



After care instructions for permanent make-up or Areola re-pigmentation

1. Immediately the day after your procedure your new pigment will appear to be too dark. Rest assured this is temporary.
2. Expect your newly pigmented area to ooze a little, then scab, and heal.
3. Please do not pick at your newly pigmented areas as you may pull the color out of the skin before it has had the time to heal properly.
4. Keep area moist with *Bacitracin ointment* for the first 3 days. Apply 3x a day (Breakfast time, lunch time, and dinner time). *NOTE:* Some people may develop a red itchy rash with prolonged use of *Bacitracin*. Should this happen, simply toss the remainder out and switch to *A&D Ointment* or *Vaseline*. Apply a thin layer to the area and allow to heal.
5. It is extremely important to avoid all strenuous activity for the first 3-5 days following your procedure. Increased blood vessels increases swelling and oozing. Also, sweat running into a wound or newly tattooed site can sting.
6. No scrubbing rubbing, wiping or scratching of the area. Use only patting motions with freshly cleansed hands and soap & water to care for your newly pigmented area.
7. Make sure to keep area clean to ensure proper color retention. Avoid alcohol-based agents.
8. Do not expose the area to full shower pressure. You don't want the water to beat on it; shower water may gently run over the newly pigmented areas. Germs thrive on warmth generated by inflamed tissue and love the moistness provided by the oozing and ointment. Clear your area and keep ointment on it.
9. Scabs that dry out tend to take a bit longer to heal.
10. Do not use hot tub or swim in chlorinated, salt, or fresh water for at least 2 weeks.
11. Avoid environments that would cause dirt or germs to come into contact with the area while in the healing phase.
12. Note that this is a layering process of pigment into the skin. Repeated applications and/or refinements to the previous applications may be necessary especially if coloring over scars. This applies to camouflaging as well.
13. Just FYI – most pigment implanted into the skin will lighten up approximately 30-40% of the implanted color when you leave from your procedure.
14. Touch ups within the first 6 months are included, however after that there will be a minimal fee for this. Be assured that your care and cooperation is vital for the success of your procedure.

Agreement: I have read the application after care instructions and agree to cooperate with Permanent Reflections artist during the application of my pigment implantation. I understand the result is a process and may require more than one application for the purposes of changes in shape or adding color. I understand that the process is permanent and is difficult or almost impossible to remove completely.

Should any questions arise, please feel free to call me at 480-522-7865.

Signature of patient

Date