**Weeks 10-14 Post TPLO**

* Another set of radiographs will be performed around 10 weeks post-surgery to ensure adequate healing has occurred. Once they have been performed and your pet has been evaluated, Dr. Stoll will make recommendations on increasing activity.
* Increasing activity will be based on your pet’s assessment, but will usually be a gradual return to normal activity over a period of time.
* Slow stair climbing will be allowed, but will need to be controlled at first. This means walking slowly on a leash.
* Your pet may be able to walk at a faster pace and even jog for short periods, starting off at 5 minutes and increasing over time.
* As you begin increasing activity your pet may experience some stiffness or soreness. If it resolves within a couple of hours it is most likely normal. If it persists, please contact us.

**If you have any questions, concerns, or problems please contact us at**

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