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## Cerumen (Wax) Removal Risk Disclaimer

There are several techniques used to remove cerumen from the ear canal. The technique used by Dr. Abram is a combination of manual removal using a curette which involves scooping cerumen from the ear canal.

Softening drops and suction devices are sometimes used as needed. Dr. Abram utilizes a head lamp and microscope to minimize risks of injury. However, there are small risks of the following: injury to the ear canal, bleeding, infection, perforated ear drum, coughing and pain.

The use of blood thinning medications may increase the risks. Please let Dr. Abram know if you are taking any known blood thinning medications including Eliquis, Pradaza, Lixiana, Fragmin, Xarello, Coumadin, Plavix, Aspirin.

By signing below I release Dr. Abram of responsibility for any injuries occurred during the cerumen removal procedure.

Patient Name \_\_\_\_\_

Patient Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

