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RESTYLANE

POST-TREATMENT CHECKLIST

There are certain things to pay attention to after treatment of lips and wrinkles with Restylane®.

A few hours after treatment, areas treated can be mildly washed with soap and water and make-up may be applied if desired.

Ice may be applied to the areas after treatment to reduce swelling.

Immediately after the treatment, there may be slight redness, swelling, tenderness and itching sensation at the treated area. This is a normal result of the injection. The inconvenience is temporary and generally disappears in a day or two. If the inconvenience continues, or if other reactions occur, please contact your physician.

If the lips are treated, they may swell quite dramatically and may remain so for up to 96 hours after treatment. They can also initially appear somewhat uneven. This will resolve in about one week.

If you have previously suffered from facial cold sores, there is a risk that the needle punctures could contribute to another cold sores eruption. Please let us know if this occurs, and we may be able to prescribe a medication to decrease the length of the outbreak.

If you are using aspirin or any similar medication, be aware that these may increase the bruising and bleeding at the injection site.

Finally, since Restylane is a natural substance, which dissolves over time, the correction does not last forever. Most people choose to be treated again within six months to a year of the original treatment.