

Care of Excision Site

- Leave the pressure dressing that is applied on for 24-48 hours as directed.
- After 24-48 hours gently cleanse the area with mild soap and water to remove any incrustation.
- Cleanse the area twice a day; unless directed otherwise.
- Gently pat dry the area and apply a small amount of Aquaphor or Biafine, then apply a small dressing or band-aid over the area twice a day until your suture removal appt.
 - Studies have shown that wounds heal better when the area is covered with ointment and a dressing.
- Please contact our office if you notice any signs of infection, such as:
 - Inflammation
 - Redness or puffiness
 - Any discharge from the excision site
 - Excessive pain
 - Excessive bleeding
 - Fever and/or chills

If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to call our office at (818) 592-6005. Thank you.