

CARE AT HOME AFTER LASER TREATMENT

For your next appointment please call (514) 412			
		ACTIVITIES:	Quiet activities today with close supervision. Normal activities tomorrow. Check with the physician regarding when your child can resume physical activities.
		SCHOOL:	May go back to school tomorrow.
BATH:	May have a bath tomorrow.		
SPECIFIC INTRUCTIONS:	Apply Bacitracin ointment on the treated area 2 times a day for 10 days. Avoid direct exposure to the sun for 2 months. Apply sunscreen lotion (SPF 30) for protection against exposure to the sun. The bruising appearance will disappear within 10 days.		
MEDICATION:	For pain, give Acetaminophen (Tylenol or Tempra) every 4 hours as needed. Next dose may be given only at hours.		
DIET:	Give water, apple juice, popsicle, flat Ginger ale or Jell-O for one to two hours. If tolerated, proceed with a soft diet such as soup, yogourt, ice cream and cereal. Tomorrow, he/she may be given a normal diet.		

*** PARENTS PLEASE NOTE ***

IF YOU ARE CONCERNED, PLEASE CALL THE MONTREAL CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL AT 514-412-4400 AND ASK FOR THE PHYSICIAN ON CALL FOR THE PLASTIC SURGERY SERVICE OR COME TO THE EMERGENCY ROOM OF THE HOSPITAL.