

MICROPIGMENTATION, MAKEUP AND MORE....

## Micropigmentation/Cosmetic Tattoo Procedure - Aftercare

Your cosmetic tattoo needs to be carefully looked after for several days to help get the best result.

It is a process and may well need more work as pigment uptake varies from person to person and skin type.

It will lose approximately 30-40% of its colour as the top layer (the epidermis) sheds, This is normal.

You may have swelling and redness and develop crusting as the skin heals with some flaking or peeling to follow. **This** is normal.

You may also feel some itching for a few days. This is normal.

DO NOT PICK OR SCRATCH the area. Keep fingers off the area. Any queries or concerns contact me.

## First 5 days -

Keep the area hydrated and supple (3 times a day minimum), with a very light coat of the cream supplied, use a cotton bud to apply a VERY small amount.

Try not to get the area wet (wash hair carefully from the back and keep water directed away from area) for 5 days, no swimming, saunas and major sweating as these will all pull pigment from skin while healing.

Do not use cleansers or aha/glycolic products on the tattooed area, no makeup either...just keep it dry and hands off!

## Next few weeks -

You will likely lose some colour and some shape. This is normal and yes, you need to come back for your check up appointment - this is where we do your "top up" or "focus" procedure if required. This appointment must be made 4-6 weeks after the initial procedure and is part of the charge you have already paid. If you come back later than 8 weeks there may be additional charges. Any queries or concerns please call me 021 249 1499 or email info@bespokecosmetic.co.nz