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**Checklist: Preparing Families**

**for Euthanasia**

☐ Do you want to stay with your pet? Feel free to leave and come back to the room at any point during the procedure.

☐ Have you ever witnessed euthanasia before?

☐ Some effects of sedation are: (reaction, delay of action, effect)

☐ The second injection will be done into a vein

☐ It will be an anesthetic (not a poison)

☐ You can touch and talk to your pet

☐ After the pets passing; their eyes may be opened, urination…

* You may experience an emotional burst
* Take several minutes to touch your pet and calm down before you leave the room. Do not feel the need to rush.

☐ (When applicable) remind client they can visit the crematorium or their website.