Circumcision After Care

Clean the area as you normally would. Unscented diaper wipes or a clean, wet cloth is fine.

The nerve block will wear off a few hours after the circumcision. It is okay to give tylenol if he is fussy. His weight based dosing is 1.25 ml and he can have it every 4-6 hours as needed for the next 1-2 days.

The plastibell (plastic ring) should fall off within 8 days

NO baths until the plastibell falls off

A small amount of yellow/white drainage is to be expected and a sign of healing

REASONS TO CALL OR SEEK MEDICAL CARE:

no wet diaper in 10-12 hours

redness, swelling, warmth or drainage from site

more than a small amount of blood in the diaper

plastibell falls back onto the shaft of the penis

plastibell has not fallen off within 8 days

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