



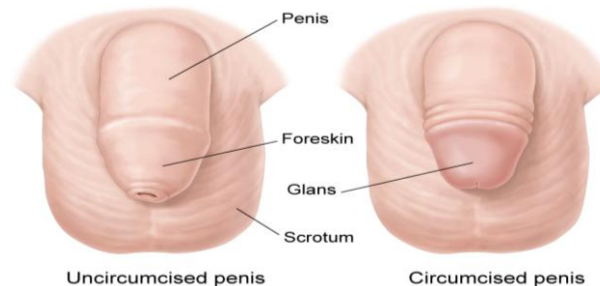
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## Care After Circumcision

- \* In general, the healing surface will have some yellowish-white secretions and granulation tissue the first day after circumcision. This can be seen for 2-3 days. It is not a sign of infection, so do not remove these secretions forcefully. If there is severe bleeding or poor healing of the wound surface with foul-smelling secretions at 7-10 days, this indicates that the wound is infected so medical advice must be sought.
- \* Keep wound clean and dry; change diaper immediately when wet or soiled.
- \* Put on the baby's diaper on a snug-fit. A too tight fit can produce discomfort by increasing pressure on the

circumcised area. Baby can sleep lying on his side for additional comfort.

- \* When changing diapers or giving baby a bath 3 days after circumcision, move the prepuce gently to prevent adhesion until wound is completely healed.
- \* Apply topical ointments on circumcised area per physician's advice.



(Picture taken from the Internet)

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