
HOURS: MONDAY - SATURDAY ~12 (NOON) - 8PM | SUNDAY : CLOSED

THESE ARE OUR RECOMMENDATIONS THAT WILL HELP YOUR PROCEDURE GO AS SMOOTHLY AS POSSIBLE. THEY ARE LISTED IN A TIMELINE FOR YOU TO BE ABLE TO PREPARE PRIOR TO YOUR TATTOO APPOINTMENT.

THESE INSTRUCTIONS DO NOT REPLACE OR SUPERSEDE ANY INSTRUCTIONS OR RECOMMENDATIONS OF YOUR DOCTOR OR HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONAL.

1 MONTH PRIOR	NO LASERS OR CHEMICAL TREATMENT PEELS IN THE AREA THE TATTOO PROCEDURE WILL BE. AVOID THESE 1 MONTH PRIOR TO THE PROCEDURE
2 WEEKS PRIOR	DO NOT TAN (REAL OR ARTIFICIAL UV RADIATION) FOR <u>AT LEAST 2 WEEKS</u> PRIOR TO THE PROCEDURE. TANNING WILL ALSO MAKE YOUR TATTOO FADE IF RESUMED AFTERWARDS. IF YOU HAVE A SUNBURN, IT MUST BE FULLY HEALED BY THE TIME OF YOUR TATTOO APPOINTMENT.
1 WEEK PRIOR	IF YOU'RE GETTING A TATTOO THAT IS ON OR NEAR YOUR ELBOWS, KNEES, HANDS OR FEET, MAKE SURE TO EXFOLIATE THE SKIN AROUND THAT AREA TO SLOUGH OFF ANY DEAD SKIN. ALSO, APPLY A SMALL AMOUNT OF LOTION TO THE AREA. THIS WILL HELP THE TATTOO GO IN AND HEAL BETTER IN THICKER SKINNED AREAS. DON'T EXFOLIATE YOUR SKIN TOO MUCH.
3 DAYS PRIOR	STOP APPLYING ANY LOTION OR DOING ANY EXFOLIATING TO THE AREA THAT WILL BE TATTOOED.
24 HOURS PRIOR	NO ALCOHOL THE NIGHT PRIOR TO THE PROCEDURE. DON'T TAKE ASPIRIN, NIACIN, ACETAMINOPHEN OR IBUPROFEN, IF POSSIBLE.
DAY OF THE PROCEDURE	MAKE SURE TO BE HYDRATED AND GET SOMETHING TO EAT BEFORE YOUR APPOINTMENT. TRY TO NOT DRINK COFFEE, SODA, TEA OR ANYTHING CONTAINING LARGE AMOUNTS OF CAFFEINE.

TATTOOS TAKES ABOUT 30 DAYS TO HEAL. IT MAY SCAB UP AND SOME OF THE COLOR MIGHT LOOK LIKE IT HAS COME OUT, WHILE IT IS SCABBED OR AFTER THE SCABBING HAS FALLEN OFF. THIS IS NORMAL. SOME OF THE COLOR THAT SEEMED TO COME OUT WILL COME BACK AFTERWARDS AS IT HEALS MORE. THIS IS FROM THE TOP LAYERS OF SKIN CELLS SLOUGHING OFF AS IT'S HEALING AND REVEALING THE HEALED TATTOO.

FOLLOW ALL AFTERCARE TO REDUCE THE RISK OF INFECTIONS.

WE RECOMMEND YOU CONSULT A HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONAL AT THE FIRST SIGN OF INFECTION.

- A MODERATE SUNBURN, WHEN THE SKIN WARM TO THE TOUCH AND IS SLIGHTLY SWOLLEN, CAN TAKE ABOUT A WEEK TO HEAL.
- A SEVERE SUNBURN, WHEN THE SKIN IS HOT TO THE TOUCH, SWOLLEN, VERY RED AND FOLLOWED BY BLISTERS, CAN TAKE UP TO TWO WEEKS TO HEAL.

IF YOU COME TO YOUR APPOINTMENT, YOU'RE SUNBURNED OR YOUR SKIN IS PEELING, WHERE YOU'RE GETTING YOUR TATTOO, WE CAN'T TATTOO YOU! YOU WILL LOSE YOUR DEPOSIT IF YOU COME IN WITH A SUNBURN!

IF YOU'RE PEELING OR SUNBURNED, YOU MUST CALL AT LEAST 48 HOURS BEFORE YOUR APPOINTMENT AND RESCHEDULE IN ORDER TO KEEP YOUR DEPOSIT.