

LASER HAIR REDUCTION

OVERVIEW AND CONSENT



Skin Solutions

As a pigment focused laser, the Light Sheer Desire generates highly concentrated laser energy through a cooled handle piece or a vacuum suctioned piece placed on your skin. As the laser energy penetrates the skin, it is absorbed by the pigment found in the hair follicles. The best candidate for this treatment has light skin-dark hair-coarse or prickly hair.

BENEFITS

- 85% permanent hair reduction, plus or minus 15% re-growth that is finer, lighter and thinner
- Less need to shave
- Smoother skin

POTENTIAL COMPLICATIONS

(but not limited to)

- Crusting
- Follicular swelling
- Redness
- Pigment changes
- Scarring
- Burns
- Blisters

CONTRAINDICATIONS FOR TREATMENT

- History of melanoma
- Raised moles
- Suspicious lesions
- Keloid scar formation
- Open lesions, hives, herpetic lesions or cold sores
- Tattoos or permanent make-up in area of treatment
- Recent use of Accutane, tetracycline, or any other photosensitizing medication
- Autoimmune diseases such as Lupus, Scleroderma, Vitiligo

WHAT TO EXPECT POST-TREATMENT

- Immediately after the treatment you may experience heat sensation, redness or follicular swelling.
- You can apply cold compresses or post procedure gel to alleviate any discomfort.
- Increased heat sensation may last a few hours.
- If treated on the upper lip or face, you may experience a milia or acne flare up, which will resolve on its own.
- You may experience "hair shedding" the first few days after treatment which is sometimes mistaken for hair growth.

HEALING CONCERNS

If you have any concerns, please contact Skin Solutions immediately.

EFFICACY FOR TREATMENT

Because all individuals are different, it is not possible to completely predict results. Some patients will have very noticeable improvement, while others may have little or no improvement.

POST-TREATMENT CARE

FIRST FEW DAYS

Cleanse the treated area(s) with a gentle cleanser and moisturize with a gentle non scented moisturizer.

FIRST WEEK

Keep treated area clean; avoid smoking, excessive alcohol consumption, excessive exercise, perspiring, swimming, hot tubs, saunas or exposing skin to sun.

CRITICAL SUN PROTECTION

Follow the specific instructions of your aesthetician after treatment. In general, apply and re-apply sunscreen, avoid direct sun exposure, and wear protective hats and clothing. Diligent sunblock use may lower the risk of laser-induced hyperpigmentation (darker color).

WHAT TO AVOID

Scrubs, Toners, Glycolic Acid, and Retinol: If we have treated your face, your skin will be sensitive for the first week or so after treatment.

Bleaching Creams: If we have treated your face, discontinue use of your bleaching cream while your skin is tender. Restart your bleaching cream and other skin care products when instructed to do so by your aesthetician.

Waxing: Do not wax the area being treated AT ALL during your series.

Shaving: Do not shave treated area for 1-3 days post treatment.

PATIENT CONSENT

By signing this consent, I certify that I understand the risks involved in getting Laser Hair Reduction and give permission to Skin Solutions to perform this treatment on me. I also agree to pay this cost.

PRICE: \$ _____

PRINTED NAME: _____

SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____



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