

# CRYOTHERAPY

## INSTRUCTIONS TO PATIENTS RECEIVING CRYOSURGERY

The area that has been treated may cause some discomfort, simple painkillers can be taken regularly for the first 24 hours. You may have swelling, blistering and a moist discharge. This is a normal reaction.

It is important to keep the treated area clean.

Twice a day please bathe firmly to remove any discharge or blood. Dab the wound dry and apply a smear of Vaseline ointment on the surface of the wound.

You may cover the area with a dressing if the area becomes weepy.

For further advice concerning the care of your wound please telephone:

- Dermatology Clinic (029) 2184 5024
- Dermatology Treatment Centre (029) 2184 3172