# DOCTOR PROTOCOL:

Hernia (Lap or Open)

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# **DISCHARGE INSTRUCTIONS**

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### Activity:

- Take it easy when you get home. Go for short walks regularly, increase daily
- Avoid any strenuous activity including heavy lifting and sport for 4 weeks
- You can drive a car after 1 week
- Make sure you contact your doctor if you have any problems

#### Diet:

- As desired

#### Wound:

- Shower and pat your wound dry

## **Appointment:**

- Make an appointment to see your doctor in 4 weeks' time