

DERMAL FILLERS

(HYALURONIC ACID)

Pre-treatment instructions

PRE-TREATMENT INSTRUCTIONS

2 weeks before your appointment:

- Make sure you schedule your appointment at least 2 weeks prior to any special occasions such as a holiday or a wedding.
- Avoid anti-inflammatory/blood thinning medications, for a period of one week prior treatment.
- Avoid medications and supplements such as aspirin, vitamin E, ginkgo biloba, ginseng, St. John's
 Wort, Omega 3/Fish oil supplements, Ibuprofen, Motrin, Advil, Aleve, and other NSAIDS have a
 blood thinning effect and can increase the risk of bruising and swelling.
 - Disclaimer: If you are under the care of a doctor, please consult with them before stopping any medication.

48 hours before your appointment:

- 2 days before your procedure you should stop taking Retin-A.
- Do not take Retin-A- for the 2 days following your injections.
- If you have a cold sore or an acne breakout on the target area, reschedule your appointment. If
 you are prone to cold sores, let your clinic know. You may be given anti-viral medication during
 your visit.

24 hours before your appointment:

 Do NOT consume alcohol at least 24 hours prior to treatment (alcohol thins the blood and increases the risk of bruising & bleeding).

The day of your appointment:

- Avoid alcohol and caffeine/ energy drinks to minimize bruising and swelling.
- Eat well and stay hydrated before your appointment as this will decrease the chances of light headedness
- Please arrive without make up and be fully cleansed- so no powders, sunscreen, lotions or oils.
- Avoid blood thinning agents- as this can create additional bruising. (So no Aspirin ect.)
- Avoid exercise prior your appointment- as this will increase bruising due to blood flow.
- Avoid the use of vitamin E and products that contain ginko extracts.



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After Care

If you have undergone a dermal filler treatment, a hyaluronic acid gel was injected into your skin or lips to improve shape, proportion, lines, shadows or wrinkles.

What's Normal

• Due to the anesthetic in the gel, you may feel numbness or tingling immediately after the procedure, and have some moderate swelling, redness, bruising and tenderness over areas treated. Some people experience a dull ache, and tenderness over the treated areas which subsides between 48-72 hours. Swelling can last for up to 2 weeks. Bruising is usually visible initially, then more obvious the next day, before fading over 7 to 14 days. A small minority of bruises can last for 4-6 weeks.

How to Protect Your Result & Reduce Side Effects

- -For 48 hours you should avoid exposure to UV light and heat i.e. sauna, steam, sun beds, hot showers, strenuous exercise etc, as this may increase discomfort and swelling.
- -Keep the area cool with a cold compress, but don't apply ice which can cause injury.
- -Try to avoid unnecessary pressure over any areas treated, especially in the first 24 Hours. -Avoid facial massages or skin resurfacing until the area has healed fully.

Reduce the Chance of Infection

Reduce the risk of infection and reaction by not touching the area for 6 hours.

Do not apply make-up over injection points until the day after the procedure.

When to Contact Us...

Serious complications are rare, but it's vital you seek urgent review if anything like this occurs:

- -Swelling, puffiness or lumpiness which does not fade in the first week with a gentle massage.
- -The filler changes texture and becomes hard, modular or lumpy, especially if there is redness or tenderness after 48 hours.
- All these symptoms may indicate a need for medical assistance from your clinician or family doctor if you are unable to see us, but please contact us so we can advise.

IMPORTANT: Contact us immediately if you have symptoms of a blocked blood vessel.

If you develop increasing pain near or above the site of injection which is getting worse over time, especially if associated with a pale area of skin, or mottling- indicating a lack of blood flow, you should contact us straight away. Make contact with us soon as possible so we can advise



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AFTERCARE INCLUDING LIPS



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- · Apply a cold compress for any swelling.
- Avoid alcohol and blood thinning medication for 24 hours.
- Drink plenty of water.
- No strenuous exercise.
- Avoid spicy foods and hot drinks.
- Sleep on your back.
- Avoid smoking for 24-48 hours
- Do not fly for at least a week.
- Avoid extreme temperatures (cold and hot) for 2 weeks. (sauna, steam-room, sunbed)
- Avoid sun exposure and heat as much as possible for two weeks. Wear sunscreen SPF +50 daily for 2 weeks post
 treatment. Exposure to sun and UV rays can increase the chance of hyper pigmentation. If you must be in the
 sun, apply SPF 50 or greater, reapply often, wear a wide brimmed hat, and seek shade if possible.
- Do not touch the area for 6 hours.
- Avoid cosmetics for 6 hours- unless it is mineral based.
- Arnica tablets and gels can be used to help reduce bruising or the application of vitamin K oxide cream.
- Be careful when eating, so as not to bite your lips.
- Avoid any facial massage or skin resurfacing until the area has fully healed.
- If you experience any lumpiness in the area, it can be gently massaged to help smooth this out.

Additional Care for Lips

- Avoid wearing lipstick for 24 hours
- If you experience any lumpiness in the area, it can be gently massaged, to help smooth this out.

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