



3508 East Main Street
Morgantown, PA 19543

Phone or Text: 610-286-0018
Email: info@mypetsbrace.com

We look forward to helping your dog/patient walk and play comfortably again with the help of a custom brace. An effective custom brace starts with the creation of a well-formed cast taken by a veterinarian or rehabilitation professional.

If the veterinarian or rehabilitation facility does not have the materials to make the fiberglass cast, a casting kit may be ordered from the My Pet's Brace website or by calling 610-286-0018.

Process:

- Step 1:** Veterinarian or rehabilitation professional reads the casting instructions below and watches the *Carpal Brace Casting Tutorial* video at mypetsbrace.com/casting-videos.
- Step 2:** Veterinarian or rehabilitation professional takes a cast of the dog's leg.
- Step 3:** Veterinarian or rehabilitation professional completes the *Carpal Brace Order Form*.
- Step 4:** Mail the cast and *Carpal Brace Order Form* to My Pet's Brace in Morgantown, PA (address above).
- Step 5:** Email or text a side view picture of the dog standing to [info@mypetsbrace.com/610-286-0018](mailto:info@mypetsbrace.com).
- Step 6:** Once the cast is received, My Pet's Brace calls the purchaser of the brace to take payment and provide the specific date the brace will be completed and shipped from our facility.

Braces are fabricated in 5 business days and include a no-hassle 120 day warranty. The completed brace may need to be mailed back to My Pet's Brace for adjustments. This is a normal part of the brace process. Because our devices are custom-made and will not fit any other pet, no refunds can be offered by My Pet's Brace. Visit our website for more information.

CARPAL BRACE CASTING INSTRUCTIONS



- 1) Watch *Carpal Brace Casting Tutorial* video at www.mypetsbrace.com/casting-videos.



Casting Video – Scan Me



- 2) Have a helper sit on the opposite side of the dog's injured leg. The helper will hold the stockinet and rubber tubing cutting strip with one hand and support the dog from sitting with the other hand underneath the dog's belly. Position the dog in a normal/corrected standing position, with the dog's paw flat on the ground (90° angle). If there is a contracture, cast the leg in the most functional position. There is no need to sedate the dog (unless there are extreme circumstances).



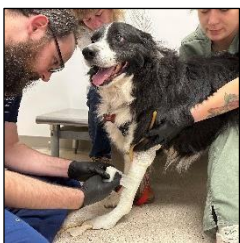
- 3) Have a bowl of lukewarm water, a sharp utility knife, bandage scissors, and a marker readily available.



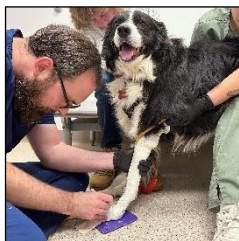
- 4) Hold the casting tape underwater for 10 seconds, then squeeze water out three times.



- 5) Start the cast by quickly wrapping the tape distally, then cover the entire paw and move up the leg to just below the elbow. Overlap each layer no more than 2-3 times, cutting off any excess tape not needed. Do not squeeze paw together.



- 6) Mold the tape to conform to bony prominences. Massage the layers together.



- 7) Use the permanent marker to trace the rubber tubing. Draw several hash marks perpendicular to the rubber tubing line.



- 8) Use the utility knife to cut the cast off before the casting tape completely hardens (less than 4 minutes). Do not wait too long. Cast will still be a little soft.



- 9) Remove the rubber tubing cutting strip. Cut the stockinet off with the bandage scissors and remove the cast from the dog's leg.



- 10) Tape or rubber band the cast together without deforming the cast. Write the dog's name on the cast.



- 11) Complete the *Carpal Brace Order Form* and record all measurements in centimeters using a soft tape measure.

Length Measurement 1 – Elbow joint to carpal joint



- 12) Length Measurement 2 – Carpal joint to floor



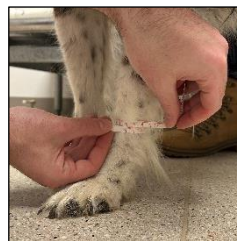
- 13) Length Measurement 3 – Length of paw, include nails



- 14) Circumference Measurement 1 – At elbow joint



- 15) Circumference Measurement 2 – At mid forearm



- 16) Circumference Measurement 3 – At carpal joint



- 17) On the back of the *Carpal Brace Order Form*, take a tracing of the dog's paw while the dog is standing.



- 18) Email a side view picture of the dog while he/she is standing. Take the picture at dog's eye level. Do not take the picture while the cast is on the dog's leg.



