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Dermal Filler Treatment Consent Form

Restylane®/Perlane®/Juvederm® is a Non-Animal Stabilized Hyaluronic Acid (NASHA), which is a natural substance present in all human tissues. It consists of complex sugar chains, which have been stabilized for longer lasting effect on the skin.

Restylane®/Perlane®/Juvederm® creates volume for the treatment of lips, lines, wrinkles and facial folds. The results are immediate and the treatment takes approximately 30-60 minutes. Most people return at 4-6 months for retreatment. Restylane treatment is ongoing and requires regular follow-ups for the desired results to be maintained. Durability is very individual and depends on many factors including the depth of the lines, the condition of the skin and the lifestyle of the individual.

Treatment involves injection into the skin; you therefore may experience some discomfort, localized swelling, bruising, and redness to the skin, minor lumps, itching, or tenderness. Local anesthetic creams and injections can be used to minimize pain or discomfort. If you have ever had cold sores, you must advise Dr. Sudit so we can offer appropriate prophylaxis.

Unlikely with **Restylane®/Perlane®/Juvederm®**, but theoretically possible, is the risk of some of the injected material lodging in a local blood vessel resulting in formation of an ulcer or sore. This would heal leaving a scar.

Due to the swelling that may occur post-treatment, your friends and family may notice immediately afterwards, particularly if your lip area has been treated. Swelling is the most likely side effect because **Restylane®/Perlane®/Juvederm®** attracts the bodies' own water to the area. A small number of patients have experienced delayed swelling and redness at between two and six weeks after treatment. This is isolated to the areas injected and settles within 7-14 days. The explanation for this appears to be related to fluid retention within the implant and to the influence of cyclical hormonal fluctuations. However it is common for people to not realize exactly what has changed, rather recognize a subtle difference, which may be expressed as "looking well" or having a new haircut.

Restylane®/Perlane®/Juvederm® is metabolized slowly into the skin. Once broken down, it passes through the liver quickly and is broken down into carbon dioxide and water. It is safer than other fillers because it contains no animal proteins, allergens or chemicals.

Common areas of treatment include the lips, smile and frown lines. The fee will vary according to the amount of material used. If treated with **Restylane®/Perlane®/Juvederm®** and then decide to have no further treatments, the skin will return to its original state.

Schedule your appointment when your calendar allows for the possibility of swelling for 3-5 days and possible bruising for 7-10 days (especially the first treatment).

I hereby consent to the **Restylane®/Perlane®/Juvederm®** treatment to be carried out upon myself by Dr. Michael Sudit, for the correction and softening of lines and wrinkles.

I have been informed regarding the treatment and procedure, indications, expected results and possible side effects. I have had an opportunity for any questions to be answered to my satisfaction. I agree that this procedure is being performed for cosmetic reasons and no absolute guarantee can be made as to the exact result of the procedure. I accept that while every precaution will be taken to prevent complications, and that while complications from this procedure are rare, they can and sometimes to occur.

I agree to have local or topical anesthetic by Dr. Sudit if necessary or recommended.

I am undergoing treatment of my own free will. I accept responsibility for any complications and thereby absolve the clinic, the injecting doctor/nurse and any other associated persons of any blame resulting there from.

Patient Signature: _____

Date: _____

Dr.'s Signature: _____

Date: _____