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## DISCHARGE INSTRUCTIONS FOR DR. MORADI'S PATIENTS:

### GAMMA KNIFE

1. Please call the office and make an appointment with Dr. Moradi for **7 days** after your procedure.
2. You may **gently wash your hair** the day after the procedure. You may notice blood-tinged water during hair washing. This may be related to dried blood in your hair from head frame application/removal at the pin sites.
3. You may resume your routine activities within 48 hours, unless instructed to do otherwise.
4. Swelling above the eyes may occur within 48 hours after surgery. This is sometimes related to the local anesthetic used to numb the pin sites. You may apply cold compresses to the swollen area. The swelling should decrease in 3-4 days.
5. You may resume regular diet and routine medications.
6. **Please call the office if you experience any of the following:** redness, swelling, drainage, irritation at the pin sites, fever of 101° F for 24 hours or longer. The answering service will also reach Dr. Moradi.



