

Re: Wound care question

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If the doctor says, "The wound was steri-stripped ..." I think it's better to type "Steri-Strips were applied to the wound .."

"14tonks" <mail.2.14tonks@recursor.net> wrote in message news:35v2jnF4phcurU1@individual.net...

> You are right, Laura. If you turn the noun into a verb by back formation,
> then you are no longer using the brand name. Sorry, I wasn't looking at
> your original post when I replied to Barbara's, and didn't realize you had
> used a verb form derived from the name. Technically you aren't supposed
> to
> do that with brand names, of course, but if you do, then it loses the
> caps.
> (And we know how much good it does to tell doctors to stop coining words.)

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> Sheila

> To reply to me, add the prefix real. to my address.

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> "Laura Gibson" <transpec3@comcast.net> wrote in message

> news:A4Wdne2ydKmHzGfcRVn-hw@comcast.com...

>> Learn something new everyday. I was taught that it was "Steri-Strip" but

> not

>> Steri-Stripped. I was told it should be steri-stripped.

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>> Laura

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>> "14tonks" <mail.2.14tonks@recursor.net> wrote in message

>> news:35u1bmF4ml6fuU1@individual.net...

>>> Ah, well, that's one of those dictation issues for which the

>>> responsibility

>>> is on the doctor's head. If he dictates Steri-Strips, he gets the

>>> trademark.. If he doesn't want the capped brand name, he needs to say

>>> adhesive strips.

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>>> Sheila

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>> > *"Eliyahu Roofff" <lrooff1@hotmail.com> wrote in mess*