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Post Operative Instructions

SUCTION LIPECTOMY NECK

- Please take all medications as directed
- 2. Sleep on 2 or 3 pillows to keep the head elevated. This will reduce swelling
- 3. Apply ice packs to the neck as much as possible for the first 48 hours
- 4. REST ONLY. Do no exercise. Keep cool
- 5. Always clean your hands before touching or caring for your wounds
- 6. After 3 days you may remove the garment to shower each day. Do not disturb the white tape. After drying your skin, replace the garment and continue to **wear it 24 hours a day** until your next appointment with Dr. Perkins
- 7. Expect some swelling of the face. A small amount of blood ooze through the bandage can also be expected
- 8. If there is excessive redness or irritation with your wound/s, or signs of infection, or if you develop a fever above 37.5°, please telephone our rooms on the numbers above. If you are unable to contact us at the rooms, please telephone the after hours number instead
- 9. Further instructions will be given when Dr. Perkins removes the dressings. (You can expect to wear the garment at home at night for a further two weeks after the dressings have been removed.)

Follow up appointme	ent:			
	at:	☐ Kogarah Rooms	☐ Miranda Rooms	

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact us on one of the numbers above.

