FOLLOW UP CARE

• Ear drainage is possible and can be bloody. This is normal.
• There is no need for any routine water precautions.
• Ear drops may sting or burn.
• Future episodes of ear drainage are possible. If drainage occurs, restart ear drops and notify your doctor.
• If a follow up appointment was not made the day of surgery, please call the office to make one.

ACTIVITY

• Adults: Do not drive for 24 hours
• Children: Activity as tolerated

DIET

• Resume previous diet as tolerated

MEDICATIONS

• Prescription (s) will be sent with you. Use as directed.
• PAIN is usually not an issue. If pain is present use TYLENOL or MOTRIN.
• See PAIN CONTROL sheet for additional instructions.

PROBLEMS TO WATCH FOR

• Fever over 101.4
• Nausea/Vomiting
• Difficulty drinking

Call your doctor with ANY problems that concern you: Phone # (843) 766-7103. If you need immediate attention, go to the nearest Emergency Department.

I have read, been read, and verbally repeated back instructions and understand them. A copy has been given to me.

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Patient/Responsible Party  Nurse Signature