

Botched Ink® Saline Tattoo Removal

Aftercare Instructions

Microblading, Permanent Makeup & Scalp Tattoo

First 48 hours:

Any redness surrounding the treated area subsides within an hour or two
Redness within the treated area becomes brown as the skin dries out
The treated area must be allowed to fully dry out over the next 48 hours
For most people the area is touch dry within the first few hours
Only touch with very clean hands, ideally no touching for 48 hours
If the skin is not allowed to dry out quickly you will not get the best results
Saline wound care wipes can be used to gently remove excess oil i.e. for scalp tattoo
Do not use any other aftercare products during this initial drying out phase
Do not the area wet or sweaty for 48 hours
For lip liner treatments, during this phase keep movements small and to a minimum

After 48 hours:

The treated area is now very dry, and a light scab will have formed
You may see pigment visible in the scab
ONE SINGLE APPLICATION of Cavilon barrier cream on and slightly around the scab
This single application will last for 3 to 4 days, leaving a soft film over the scab
You can get the area a little wet when washing and showering, avoid rubbing the area
After any wetness, gently hold a clean tissue on the scab to dry it out
No excessive wetting the area, no swimming etc while the scab is on
Depending on the area treated, the scab will remain firmly attached for 5 to 14 days
Excessive movements are likely to crack the scab, which is not ideal for easy healing
Do not attempt to remove the scab before it naturally heals away from the treated area
For eyebrows, the scab might be held in eyebrow hair until gently removed
At no time can you pick off attached scabs, you will cause unwanted results



Skin prone to hyperpigmentation:

For those prone to hyperpigmentation, follow 'First 48 hours' advice. After 48 hours the scab and surrounding skin must NOT be allowed to dry out or hyperpigmentation can occur. Re-apply Cavilon cream every 2 or 3 days until skin returns to a normal colour

After the scab heals off:

The pigment may look visibly lighter or different for the first 1-8 weeks
These are not considered results, it's your skin healing and the remaining pigment settling
Can begin using makeup on the area if desired
Treat the area gently, no exfoliating or excessive sun exposure
The second treatment can be carried out after 8 weeks
Treatment cycle is 8 weeks, 8 weeks, 12 weeks and repeated as required
We leave a longer time if the skin has not returned to a normal colour

The Removal Process:

Removing, improving or lightening pigment is a process which may take several sessions
Mature or saturated tattoos may initially respond slowly
After 3 treatments we'll have a better idea how easily the pigment is removing
Pigment may look darker before it gets lighter, especially if was implanted deeply
Pigment that's closer to the surface removes easier
Brown pigment is made up of black, white, yellow, red and green
Black pigment usually removes first, making other colours more visible
Grey brows may look browner, or warmer colours may begin to show

Tattoo removal is a process with many variables, therefore how much pigment is removed during each visit, or how many visits are needed, cannot be known or guaranteed

Failure to follow these aftercare instructions may reduce the effect of the treatment and may result in undesired problems such as hyperpigmentation, scarring or infection. In the unlikely event of an infection, your technician cannot give medical advice, so immediately seek attention from a GP Doctor or pharmacist

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