



REVIVE Tattoo Removal Aftercare

Proper aftercare is necessary to prevent infection, skin texture change and to also assure the best results.

You may apply cool compresses as necessary for 24 hours after the treatment to reduce discomfort and inflammation. You may take Tylenol, but avoid aspirin as it can increase the risk of bruising and/or bleeding.

Keep the treated area clean and dry while it is healing. You may apply a very thin coating of Aquaphor or antibiotic ointment to the area and keep it covered with a sterile dressing for 3 days while it is healing.

Many patients develop blisters, crusts, or scabs 8-72 hours post treatment which may last for 1-2 weeks. Do not pick the scab or allow the skin to become scraped as this may result in infection and/or scarring. Shaving should also be avoided in this area until it is completely healed.

While showering, avoid high pressure water hitting the treated area. Baths, hot tubs, swimming pools or any form of soaking are not recommended until all blistering and scabbing are completely healed as they may increase the risk of infection.

Exercise is generally safe after treatment, taking into account the other aftercare instructions provided here.

Itching is very common. Use of Aquaphor, vitamin E ointment or hydrocortisone cream is recommended to keep the treatment area to calm the itching.

The treated area may appear pink or pale after the scab separates. Healing is usually complete within 4 weeks, although this may vary.

Allow 8 weeks between treatments

If the area looks infected (honey colored crusting, oozing or spreading of redness), if you experience an unusual discomfort or bleeding, if any other complications develop, or if you have any questions or concerns, please contact us immediately.

If you are experiencing an unexpected reaction, please call us at [907-371-1766](tel:907-371-1766).