

Dermatology Day Care



Please find enclosed an appointment for your skin biopsy.

The procedure will be fully explained to you and you will be asked to sign a consent form.

You will be in the department for approximately 30 minutes.

It is necessary for a small amount of local anaesthetic to be given, this is to ensure that the procedure is as pain free as possible.

You do not need any preparation for the procedure and you can eat and drink as normal before and afterwards. You can also drive with no problems.

You will be given advice regarding your stitch line if you have one and also regarding the removal of your stitches.

If you are on Warfarin, please have your INR checked 2 days before surgery and inform the department of the result the day before the procedure:

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