

POSTOPERATIVE INSTRUCTIONS FOR DILATATION AND CURRETTAGE

1. Resume normal activity as soon as effects of anesthesia have worn off. This may be 24 hours
2. Cramps may occur for one to 2 days and should respond to Motrin, Ibuprofen or Tylenol
3. Light bleeding may occur for several days
4. Call if you soak a pad every hour for 2 hours
5. Call if you have a temperature of 100.4 or higher, cramps last for more than 48 hours, increasing pain, foul smelling odor, or prolonged heavy bleeding.