

# ***Campbell Medical Practice***

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Procedure date: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_

This is a general guide to having a procedure at Campbell Medical Practice.

Note that your appointment is for a **PROCEDURE ONLY**.

**If you require scripts/referrals, or need to discuss something else, you must schedule a separate appointment with your doctor.**

**\*\*\*If a medical certificate is required, please ask at the time of your procedure.**

## **COST**

***All procedures incur an instrument fee of \$65.00 on the day.*** This is non-refundable through Medicare or DVA.

The rest of the account will be settled at your appointment to remove stitches.

We are unable to estimate the total cost of the procedure beforehand. The amount charged is dependent on the pathology result of the excised sample. However, we will ensure that your total ***out-of-pocket cost (AFTER your Medicare rebate) is maximum \$300.00 - \$350.00*** depending on size, number, location, and complexity of excisions.

## **YOUR PROCEDURE**

***Please attend the clinic at least 10 minutes prior to your scheduled appointment time.***

All procedure appointments are for 45 minutes. A MAXIMUM of 2 simple excisions per appointment can be excised. The number of excisions that can be performed depends on several factors including the size of the excision, the location of the excision, the complexity of the lesion and the amount of local anaesthetic required.

In certain circumstances, the lesion may not be fully excised, and a re-excision may be necessary to ensure the lesion is completely removed. All appointments for re-excisions will be considered as separate procedures and will be billed accordingly.

On the day of your procedure, the nurse and your doctor will provide you with information on how to care for your wound.

**\*\*\*Please cease ALL anticoagulation medications (including aspirin) 48 hours prior to your procedure and recommence 24 hours post procedure\*\*\***

Ask our staff or contact the practice on (02) 6249 7533 if you have any questions.