



Is Laser Tattoo Removal painful?

There is some discomfort, which is often compared to the snap of a rubber band on the skin. A topical numbing agent will be applied before the procedure to mitigate any pain and ensure you are as comfortable as possible.

Will the treatment leave scars?

The chance of scarring is minimal provided you follow your after-care instructions religiously. However, there are some circumstances that may increase the chance of scarring, such as poor circulation, dark skin tone, immune system deficiencies, the use of Accutaine, some health conditions, and a history of keloids. Before undertaking the procedure, these contraindications are discussed with patients so that they can make an informed decision about proceeding with the treatment.

How many treatments will I need?

Typically it takes 4 – 9 treatments to remove a professionally applied tattoo. The number of treatments will depend on the amount and type of ink used, as well as the depth of the ink, size of the tattoo, its age, colors and location.

What type of after care is necessary?

A healing ointment and bandage will be applied to the area. The treated site should be kept clean and dry the day of treatment and sun exposure is should be avoided. A shower can be taken the next day, but the treatment site must not be scrubbed. To promote healing, avoid swimming, hot tubs, and do not apply any pressure to the site.