



BIOPSY WOUND CARE INSTRUCTIONS

A sample of a concerning lesion was taken today and sent to the pathology lab to determine diagnosis. A dermatopathologist will analyze the sample. In approximately 10-14 days, we will call with your results. **If you have not received a call from our office within 10-14 days, please call our office to check on the status of your biopsy. We can be reached at 719-355-1585.**

- A bandage was placed over the biopsy site. The bandage may be removed once bleeding has stopped. Gently clean wound with regular soap and warm water. The wound will heal faster if you continue to keep it moist with Vaseline. If the lesion is still oozing after 24 hours, you may continue to apply another bandage daily until oozing stops.
- Redness and mild swelling may occur around the wound for a few days. If the biopsy took place around the eyes, the skin in that area may be swollen and bruised for a few days.
- Pain is usually mild. Extra strength Tylenol will relieve this discomfort.

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