

# CAPITAL DERMATOLOGY

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## **Biopsy Care Instructions**

You have just had a skin biopsy.

Your bandage should remain dry until the following morning.

Clean the site each morning with soap and water and then apply Vaseline each day until the site heals. Cover with a new band aid each day until healed.

Please call the office in two weeks for your biopsy results or if you have any further questions.

## **Liquid Nitrogen Care**

You have just been treated with Liquid Nitrogen.

This may form a blister and/or turn purple. If so, puncture the area with a sterile needle. Allow the fluid to drain. Do not remove the blister roof.

Next, clean the site with soap and water. Then apply Vaseline to the area and cover with a bandage, continue this treatment until the area heals.

Area may appear red for the first 2-3 weeks – this is normal. It can take up to a month for the area to appear normal again.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to call our office.