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### Eye Injections

#### Avastin/Eylea/Beovu/Lucentis/Vabysmo

You have been treated with an intraocular injection today in one or both of your eyes. As your doctor discussed with you, this injection is a treatment that is supposed to help maintain your vision.

- For 24 hours after the injection please stay out of swimming pools and hot tubs. Close your eyes in the shower to avoid getting tap water into your eye.
- You may have the sensation of “grit” in your eye(s) for 1-2 days after your injection, this is normal. You may use an over-the-counter artificial tear drop to help with these symptoms.
- You may experience some burning in your eye for the next 24 hours.
- If you experience any discomfort after the injection, you may take an over-the-counter pain medication or use an ice pack for comfort.
- If you were using eye drops before your injection, you can resume your prescribed eye drops the evening of your injection.
- You may return to wearing contact lenses after two days.

As with all procedures, complications such as infection may occur. This is rare, but you should pay attention and look for the following symptoms:

- Increasing floaters in the eye (small dark spots that float around) that don't settle within a couple of days
- Decreased vision
- Increasing eye pain
- Unusual discharge from the eye

If you develop any of the symptoms above, or any other symptoms that concern you, please contact us immediately.

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After hours emergencies, Dr. Novak can be reached at 715-307-0302.

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