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## VITRECTOMY

### DISCHARGE INFORMATION

Name: .....

#### Instructions for drops Right / Left eye

- **Maxidex:** (for inflammation)  
One drop 2 hourly for 3 days then  
One drop 4 times daily for 2 weeks then  
One drop twice daily for 2 weeks then stop

- **Chloramphenicol:** (antibiotic) store in fridge  
One drop 4 times daily for 2 weeks.

- **Cyclopentolate 1%:** (dilates pupil) store in fridge  
  
One drop 3 times daily for 2 weeks

- **Nevanac/Nepafenac:** (Anti-inflammatory)  
One drop 4 times daily for 2 weeks then one drop 2 times daily for 2 weeks then one drop daily for 2 weeks then stop.
  - Leave 3-5 minutes between eye-drops

#### Follow up visits and post op care:

- Follow up: 1 week and 4 weeks and 12 weeks.
- From first day after surgery apply clear eye shield for protection at bedtime only, secure with tape provided. Continue for 1 week.

**Posturing:** Yes / No  
(see separate information leaflet)

**Intraocular Air / Gas:** SF6 (lasts 4 weeks) / C3F8 (lasts 8 weeks)  
Date put in.....

**IMPORTANT:**

In that time **DO NOT** fly, lie on your back, avoid high/low altitude and inform anaesthetist of air/gas bubble if general anaesthetic required whilst gas bubble present in your eye.

For further information please contact us:

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