

# After Care Instructions For Permanent Hair Strokes Eyebrows



**Taking good care of your permanent makeup is crucial to achieving the best result.**

## Hair Stroke Brows “Congratulations You’ve Got Hair”.

### Instructions

- After 24 hours you can gently wash your new brows with mild soap using a petting motion with gentle pressure that goes outward from the nose. Do this several times per day.
- I prefer that you apply aloe aftercare product. We are having great results with the ‘less is more’ approach to aftercare.
- Please don’t apply your usual skin care product(s) on your forehead at all for 5 to 10 days.
- The complimentary touchup appointment should be scheduled about 4 weeks after initial procedure. This touchup is to perfect or add an additional color and check your design. Touchups cannot be performed before the initial procedure has had time to heal.
- I am available for you anytime, just pick up the phone and call 909-528-1309 for Dawn Percer.

### Cautions

- Do not scrub, scratch or pick tattooed areas, or you will lose color that may not be repairable.
- Notice that tattoo inks, dyes, and pigments have not been approved by the federal food and drug administration and that the health consequences of using these products are unknown.
- Products to Not Use on the tattooed area:
  - No Neosporin, Vaseline or other petroleum products while the site is healing.
  - No bleach or dye for one month following the tattoo procedure.
  - No anti-acne products (e.g. Benzoyl Peroxide, Pro-active) or lightening creams (bleach creams) hydroquinone around any permanent makeup site, since they will cause rapid fading.
  - No anti-aging products or facial products containing Alpha Hydroxyls (AHAs), Retin-A, Lactic or Glycolic Acids. These can be referred to as renewal products. These will fade permanent makeup, since creams do not have assigned seating and travel in the skin. Please read your labels at home or on new products you purchase.
- Do not expose tattooed area to sun or tanning beds without using sun block. This can cause pre-mature fading.
- Do not tweeze, wax, thread or use any hair removal products around the eyebrow area until two weeks following the procedure. Within the tattooed area itself, do not tweeze, shave, wax or thread or use any hair removal products in brow at all. If you need to remove hairs such as grey hairs, just trim them short or dye them.
- Be careful to avoid infection of the tattooed area for 15 days after the procedure:
  - Always wash your hands before touching the tattooed areas.
  - No exercising for 24 hours.
  - Avoid direct contact with animals.
  - Avoid gardening for a week.
  - No swimming pools, Jacuzzis or other bodies of water for 15 days.
  - Do not soak your face underwater in a bathtub or allow the shower to spray directly in your face for 15 days.
- Laser procedures done within 3 inches of permanent makeup can cause premature fading
- Face peels, even mild ones, may cause permanent makeup to lighten prematurely.
- Microdermabrasion in brow area can fade permanent makeup prematurely.
- Any removal of dead cells on brow area can cause premature fading.

### What to Expect

- We have applied a liquid band aid type product, named Cavilon, to protect the color from coming out of each individual hair-like tattoo. It is a skin barrier protector.
- There may be moderate swelling, redness and bruising for the first 3 days. Apply a Ziploc bag filled with water and ice for no more than 15 minutes at a time to reduce swelling only if necessary.
- During the initial healing period, there should be minimal scabbing or flaking of the skin. If there is some scabbing or flaking, do not pick, and allow the scab or dry skin to come off on its own.

**There are no implied or written guarantees if you don’t take care of your Permanent Makeup.**

Consent and Release Agreement – Hair Strokes

*By signing this form, you agree that you have been given the information needed to make an informed choice to have hair strokes done today. Make sure you have thoroughly reviewed and approved the results for today. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to ask. Although the hair stroke technique is permanent and is effective in most cases, no guarantee can be made that a specific client will benefit from the procedure. Generally, the results are excellent: however, a perfect result is not realistic and should not be expected with the 1<sup>st</sup> application of the hair strokes. It is usual to require a touchup after the healing from the 1<sup>st</sup> application is complete.*

*If you are a correction, it is guaranteed that you will require a 2<sup>nd</sup> and maybe a 3<sup>rd</sup> touchup. If that is the case, there will be an additional charge. We can and will make small adjustments to the color as well as the overall design on your next visit.*

*Touchup appt: \_\_\_\_\_ Price: \_\_\_\_\_*

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*Clients Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_*

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