- 19) Mail cast and *Carpal Brace Order Form* to:

My Pet's Brace
3508 East Main Street
Morgantown, PA 19543



Mail This Form & The Dog's Cast To:
 My Pet's Brace
 3508 E Main St, Morgantown, PA 19543

CARPAL BRACE ORDER FORM

READ INSTRUCTIONS ON PAGES 1 & 2. THIS PAGE IS TO BE COMPLETED BY THE VETERINARY PROFESSIONAL. SEND A SIDE VIEW PHOTO OF THE DOG STANDING TO INFO@MYPETSBRACE.COM OR TEXT IT TO 610-286-0018. TRACE THE DOG'S PAW ON THE BACK OF THIS PAPER.

PET INFORMATION

Pet Name:		Breed:		Weight:	lbs
Age:	Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Neutered/Spayed		Affected Side/Brace For: <input type="checkbox"/> Left <input type="checkbox"/> Right		
Body Condition Score: <input type="checkbox"/> 1 (Too Thin) <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3 <input type="checkbox"/> 4 <input type="checkbox"/> 5 (Ideal) <input type="checkbox"/> 6 <input type="checkbox"/> 7 <input type="checkbox"/> 8 <input type="checkbox"/> 9 (Too Heavy)					
Diagnosis:			Notes/Other Instructions:		
Cast Taken While Dog Is: <input type="checkbox"/> Standing <input type="checkbox"/> Laying Down					
Device Requested:		<input type="checkbox"/> Carpal Brace with Joints at Carpal		<input type="checkbox"/> Carpal Brace without Joints	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Carpal Brace with Joints at Paw		<input type="checkbox"/> Below Carpal Brace	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Carpal Brace with Joints at Carpal & Paw (+\$150)		<input type="checkbox"/> Add Anterior Shell (+\$300)	
Length Measurements In CM			Circumference Measurements In CM		
Elbow Joint to Carpal Joint:		At Elbow Joint:			
Carpal Joint to Floor:		At Mid Forearm:			
Length of Paw (Including Nails):		At Carpal Joint:			
Brace Color (See Color Chart):					

VET/REHAB INFORMATION

Facility Name:			Date:		
Street:		City:		State:	Zip:
Phone:		Email:			
Vet Name (Print):			Vet Signature:		

OWNER INFORMATION

Owner Name (Print):			Owner Signature:		
Street:		City:		State:	Zip:
Phone:		Email:			

Warranty & Adjustments: My Pet's Brace will repair or replace straps, liners, pads, buckles or soling for no charge within 120 days. My Pet's Brace will repair or replace the plastic superstructure and mechanical hinges for no charge if they fail from defect within one year. The brace may need to be mailed to My Pet's Brace for adjustments. This is a normal part of the brace process. Because devices are custom-made for each pet, no refunds, returns or exchanges can be offered by My Pet's Brace. By signing above, I understand and agree to the My Pet's Brace warranty and no refunds policy.

FABRICATION/SHIPPING INFORMATION

Fabrication Time: <input type="checkbox"/> Standard: 5 business days					
<input type="checkbox"/> Expedite: 2 business days - Additional \$150/brace & Subject To Availability					
Ship Completed Brace To: <input type="checkbox"/> Pet Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Vet/Rehab Facility					
Shipping Method (Shipping of completed brace to owner/vet)					
USA:		<input type="checkbox"/> UPS Ground – Free		<input type="checkbox"/> 3 Day* <input type="checkbox"/> 2 Day* <input type="checkbox"/> Next Day*	
International:		<input type="checkbox"/> UPS Ground*		<input type="checkbox"/> UPS Expedited* *Fees Apply	

BILLING INFORMATION (Fabrication begins once full payment has been received)

Who To Bill: <input type="checkbox"/> Pet Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Vet/Rehab Facility					
Payment: <input type="checkbox"/> Credit Card <input type="checkbox"/> Care Credit <input type="checkbox"/> Scratchpay <input type="checkbox"/> Check (include with this form)					
Card Number:		Exp Date:		Security Code:	
I Want To Give My Credit Card Number Over The Phone, Please Call Me: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No →					

PAW TRACING



COLOR CHART

Solid Colors

White	Light Tan	Yellow	Orange
Light Pink	Neon Pink <small>*only for dogs under 130 lbs</small>	Red	Teal
Green	Dark Green	Purple	Light Blue
Royal Blue	Navy Blue	Brown	Black

Patterns

Patterns range in size. Depending on the size/shape of your pet's brace, you may only see a portion of your chosen pattern.

Zebra* <small>*background can be any solid color, ie neon pink zebra</small>	Pirates* <small>*pirates can be any solid color, ie red pirates</small>	Sugar Skulls <small>(background is navy)</small>	Yellow/Orange Swirl
Pink Camo	Purple Splash	Sharks	Starry Night
Blue Swirl	Graffiti	Green Raindrops	Color Burst
Wood Grain	Red/Brown Dog Hair	Leopard	Woodland
Camo	Carbon Fiber	Cosmos	Flags

Colors may appear different in person. Choice of colors are subject to change depending on availability.