

Post-Care: Haircuts & Hair Trims

The health of your hair is our **top priority**—and proper care starts the moment you leave the salon. Follow these aftercare tips to maintain your haircut, promote hair health, and extend the life of your style.

How Often Should You Get a Haircut?

Keeping up with trims is essential—even when growing your hair out.

- If using heat when styling, or growing your hair: Every 6-8 weeks
- If you rarely use heat styling: Every 8–12 weeks
- Short cuts or precise styles: Every 4–6 weeks

Regular trims prevent split ends, promote healthy growth, and keep styles sharp—think of them like pruning a plant or routine dental checkups for your hair!

Shampoo & Condition

Use sulfate-free and paraben-free products to protect your hair and color.

Recommended brands: OYA, Milk_Shake, Trissola & More

Shampoo Tips:

- Wash hair twice:
 - o First wash removes oil & buildup.
 - O Second wash cleans the scalp and lathers more.
- Use cool to lukewarm water to avoid dryness and color fading.

Conditioning Tips:

- Focus on mid-lengths and ends.
- Leave on for 2–3 minutes, then rinse thoroughly.

Weekly Hair Treatments

Hydrate, strengthen, and preserve your color—especially in dry climates like Arizona.

Use a mask weekly or bi-weekly.

- Apply to shampooed hair, leave for **3–5 minutes**, rinse well.
- Salon deep conditioning treatments available monthly.
- Try: OYA Treatment, Trissola Hydrating Mask, or add OYA Elixir to your shampoo/conditioner for extra repair.

Drying & Styling Tips

Drying:

- Air dry or use a microfiber towel/cotton t-shirt.
- Avoid rough towel drying—it causes frizz and breakage.

Leave-In Conditioner:

- Restores hydration post-shower.
- Helps with detangling, frizz, shine & styling.
- Apply to damp or dry hair, comb through.

Heat Styling:

- Always use a heat **protectant** (like **OYA Shield**).
- Keep tools at 300-360°F.
- Use different products for **roots**, **mids**, **and ends** depending on hair needs.

Sun & Environmental Protection

Sun Damage:

- Use leave-in products daily to protect from UV and dryness.
- Look for ingredients like Hydrolyzed Silk and Provitamin B5.

Swimming:

- Wet hair & apply leave-in conditioner before swimming.
- Rinse hair after and use a gentle clarifying shampoo like OYA Clarity.

Bonus Care Tips

- **Shampoo Frequency:** Skip daily washing to reduce color fading. Use **dry shampoo** between washes for oil control and volume.
- For Blondes: Hard water may cause brassiness—use a color-correcting shampoo once a week.
- Brushing: Detangle before washing, and avoid brushing when dry (unless styling).