



## The Crawford Clinic

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# Breast Mass Biopsy

## Breast Aspiration

### Post-op Instructions

#### 1. Wound Care:

- OK to shower day of aspiration and/or biopsy if there is no dressing.
- If dressing is present, keep dry for 24 hours.
- Lift nothing heavier than gallon milk jug or 5lbs for 1 day.
- Your results will take about a week to be processed.
- F/U with The Crawford Clinic in 1 -2 weeks.
- A little swelling at the site is normal.
- If the wound continues to swell after leaving the facility, call the office immediately.
- If you drain fluid from the wound or the nipple, contact the office.
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#### *Call The Crawford Clinic right away if:*

- You develop a fever over 101.5°F (38.5°C).
- You have redness, swelling, pain, or drainage from the incisions.
- You become dizzy and faint.
- You have chest pain.
- You have nausea and vomiting.
- You become short of breath.
- You have abdominal pain or swelling that gets worse.

#### Call during office hours if:

- You have questions about the procedure or its result.
- You want to make another appointment.
- If you require more pain medication.