

Encounter-Level Documents on 03/20/2025: (continued)

- Do not use any products that contain nicotine or tobacco. These products include cigarettes, chewing tobacco and vaping devices, such as e-cigarettes. These can delay incision healing after surgery. If you need help quitting, ask your health care provider.

Contact a health care provider if:

- You have nausea or vomiting that does not get better with medicine
- You vomit every time you eat or drink
- You have pain that does not get better with medicine
- You cannot urinate or have bloody urine
- You develop a skin rash
- You have a fever

Get help right away if

- You have trouble breathing
- You have chest pain
- You vomit blood

These symptoms may be an emergency. Get help right away. Call 911.

- **Do not wait to see if the symptoms will go away.**
- **Do not drive yourself to the hospital.**

Summary

- After the procedure, it is common to have a sore throat, hoarseness, nausea, vomiting, or to feel weak, sleepy, or fatigued.
- For the time period you were told by your health care provider, do not drive or use machinery.
- Get help right away if you have difficulty breathing, have chest pain, or vomit blood. These symptoms may be an emergency.

This information is not intended to replace advice given to you by your health care provider. Make sure you discuss any questions you have with your health care provider.

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