

After your PICC removal

Your PICC has been removed and the area is now covered with a dressing. The dressing needs to stay on for 48 hours. It should not get wet.

After 48 hours, remove the dressing. Check for signs of infection. These include:

- redness
- swelling
- drainage
- tenderness and soreness
- fever, chills

If you have any of these signs, call your:

- Primary Care Team,
- CCAC or Visiting Nurse, or
- Family Doctor.