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**LEEP PROCEDURE**  
**POST PATIENT HANDOUT**

**WHAT TO EXPECT POST PROCEDURE**

- Patient may have small or moderate amount of discharge and bleeding as well after procedure.
  - Discharge may look brownish yellow due to the antiseptic solution that is used after the procedure on the cervix to stop the bleeding
  - Expect a small amount of bright red blood occasionally for 2 weeks
  - Expect brownish-black or watery vaginal discharge for 2-3 weeks
  - Expect heavier menstrual periods for 2-3 cycles after having procedure
- Patient may experience some cramping or discomfort after procedure that may last for 2-3 days

**POST-OP INSTRUCTIONS- Immediately after procedure**

- **PAIN:** may take Ibuprofen 600 mg, 2 Extra Strength Tylenol every 8 hours, or Midol as needed for pain.
- **PERSONAL CARE:** NO douching or tampon use, sexual intercourse or swimming for 3 weeks after procedure.

**PRECAUTIONS-Please call our office if you experience any of the following**

- Heavy vaginal bleeding, filling a pad an hour for more than two hours consecutively.
- Severe Abdominal pain
- Foul smelling vaginal discharge in large amounts
- Chills/Fever greater than >101F or above 100.4 for 4 hours.

**OUR CONTACT INFORMATION**

Office/answering service 979.266.9544

**IF THERE IS AN EMERGENCY, PLEASE GO TO THE ER AT BRAZOSPORT HOSPITAL OR TO THE NEAREST ER.**

**RESULTS:**Results from this procedure will be available in one week. Please schedule to be seen within 2-3 weeks after procedure. Dr. Kadiyala will then discuss pathology results and perform a pelvic exam to assess healing after procedure.