

North Shore-Long Island Jewish Health System
NORTH SHORE UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL
300 Community Drive, Manhasset NY 11030
Department of Radiology

POST-MEDIPORT PLACEMENT INSTRUCTIONS

1. You may eat or drink whatever you want. Try to drink a lot of fluids.
2. Rest at home for 24 hours with no strenuous activities. You may resume normal activities the next day.
3. Please change dressing after 24 hours and change daily. Keep a dressing on the area until the incision heals. Gauze with tape is sufficient.
4. Do not shower for 48 hours. After showering, pat area dry and cover with a dressing.
5. Steri-strips will fall off in approximately 1-2 weeks
6. Please check for signs of infection:

- redness
- swelling with drainage
- fever

If any of these signs appear, call us at (516) 562-4834 and notify your referring physician.

7. Please feel free to contact us if any problem arises with your Mediport at (516) 562-4834. After 6 PM, please call (516) 562-0100 and ask for the radiology resident on call to be paged.

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