

SKIN TAG AND WART REMOVAL AFTERCARE



The following aftercare advice is essential to help reduce the risk of treatment complications, to improve your comfort/healing and to help achieve the best possible results from treatment.

Please follow the aftercare advice for skin tag and wart removal.

- Keep the treated area clean and dry afterwards.
- Do not prick/pull/scratch the treated area.
- Leave the treated area undressed (to the open air) unless clothing is irritating the treated area, in which case a plaster can be applied.
- The treated area might be slightly sore afterwards, if needed you can take some simple over the counter pain killers such as paracetamol.
- Avoid direct sunlight exposure for at least one week after the procedure.
- Your skin may look red and swollen in the treatment area for two to three days - this is a normal skin reaction and will naturally resolve. The area may also scab over, if this occurs do not pick the scab as this could increase the risk of scarring.
- Avoid scrubbing or exfoliating the treated area. When washing your face, use a mild soap or skin cleanser and avoid any harsh chemicals.
- Do not have another facial or cosmetic treatment until area has fully healed.
- You may only resume the regular use of Retin-A, AHA, BHA skincare or cosmetic products only after healing is complete.
- You must seek medical attention and contact your practitioner if you experience any signs or symptoms of infection after treatment. Infection can present as hot, red shiny skin, there may be pus formation and you may have a fever or feel generally unwell.
- Contact your practitioner if you experience any bleeding afterwards.
- Contact your practitioner as soon as possible if you notice any other unwanted side effects.

It is essential that you have read all of the information available.

Please do let your practitioner know if you have any questions or if you do not understand any of the aftercare instructions provided above.