



PATIENT EDUCATION FOR ENDOMETRIAL BIOPSY

I understand that this procedure involves removing a small piece of endometrium (uterine lining) using a special catheter and suction. Reasons for endometrial sampling include abnormal uterine bleeding, heavy menstrual bleeding, and post-menopausal bleeding.

The purpose of this procedure is to rule out precancerous or cancerous cells of the uterus. I understand that this is not always a definitive test and further investigations including a repeat endometrial biopsy, hysteroscopy or other procedures may need to occur to confirm the diagnosis.

Some patients may experience mild to moderate cramping during the procedure. Risks of the procedure include infection, bleeding, and perforation of the uterus.

It is normal to experience some mild spotting for up to 7 days after the procedure. I understand I should contact the clinic at 204-958-6777 if I experience any of the following after my procedure: foul smelly vaginal discharge, fever, abdominal pain that doesn't settle with the use of ibuprofen/acetaminophen as these may be signs of infection.

I have read and fully understand the above consent and have no further questions which I need answered prior to the procedure.

I have discussed the above with my physician and all my questions have been answered prior to the procedure.