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INFORMED CONSENT INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing Advanced Dermatology for your cosmetic skincare treatments. We value the opportunity to consult you on your aesthetic concerns and desires in the effort to promote healthy youthful skin.

Cosmetic treatments (injectable and laser, light or other energy-based therapy) are procedures that have both benefits and risks that need to be considered. A series of documents called Informed Consents have been prepared for you by Advanced Dermatology, LLC to help you make an informed decision. Informed Consent documents are used to communicate information about treatments, along with disclosure of risk and alternative treatment(s). It is important that you read these documents carefully and completely. ***Only when you have no questions or concerns do you initial each page, indicating that you have read and fully understand all the items it discusses. When you arrive at the end of the document, please sign the consent for the procedure. If you have any remaining questions or concerns, do not sign the consent until getting these questions answered by Dr. Taub, one of her staff members or Advanced Dermatology's Cosmetic Coordinator at 847-459-6400.***

FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILTY: All cosmetic, injectable and laser, light or other energy-based treatments are considered a cosmetic procedure and therefore not covered by insurance. We will not submit these treatments to your insurance and require that you pay at the time of service. You will receive Financial Protocols for each treatment that is recommended for you that are valid for 90 days from the date of our recommendation. Should the price change after 90 days you would be responsible for any increase in cost.

WHO WILL PERFORM MY TREATMENTS: We have a variety of highly skilled providers for each of our services. Amy Taub, MD, Anne Marie Leger, MD, Monika Kaniszewska, MD, Emily Oehler, PA-C, Steven Prus, PA-C, Ann Cameron Schieber, PA-C, Jessica Dooley, PA-C, Elana Block MSN, RN, Alla Molchanov, Lic. Cosm., Emily Jamieson, Lic. Esth. (LE), Rachel Walker, LE, Nicole McNellis, LE, Alyssa Conner, LE, and Brittany Hartnett, Lisc. Cosm. all perform cosmetic treatments at Advanced Dermatology. All providers at Advanced Dermatology have been specifically trained by Dr. Taub and are all licensed professionals in the state of Illinois. Dr. Taub reviews and approves every treatment performed at Advanced Dermatology. Dr. Taub is a board-certified dermatologist with over 20 years in practice and is Medical Director and Founder of Advanced Dermatology. We have taken great measures to ensure that your treatment is performed safely and effectively. We attend national meetings frequently to keep updated on the latest, best and safest techniques and remain at the forefront of cosmetic dermatology.

DISCLAIMER: What your Physician, Physician Assistant, Nurse, Laser Provider, Esthetician, Cosmetologist, and/or Cosmetic Coordinator have discussed with you and included again in these documents are the material risks, both common and uncommon, that they feel a reasonable person would want to know, understand, and consider in deciding if this treatment is something they would like to proceed with. Some risks cannot be foreseen. It is important that you read the information contained in each consent document and have all your questions answered before signing the consent. Questions and concerns can be answered in the office through a consultation appointment or by calling 847-459-6400.

Isolaz™ Deep Pore Therapy & SonoPeel™: INFORMED CONSENT BOOKLET

INTRODUCTION: The Isolaz™ Deep Pore Lazr Therapy (formerly known as the PPx Pore-Cleansing ACNE Treatment™) helps clear acne while helping to cleanse your pores. The treatment combines two technologies, a SonoPeel™ and the Isolaz™ Deep Pore Lazr Therapy. The SonoPeel™ uses ultrasonic energy and gentle cavitational forces to remove the dead, scaly outer layer of the skin, called the stratum corneum. This step prepares the skin for the following laser treatment. The Isolaz™ Deep Pore Lazr Therapy is a gentle vacuum with therapeutic broadband light to help rid your skin of excess oil, clogged oil glands and bacteria that cause acne. The Isolaz™ System is FDA approved to treat many different kinds of acne including pustular and comedonal. This treatment may be done alone or in combination with other acne therapies.

ALTERNATIVE TREATMENT: Alternative treatments for acne include (but are not limited to) oral and topical antibiotics, topical retinoids and comedolytics, Isotretinoin (Accutane), Photodynamic Therapy, other laser or light based therapies, chemical peels, and facials.

WHO IS A GOOD CANDIDATE: Patients with mild to moderate acne are good candidates for the Isolaz™ Deep Pore Lazr Therapy and SonoPeel™.

