

# BRIT MILA: HOW TO DO

## Brit Mila: How To Do: Metzitza

When doing a circumcision, metzitza (sucking out some blood) is required. Metzitza may be done using a pipette or other tube, but the traditional way is by mouth.

**NOTE** Using a gauze pad for metzitza is not traditionally done.

## Brit Mila: Amount of Metzitza Blood

There is no minimum amount of blood to draw out for metzitza: any quantity suffices.