AFTERCARE

- NOTE: Everyone's skin heals differently and most clients develop patchy areas or the appearance of fading after the first treatment. It is important to understand that this is a two part process and the second touch up treatment will complete the procedure and, after healing, you will see the finished result.

-- Healing time is a standard 7-10 days; brows will appear dark & thick after treatment; after 7 days brows will become 40% lighter and 10-15% thinner.

DAY 1: Apply a very THIN layer of ointment every two hours until you go to bed, clean with damp cotton round and warm water and apply new layer. Do not apply new layer without cleaning your brows with damp cotton pad. If you see any lymph (clear liquid) coming out of your brows, please wipe it away and apply ointment.

DAY 2-7: Apply a very THIN layer of ointment 3-5 times a day to keep them moist.

DAY 7-14: New skin forming causes the area to appear lighter at first during this period of time. In this time, your brows may peel, flake and feel itchy. DO NOT SCRATCH OR PICK - it may cause scarring! You may think they even disappeared altogether - please don't panic (this is due to the new skin forming over the scabbed area). The color will emerge again. Week 4 is where natural exfoliation has happened and the true color emerges.

1st WEEK AFTER PROCEDURE:

no water, makeup, lotions/cleansers
no heavy or strenous activity/sweating
no exfoliation/scrubbing
no picking/scratching
no sun/tanning beds
no swimming
no sauna/steam rooms
no hot tubs
no dyes or tinting
no shaving, waxing, tweezing
no hair removal
no sleeping on your face

FOR 4-8 WEEKS AFTER PROCEDURE:
no botox or fillers
no sun/tanning
no facials/peels
no exfoliation/scrubbing
no direct sun/tanning beds
no electrolysis/hair removal
no smoking

IMPORTANT: After the procedure, the area treated will be darker and more intense: this is normal. This will last a few days until the skin heals and peels and naturally exfoliates and the true color emerges. In the first week as the tiny scabs form in order to heal, they may look even darker/thicker due to some minor swelling. The 2nd and 3rd week after the procedure, you may think they even disappeared altogether(this is due to the new skin forming over the scabbed area). Week 4 is where natural exfoliation has happened and the true color emerges. Only you may notice the change. It will look like you had your eyebrows tinted that day (which looks darker initially). Other people may notice ‘something’ is different , but they are unlikely to identify the source of the difference. The brows may also appear thicker than you might like, however, this settles as this minor swelling recedes and the hair stroke will shorten as a result.

NOTE: GLADYS BROWS STUDIO does not have control over your body's healing process (healing is specific to each individual) but do expect that some residual swelling is normal for all procedures. The area may appear uneven, dry, itchy, tender, red & irritated. This is all 100% normal. DO NOT PICK. These symptoms will dissipate each day and vary on an individual basis. Color WILL fade/soften anywhere from 40% to 60%. At the touch up faded areas will be fine tuned. It is also important to realize that you will need a color boost every 1-2 years after the touch-up to maintain it's fresh natural appearance. You may need to powder and/or pencil even after the healed results. Remember, this is an enhancement to your natural brows not a permanent one.