WHO IS NOT A GOOD CANDIDATE: If you are pregnant, have been on Isotretinoin (Accutane) within 3 months, or have an active cold sore you should not have this procedure. If you are taking aspirin or blood thinners, you may experience some bruising that can

take up to 2 weeks to resolve. If you are tanned or have recently been exposed to the sun in the area you are having treated, you may be more susceptible to potential side effects such as blisters or burns and/or your treatment may need to be reduced in intensity or postponed until the tan fades. If you have severe acne you may benefit from Photodynamic Therapy treatments instead.

RISKS: Every medical procedure involves a certain amount of risk and it is important that you understand the risks involved in Isolaz™ Deep Pore Lazr Therapy and SonoPeel™.

DISCOMFORT: Some patients do experience mild, but tolerable, discomfort during the SonoPeel™ and the Isolaz™ Deep Pore Lazr Therapy. You will feel a gentle pull on the skin from the vacuum and a small burst of heat that is very tolerable from the light. No topical anesthetic is necessary.

REDNESS: The treatment area may be slightly red for a short period after the treatment. You may use make-up immediately after treatment if desired.

BRUISING: Because of the vacuum, bruising can occur, although uncommon. The risk increases if you take aspirin products or are on blood thinners. Bruises are temporary and resolve in 1-2 weeks.

SKIN WOUND, INFECTION, AND SCARRING: An open or closed skin wound may occur. Any unexpected wound, pain, redness or pus should be reported to your treatment provider promptly and may need additional treatment. Skin wounds may lead to permanent scarring, even if treated. Infection is possible with inflammation, heating or opening of the skin. Infections may lead to permanent scarring, even if treated.

HYPOPIGMENTATION AND HYPERPIGMENTATION: Changes in the pigmentation (too little or too much) of the skin may occur after treatment. Any change in color of the skin that is not expected should be reported to your treatment provider and may need additional treatment. Pigmentation changes may become permanent, even with additional treatment.

EYE DAMAGE: All lasers are dangerous to the eye. Proper eye protection is required and will be provided with all laser treatments. Failure to use proper eye protection can lead to permanent eye damage, including blindness.

MULTIPLE TREATMENTS AND MAINTENANCE TREATMENTS: Although benefit is seen with one treatment, we recommend a treatment series for optimal results. Usually 4-8 treatments are performed at 1-2 week intervals. Maintenance treatments will be required to maintain the results every 1-3 months.

PATIENT SATISFACTION: Most of our patients/clients have been happy with their results, although results are variable and we cannot provide you with any guarantee of your results.

POST TREATMENT CARE: Follow the instructions given to you by your provider and on the post-op info sheet. Failure to do so may result in sub-optimal results or side effects such as listed above.

Do not touch the equipment while in the room. Laser equipment is dangerous and a misfire could cause skin or eye damage that is permanent.

CONSENT FOR PROCEDURE

I have read all pages contained in this document and hereby authorize the following provider(s): Amy Taub, MD, Anne Marie Leger, MD, Monika Kaniszewska, MD, Emily Oehler, PA-C, Steven Prus, PA-C, Ann Cameron Schieber, PA-C, Jessica Dooley, PA-C, Elana Block MSN, RN, Alla Molchanov, Lic. Cosm., Emily Jamieson, Lic. Esth. (LE), Rachel Walker, LE, Nicole McNellis, LE, Alyssa Conner, LE, and Brittany Hartnett, Lisc. Cosm. to perform the following procedure: **Isolaz™ Deep Pore Lazr Therapy & SonoPeel™**

I recognize that during the course of the procedure unforeseen conditions may necessitate different procedures than those described above. I therefore authorize the provider(s) to perform such other procedures that are in the exercise of his or her professional judgment necessary and desirable.

I acknowledge that no guarantee has been given by anyone as to the results that may be obtained.

I consent to photographic use for medical, scientific, and/or educational purposes for the appropriate portions of the face and/or body.

For purposes of advancing medical education, I consent to the admittance of observers to the procedure.

IT HAS BEEN EXPLAINED TO ME IN A WAY THAT I UNDERSTAND:
THE ABOVE PROCEDURE TO BE UNDERTAKEN
THERE MAY BE ALTERNATIVE PROCEDURES OR METHODS OF TREATMENT
THERE ARE RISKS TO THE PROCEDURE PROPOSED
ANY QUESTIONS I MAY HAVE ASKED HAVE BEEN ANSWERED TO MY SATISFACTION

I consent to the procedure and the above listed items. I am satisfied with the explanation.

My Physician discussed my procedure, I understand the risks and benefits of the procedure have read the consent form I understand and I received a copy. I agree.

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