

GENERAL WOUND CARE INSTRUCTIONS

To promote proper healing, please follow the instructions below.

- For the first 24 hours leave your bandage in place.
- Apply Vaseline or an over-the-counter antibiotic ointment, such as Bacitraicin (if told to by your provider)
- Keep covered with a band-aid for first three days, and longer if wound is still oozing fluid or small amounts of blood.
- For crusted lesions, clean daily with mixture of half hydrogen peroxide and half water.
- After the first day, you can shower as normal.

It is normal for the site to appear red. However, if the wound gets very painful or discharges pus, contact us immediately.

Should you have any questions, please call our office at (973) 763-SKIN (973-763-7546) and speak with or leave a message for the Clinical Coordinator.