



## **River Drive Surgery Center Discharge Instructions**

**\*Please wash your hands carefully prior to contact with your operative eye\***

### **Post Surgical Instructions:**

1. You may resume your normal diet.
2. We did not make any changes to your medications therefore you should continue taking your prescribed medication, unless otherwise instructed by your medical doctor. Please refer to the printed discharge instructions provided to you by your surgeon, for additional eye medications that the surgeon wants you to take at home following surgery.
3. Refrain from alcohol consumption for 24 hours after surgery.
4. You are not permitted to drive or operate hazardous machinery on the day of surgery.
5. Do not make any important personal or legal decisions for 24 hours.
6. DVT Prevention
  - get up and sit in a chair
  - pump your ankles often
  - move your ankles up and down
  - move in circles, both directions
7. If you have any questions or concerns, contact your surgeon's office.
8. In the event of a medical emergency, call 911 or go to the nearest emergency room.



### **Post Laser Procedure Instructions:**

1. You may resume your normal diet.
2. You should continue taking your prescribed medication, unless otherwise instructed by your medical doctor.
3. If you have any questions or concerns, contact your surgeon's office.
4. In the event of a medical emergency, call 911 or go to the nearest emergency room.