



#### Excision Wound Care:

Leave bandages on and keep dry for the next 48 hours.

After 48 hours, it is okay to get the area wet in the shower. Do not let the shower stream hit the wound directly, let water run over the wound.

After showering, apply a small amount of Vaseline or Aquaphor and cover with a band-aid or gauze and paper tape until suture removal appointment.

If steri-strips were applied, leave them on for two weeks. As they fall off, replace them. (Extras will be provided for you.)

New scars are particularly sensitive to the sun. Therefore, using SPF 30 or higher or covering the scar with a bandage is important if exposing the scar to the sun.

Please be aware that you may receive a separate bill from the Pathology Lab.

#### Biopsy Results:

Results can take up to 2 weeks to get back. We will call you to notify you of your results. If you have not heard from us within 2 weeks, please call our office at (720) 738-7770.