

Brow Lift Instruction Sheet

Before Your Surgery

Avoid aspirin-containing or aspirin-related products as well as herbal medications and nutritional supplements.

After Your Surgery

- 1. Please follow the Postoperative Instruction Sheet carefully.
- 2. Please notify the office if you have persistent pain that is not relieved by taking your pain medications as directed
- 3. As recommended, use cold compresses (a bag of frozen peas or corn) over your forehead and eyes for 20-30 minutes six times per day as tolerated. This generally helps with the swelling for the first 2-3 days.
- 4. If your incision lines are not covered with a dressing, apply only a TINY amount of ointment on the incision lines with a Q-tip.
- 5. You may use your eyes for reading or television viewing as frequently as you wish.
- 6. Do not use contact lenses for at least 2 weeks, unless it is approved by Dr. Ferguson.
- 7. If you have an incision in your eyelid do not use mascara, eyeliner, or eye shadow until approved by the physician (usually 10-14 days). Minimal makeup applied to bruising of the lower lid is acceptable at any time, but do not pull on the lids or incisions.
- 8. Any apparent redness of the whites of the eyes is only a form of bruising and will subside during the early healing process.
- Do not engage in vigorous exercise or sports for at least 2 weeks or until approved by the office
- 10. It is not abnormal to feel slight itching and tightness of the eyelids or forehead region during the early healing period.
- 11.DO NOT TAKE ANY CHANCES!!!! Please do not hesitate to contact the office if you are concerned about anything you consider significant.