

## **Care of Your Shave Biopsy**

- Leave the original dressing undisturbed for the first 24 hours.
- After 24 hours, remove the bandage.
- Wash the area daily with mild soap and water.
- **DO NOT** clean the area with Hydrogen Peroxide or alcohol.
- Pat dry and apply Vaseline or Aquaphor, cover with a Band-Aid; change it daily for 1-2 weeks.
- The wound will heal faster if you keep it moist. Expect to see yellowish/whitish tissues to the wound bed while it is healing. This is NOT a sign of infection.
- Results are typically ready in 7-10 BUSINESS days. We will call you as soon as the results are available. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact our office at 970-667-3116.