Tattoo removal POST-TREATMENT CARE

* Immediately following treatment, there may be redness and swelling at the treatment site. This typically lasts 2 hours or longer. The redness may last up to 10 days. The treatment may feel like a sunburn for a few hours after treatment, but it will subside.
* Apply ice as needed for the next 24 hours.
* You may cover the treatment area with Aquaphor and a clean dressing after the heat has subsided (usually a few hours later).
* Do not tan the area. Avoid direct sun exposure. Apply 30+ SPF to the area starting 24 hours after your treatment, even if its covered in clothing. The use of sunscreen will help the ink absorbed and help with itching. We recommend SkinMedica as it is medical grade and will provide necessary protection.
* Some scabbing, light bleeding and itching may occur.
* Do NOT pop blisters. If you blister, apply Aquaphor until the blisters pop on their own.
* When bathing or showering, use lukewarm water for the first 24 hours and treat the area gently.
* No heat such as saunas, steam rooms, Jacuzzi’s, extremely hot showers or strenuous activities. Avoid prolonged heat for a minimum 24 hours post treatment.
* It takes two weeks for your body to absorb whatever amount of ink that has been broken up in this treatment.
* It will take multiple treatments before you begin to see a difference.
* If you have any changes in your health or medications, please let your laser technician know.
* Please call your primary care physician if an infection develops as you may need antibiotics.
* Drink LOTS of water. The more water, the more ink will be flushed.

\*\*Remember\*\*- not all tattoos will clear 100%. Your tattoo may just fade.

If you have questions regarding your tattoo removal process, Please call Cheeky Medspa at 907-252-3198