the following:

- Put a piece of paper with your last name and breed(s) of dogs on the windshield, so that the clinic volunteers can easily locate you and your animal.
- Provide clinic volunteers with your cell phone number and color and model of your car.
- For CAER Eye Exams - Complete CAER Eye application through the new OFA online platform (instructions below)
- For thyroid testing please bring a completed OFA thyroid submission form including OFA payment.

Please be aware that if COVID Travel Rules change, the clinic may need to be cancelled -- a FULL REFUND will be given if this occurs.

CAER –

Eye applications will be completed through the Orthopedic Foundation for Animals' new online platform, OFA Online. The new platform simplifies the process for owners and veterinarians and it speeds up the process for OFA submissions. Owners are even able to pay OFA through their online account.

To get started, you will go to www.ofa.org/online and create an account.

Once you are in your account you will create a new application, fill in your dog's information, and search for Dr. van der Woerdt as the ophthalmologist who will be completing the exam.

Creating an account, means you will have access to all of your dog's records as you create applications in OFA Online and can track the progress of each application through your account.

Once the application has been created, it will automatically be available to Dr. van der Woerdt when you come to your appointment. Dr. van der Woerdt will complete the the exam results online and once it has been completed you will automatically receive an email with a PDF version of the results. You will then have access in your account to submit the application to OFA and pay the fee all online.

See the next page for Step By Step Instructions for Creating An Online OFA Account:

Summary of Step By Step Instructions for Creating An Online OFA Account:

- Create an Account -

- 1.) Go to www.ofa.org/online
- 2.) Click on "Start Here"
- 3.) Create owner account
- 4.) Log into new account
- 5.) Review handbook (left side of screen)

- Create New Application -

- 1.) Fill in dog's information
- 2.) Select CAER Eye exam
- 3.) Search and select the ophthalmologist
- 4.) Log in to OFA Online