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POST-OPERATIVE INSTRUCTIONS HEMORRHOIDECTOMY / LATERAL INTERNAL SPHINCTEROTOMY

Please note any unusual or excessive bleeding, pain, or swelling. It is normal to have some blood on dressing or on the toilet paper following bowel movements for up to a week postoperatively.

OK to shower.

May remove dressing with first bowel movement.

Rectal packing will pass with first bowel movement.

May resume activities as tolerated, with no lifting over 15-20 pounds.

Resume a normal diet.

Take prescribed medication or Extra Strength Tylenol as directed, for pain.

Avoid alcohol while taking pain medications.

Call office or return to ER for nausea, vomiting, or fever.

Sitz baths three times daily, and following bowel movements, if possible.

Please call office to schedule your follow-up appointment, to be scheduled for 7-10 days after surgery.

Don't strain with stools. If you experience difficulty with constipation take 1 oz of mineral oil orally twice a day, for no more than two days, or call the office.

MD / RN SIGNATURE

DATE

I HAVE RECEIVED AND UNDERSTAND THE INSTRUCTIONS:

PATIENT / GUARDIAN, IF MINOR SIGNATURE

DATE

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