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Post Operative Instructions:

LEEP Conization

- 1. Expect vaginal bleeding for 10-14 days.
- 2. Heaviest bleeding in first 48 hours.
- 3. Call office if: foul smelling vaginal odor or discharge, excessive bleeding greater than 1 pad per hour, fever greater than 101 degrees Fahrenheit, excessive nausea, vomiting or severe pain not controlled by pain medications.
- 4. You may bathe after 24 hours and showering is fine at any time.
- 5. Abstain from sexual intercourse for 10-14 days nothing per vagina no douching, no intercourse, no tampons.
- 6. No driving for 24 hours after anesthesia.
- 7. No vigorous exercise for 48 hours.
- 8. Expect mild to moderate cramping for 2-3 days.
- 9. If you experience constipation, feel free to use Metamucil, Milk of Magnesia, Senekot stool softener, ducolax tablets or suppository or any over the counter medications.
- 10. For gas pain you may use Gas-x or Mylicon.
- 11. Please make an appointment for post-op follow up in 2-3 weeks.
- 12. If breastfeeding, pump and dump milk for 24 hours post anesthesia.
- 13. Call and make a post op appointment for 3-4 weeks.

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