# PERMANENT MAKEUP AFTER LIPS TREATMENT

#### **MOISTURE:**

Lips will tend to be very dry. Keep them moist with AFTERCARE LOTION ONLY. Some peeling may occur. DO NOT PEEL OFF! Do not wipe your lips with a napkin while eating blot instead. Drink through a straw. Lips have a tendency to fade up to 60% after the first procedure.

Lips will fade about 50% after the first three days into a natural shade. While healing, the tattoo will look spotty.

## **SWELLING:**

Moderate swelling will occur. An ice bag should be applied for the first few hours for ten (10) minutes on and ten (10) minutes off.

### **AVOID:**

- Chlorine pools for 1 week
- · Retin A on the lips
- · Drinking without a straw
- · Hot, long, steamy showers
- Sun on pigmented area for 2-3 days
- Soaps, facial cleansers on pigmented area for 2-3 days
- · Terry towels on pigmented area for 2-3 days
- Any topical product such as Chapstick, Blistex, Ambesol. USE ONLY AQUAPHORE OR EMU OIL.
- · Rubbing lips with wash cloth wash around lips carefully

Be careful as you pull on shirts or other garments over your face that you don't brush the new tattoo accidentally. Also, don't put any makeup on, particularly just after treatment. You might cause an infection or otherwise damage the tattoo. In the case of food, it may be challenging for a while to eat with tattooed lips, but it can be done. Avoid biting or licking your lips as much as possible, and make sure no food or drink stays on there.

### **AFTERCARE:**

Avoid Contact with Clothing, Makeup, Food and Sunlight. Take care not to expose your face to the sun for about two weeks after you get your tattoo. The sun will fade the pigment, which is still settling into your skin. Even after the tattoos have healed, be consistent with applying sunscreen to those areas of your face, to avoid fading. Lips can take 1-3 treatments for desired depth of color. Keeping lips moist daily will lengthen the time the pigment will last...everyone heals different.

Very Important: If you get cold sores or have ever had one in the past, you will need an antiviral prescription from your doctor before a lip procedure. Physicians usually instruct to take it 2 days before. As this procedure will bring out the virus if not medicated beforehand.