

## BROW AFTERCARE INFORMATION

- You may notice whiteness or blanching around the area. This is normal and will subside within a few hours.
- For the first few hours after the treatment, the skin may produce some fluid. This is part of the natural healing process and is completely normal.
- You may get some swelling. This is normal and should subside within two days.
- In some cases there may be slight bruising, this should last no longer than one week.
- Remember your colour will be darker and more prominent for the first 5 to 7 days.
- After the first six hours gently wipe the area clean with a cotton pad and micro tonic. Pat dry then
  apply a small layer of your provided healing ointment with a clean cotton bud.
- Reapply the healing ointment a couple of times a day until the area has healed. When healed you
  may apply a gentle moisturiser daily for best results and skin regeneration.
- Avoid putting make up directly on the area until the skin has healed fully.
- Do not pick or pull at the area as it can result in infection or pigment loss.
- As soon as your procedure is finished your body will start to heal, the skin will close and you may see
  a thin crust which will protect the area whilst the skin heals. After a few days the crust will be visible
  and it will start to come away revealing the pigment. You will initially see a lighter hue of colour, this
  will change and settle over the next 4 to 6 weeks. In some cases a true healed colour cannot be seen
  for up to 3 months.
- If you pick at the dry areas you will lose colour and may possibly scar.
- Avoid saunas, swimming, hot tubs, heavy exercise, sunbeds, fake tan and heavy makeup until the area has completely healed.
- Try to keep the area dry when bathing/showering until the skin has healed.
- Your review appointment will follow within 6 to 12 weeks. Any necessary tweaks or adjustments will be done at this appointment.

This is a two part procedure and requires you to attend your second appointment for any refinements or adjustments to the area treated. The final result cannot be seen or judged until full healing has taken place and you have had your follow-up session. In some (very rare) cases your skin and its ability to heal and retain pigment may require a third session. Please remember micropigmentation is intended to provide a natural no makeup look. It is not to replace conventional makeup cosmetics. You may still feel the need to apply brow powder/pencil. Micropigmentation gives you the benefit of a shape to follow and longer lasting results, however someone who wears little to no makeup probably won't feel the need to add to their brows.

If you have oily skin your PMU will fade quicker. Also, if you regularly expose your skin to sun or use sunbeds it will fade quicker. We recommend wearing SPF 15+ when outdoors as a minimum. Use of AHA's, exfoliating products, some strong astringents or toners and/or any professional exfoliating treatments such as chemical peels, microdermabrasion and retinol will contribute to your micropigmentation fading quicker.

Micropigmentation is referred to as 'Permanent Cosmetics' because once pigment is implanted into the skin it may never completely disappear. It will however fade and lose elements of colour over time. Each person's skin reacts differently. You may return months or years later for a colour refresh session. Your technician will advise you what time scale would be suitable for you.









