



ATLANTIC VEIN INSTITUTE

Recommended Pre & Post Care for Genesis Skin Therapy Treatments

For best results please follow these instructions

Before your treatment:

- Do not wear makeup on the day of treatment (for facial treatments).
- Excess hair may need to be shaved. Men should be cleanly shaved.
- No sun-tanning or self-tanners 4 weeks prior to treatment.
 - Includes spray tans, tanning lotions, tanning beds, sun exposure, etc.
- Avoid treatments that may irritate the skin for 1-2 weeks prior to treatment (waxing, depilatories, etc.).
- Notify the practice with any changes to your health history or medications since your last appointment.
- History of herpes or cold sores may require an anti-viral prescription prior to treatment.

After your treatment:

- Avoid sun exposure and use a broad spectrum (UVA/UVB) sunscreen to prevent further sun damage.
 - Bruising, redness and/or swelling may occur and resolve with time.
 - Avoid heat – hot tubs, saunas, etc. for 1-2 days.
 - Avoid skin irritants (examples below) a few days post-treatment.
 - Products containing tretinoin, retinol, benzoyl peroxide, glycolic/salicylic acids, astringents, etc.
 - Multiple treatments are required.
 - Notify clinic of any concerns (blistering, excessive redness/swelling, etc.).
 - Consult with clinic about when to resume skin care regimen.
 - Additional instructions: _____
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