

CHEMICAL PEELS

WHAT IS A CHEMICAL PEEL?

A chemical peel is a procedure in which a chemical solution is applied to the skin to remove the top layers. The skin that grows back is smoother. With a light or medium peel, you may need to undergo the procedure more than once to get the desired results.

Chemical peels are used to treat wrinkles, discolored skin and scars — usually on the face. They can be done alone or combined with other cosmetic procedures. And they can be done at different depths, from light to deep. Deeper chemical peels offer more-dramatic results but also take longer to recover from.

HOW OFTEN SHOULD I GET A CHEMICAL PEEL?

Those who just need or want light peels can usually get them every month. For more intense treatments, like medium or deep peels, it's advisable to wait four or six months in between appointments. Those who wish to get deep peels should only do so once every few years.



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HOW SOON DO YOU SEE RESULTS FROM A CHEMICAL PEEL?

Seven to fourteen days - you'll see the formation of healthy, new skin, but you may notice some redness or skin that is darker or lighter than usual for up to a month.

IS ONE SESSION OF CHEMICAL PEEL ENOUGH?

A single chemical peel can work wonders in smoothing the skin, but multiple treatments will maintain the smooth skin for months and years to come. The treatments work by removing the outer layer of the skin in order to reveal the newer, healthier and smoother skin underneath.

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IMPORTANT DO'S AND DONT'S AFTER YOUR TREATMENT

This dead skin is a normal result of laser treatment, and should start sloughing off 3 - 4 days after the treatment. Most patients complete this process 5 - 7 days after a treatment on the face. (On off-face areas, such as hands/arms, where healing is slower, the process may take up to 2 weeks.)

WHAT DO I NEED TO DO AFTER MY TREATMENT?

Keep your skin moisturised, use a sunscreen and stay out of the sun.

If you want to speed up healing, you can use a cold press on your face to reduce any inflammation.

Do not exfoliate your skin. You need to allow the skin to heal naturally.

Drink lots of water and limit alcohol intake.

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WHAT CHEMICAL PEELS DOES BAHATI DO?

We work with Lamelle Professional products. We do Alpha Peels, Beta Peels, Beta Plus Peels, Retinol, and Lacti-firm.

They work on pigmentation, wrinkles, acne, scarring and skin rejuvenation.

HOW LONG DOES CHEMICAL PEEL LAST?

A light, or superficial, peel produces results that usually last between one and two months. A medium peel's results will last between two and six months, and the results of a deep peel last forever.