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Definisse[™] Threads



PATIENT AFTER CARE

In order to achieve a safe and effective result from your treatment please follow the post instructions given, especially those outlined below^{1,2}:

- Use a cold pack to reduce swelling and redness on the treated area
- Sleep facing upward, in an elevated position on pillows (for 1 week)
- Refrain from applying make-up for as long as possible (minimum 24 hours)
- Wash, shave and dry face gently without rubbing or massaging (5 days)
- Avoid excessive face and neck movements (2 weeks)
- Avoid over-exposure to direct sunlight and do not use tanning beds (2 weeks)
- Avoid exercise, especially high impact sports e.g. running (2 weeks)
- Do not use saunas or hammams (3 weeks)
- Avoid dental surgery (3 weeks)
 - Avoid face and neck massages (4 weeks)
- A time period of least 2 weeks is recommended between aesthetic treatments however depending on the procedures a longer time interval may be required
- Constant hydration (1.5-2.0 litres of water per day)
- Remember that:
 - Immediately after the implant it is normal to have irregularities and skin depressions that will disappear within a few days
 - Reactions such as erythema (redness), edema (swelling) and needle-induced trauma with consequent blood hematomas may be induced by the way of implantation and the product itself and usually resolve in a span of time between few hours or a few days with or without proper medical therapy
 - Allergic reactions, infections, persistent granulomatous formulations may occur in which case you need to contact your treating physician to evaluate the appropriate treatment option
- Please contact your Doctor immediately in case of any of the above mentioned side effects or in the case of excessive pain and discomfort

Reference:

- Kalra R. Use of barbed threads in facial rejuvenation. Indian J Plast Surg 2008 Oct; 41 (Suppl): S93–S100.
- 2. Berardesca E: Reshaping with Barbed Threads, Minerva Medica 2020 (v1.0)