

## **ELECTROLYSIS**

## **Post Treatment Instructions**

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Be aware that you may experience some redness and slight swelling after treatment, which is normal, and typically disappears within an hour or two, sometimes longer. The following post-treatment care instructions should be followed for the first twenty-four (24) to forty-eight (48) hours after treatment. In general, avoid any kind of activity that would subject the treated skin to irritating conditions while it is in the healing stage.

- 1. Keep the area clean with alcohol, witch hazel, hydrogen peroxide, soap (fragrance-free), or other suitable antiseptics and water.
- 2. Avoid touching the treated area. If any scabs appear following treatment, bring this to your electrologist's attention at your next appointment. DO NOT pick them off.
- 3. Apply ice to the treated area to reduce any swelling.
- 4. If advised by your electrologist, apply an antibiotic cream, i.e., Neosporin, to help minimize infection in the treated area.
- 5. Avoid any abrasive scrubbing on the treated areas.
- 6. Avoid exposing the treated area to the sun for at least two (2) days. Particularly avoid tanning at a tanning salon.
- 7. Use only fresh makeup purchased within the last ninety (90) days on the treated areas to minimize infection.

If any reaction occurs that is related to your electrolysis treatment, contact your electrologist for further care instructions at **(803) 779-7316**.