



Precision Dermatology and Skin Surgery, P.A.

Board Certified in Dermatology
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BIOPSY WOUND CARE INSTRUCTIONS

The growth on your skin has been removed at the surface. The following care instructions are necessary for the best healing results possible.

1. Gently clean the area with antibacterial soap and water.
2. Apply bacitracin or polysporin ointment. Do not use Neosporin.
3. Apply a clean bandage or band-aid. The band-aid applied today may be removed in 12-24 hours.

The band-aid is omitted between the 3-5th day allowing air to the wound to help the healing process. In the areas where the wound may get rubbed or irritated, it is acceptable to continue applying a band-aid beyond 5 days.

The area(s) may get wet while showering in 24-48 hours.

Within 2-3 weeks, the area will be healed leaving a pink or white area which will fade in 3-6 months. In some areas such as the back, chest, abdomen, and lower legs, the wound may take longer to completely heal.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call our office at (904) 923-6647.