

MicroInfusion/MicroToxin

Name:

Date:

Fitzpatrick Skintype:

Consent:

Microinfusion, with or without neurotoxin, is a type of mesotherapy that creates thousands of superficial microchannels in the epidermis allowing for penetration of vitamins, hyaluronic acid filler, and other serums. After the procedure, the skin may be red and flushed in appearance, similar to moderate sunburn. In the treatment area, skin tightness and mild sensitivity may also be experienced. These side effects will diminish within a few hours following treatment and over the next 24 hours. The addition of neurotoxin has been shown to be effective in decreasing the appearance of pores, decreasing sebum production, and improving overall texture of the skin.

Contraindications and precautions include: keloid or raised scarring; history of eczema, psoriasis, actinic (solar) keratosis, herpes simplex infections, diabetes, and other chronic conditions; presence of raised moles, warts, or any raised lesions in the target area.

***Please notify Dr Alexis if you have a history of HSV/cold sores so pre-procedure prophylaxis can be prescribed for you.*

Absolute contraindications include: scleroderma, collagen vascular diseases, or cardiac abnormalities; rosacea or blood clotting problems; active bacterial or fungal infections; immuno-suppression; scars less than 6 months old; and facial rollers used in the past 2 - 4 weeks. Allergies or neurologic conditions that would prevent use of botulinum toxin, like GBS, ALS, etc, or prior adverse reactions to neurotoxin treatments.

Treatment is not recommended for patients who are pregnant or nursing due to risk of hyperpigmentation and need for retinoids.

I understand that results will vary among individuals. I understand that although I may see a change after my first treatment, I may require a series of sessions to obtain my desired outcome.

The procedure and side effects have been explained to me, including alternative methods. I understand the advantages and disadvantages of this procedure.

I am aware that although good results are expected, the possibility and nature of complications cannot be accurately advised; therefore, there can be no guarantee, expressed or implied, either to the success or other result of the treatment. I am aware that this treatment is not permanent and natural degradation will occur over time.

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I agree that I have read (or that it has been read to me) and understand this consent form, and that I understand the information contained in it. I have had the opportunity to ask any questions about the treatment, including risks and alternatives, and I acknowledge that all my questions about the procedure have been answered to my satisfaction.

Signature: _____

Home Care Instructions:

- Go bare after the microinfusion if you can. (If you absolutely need to use makeup, mineral is better and clean brushes are a must.)
- For the first 1-3 days, your skin may be more dry and may even feel tight. Frequent use of Hyaluronic Acid Boosting Serum or Growth Factor Serum will help alleviate this.
- The night of: wash with a non-soap cleanser, apply your favorite serum, follow with your favorite hydrator.
- The morning after: avoid exfoliating, either with Polish or with AHAs. Wait a few days before getting back to your usual routine. Don't forget sunscreen.
- After 2-3 days, you can return to using retinol, plus any of your other correctives
- No direct sun exposure for 3-5 days. Use a physical SPF, like EltaMD UV Elements or Replenish. Do not use a chemical sunscreen for 3-5 days after the procedure.
- Hydrate: Drink plenty of water. (Remember, hydrators only work if *you're* hydrated.)

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