

→ Botox Treatment Care Instructions

(Pre- and Post-Procedure Guidelines)

Before Your Botox Appointment

#### 1-2 Weeks Before

- □ Avoid blood-thinning medications/supplements (aspirin, ibuprofen, fish oil, vitamin E, ginkgo, etc.) unless prescribed.
- $\square$  Do not schedule dental work or vaccinations within 1 week of treatment.
- $\square$  Inform your provider if pregnant, breastfeeding, or with neurological conditions.

# 3-5 Days Before

- ☐ Stop alcohol consumption.
- $\square$  Avoid strenuous exercise 24 hours before treatment.
- $\square$  Skip facials, peels, or laser treatments in the treatment area.

## **Day of Treatment**

- ☐ Arrive with clean skin (no makeup, lotions, sunscreen).
- $\square$  Eat a light meal beforehand.
- $\square$  Bring a list of current medications.
- After Your Botox Appointment

## First 4-6 Hours

- □ Stay upright; avoid lying down or bending forward.
- $\square$  Do not touch, rub, or apply makeup to treated areas.
- Avoid strenuous exercise.

#### First 24 Hours

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• ☐ Skip facials, massages, saunas, hot tubs, tanning beds.
<ul> <li>■ Mild redness or swelling is normal.</li> </ul>
First Week
• ☐ Bruising may occur; use cold compress gently if needed.
• ☐ Results appear in 3–7 days, full effect at 2 weeks.
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⚠ When to Contact Us
Call the clinic immediately if you experience:
Severe pain or headache
Vision changes
Difficulty swallowing or breathing
Significant swelling or allergic reaction
→ Follow-Up
• ☐ Schedule a follow-up in 2 weeks to assess results.
• ☐ Botox typically lasts 3–4 months; regular treatments maintain results.