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Patient Information

BIOPSY SITE WOUND CARE INSTRUCTIONS

The nurse has placed Vaseline Ointment under a band-aid over the surgical site on your skin. This should remain in place until the morning following your surgery.

On the morning following your surgery, remove the band-aid, cleanse with soap and water, and reapply the Vaseline Ointment and a new covering.

Continue this procedure each morning until the site is completely healed over with fresh new skin, or until sutures are removed.

Patients that smoke have increased risk of delayed wound healing, smoking cessation is recommended.

Mild tenderness and oozing is expected 1-2 days after the procedure. However, if you develop excessive swelling, prolonged redness, drainage, and/or tenderness, call our office at Greensboro Dermatology Associates at (336) 954-7546