

## DERMAPEN PRE-TREATMENT ADVICE

Please read carefully, this is a clinical treatment and all the factors mentioned are non-negotiable. Please spend the time viewing our website for more information regarding the Dermapen Treatment.

Contraindications: Dermapen Treatments are not suitable for patients experiencing the following:

- Papulopustular rosacea
- Acne Vulgaris stage 3 or 4
- Herpes Simplex
- Warts
- Scleroderma
- Pregnancy
- Bacterial/ Fungal infections
- Open Lesions
- Solar Keratosis
- Skin Cancer
- Haemophilia
- Breast feeding

Treatment Considerations. Assess patients' considerations prior to a Dermapen Treatment:

- Arrhythmia Medications
- Auto Immune Disorders
- Certain Medications (anti- depressants, anti-anxiety, and anti-psychotic)
- Medical Aesthetic Treatments
- Clinical Aesthetic Treatments
- Sun Burn or Wind burn
- Skin that is depleted, not prepped or unwilling to follow home care advice.
- Topical Skin Care regime. (see list below, cease use 1 week prior)
- Patient unwell (cold, flu, virus, or on ANY temporary medications for a temporary illness)

If you have any of the above-mentioned listed conditions, please contact Bianca as this may deem you unfit for your scheduled appointment. As mentioned in the Dermapen Treatment Description on our website:

"The Dermapen is designed to initiate and stimulate the body's own natural healing and regenerative response."

This means if you are unwell or taking specific medications that can lessen your body's response it may in turn affect your results.

It is very important to stop using the following 1 week prior:

- Vitamin A products (all forms)
- AHA/BHA products (salicylic acid/ glycolic acid cleansers/creams, spot treatments)
- Skin Inject home care roller
- Blood thinning medication (aspirin, naproxen, ibuprofen. etc)
- Blood thinning herbal supplements (St John's wort, fish oils or essential fatty acid vitamins)

Special Considerations to be taken before and after Dermapen:

- Avoid sun burn, sun exposure, facial waxing, wind burn, chapped lips, hair colour 4 days pre or post treatment.
- Cold Sores- if you have the cold sore virus please take "Lysine" multi vitamins for a week prior to avoid a breakout as we want to treat over the lip line.
- Illness, blowing nose, sneezing, watering eyes, infectious diseases The Dermapen treatment is stimulating your body's own healing process. If your health is compromised, it may impact your results and the recovery may take longer. Please advise me on any changes to your health if you are concerned, keeping in mind the salons 48hour cancellation policy stated on our website.

Scalp and hair line option- We can treat approximately 3-4 inches into your hair line to achieve a "Face Lift" effect. On the day of your procedure, we ask that your hair be washed and dried like normal, and without leave in products. (No mouse, hair spray or serums). The Full face, Neck, Décolletage and hair line treatment is ideal for clients over the age of 30.