



CONSENT-TRUSCULPT ID OR 3D

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truSculpt Consent 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 RESPONSIBILITY: 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 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, 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.

TruSculpt 3D or iD Tissue Tightening and Fat Reduction: INFORMED CONSET BOOKLET

INTRODUCTION: Light and radiofrequency energy can be used to heat the deeper layers of the skin while protecting the surface skin which activates fibroblasts signaling new collagen to form and existing collagen to tighten over time. The benefits of tissue tightening are skin lifting and tightening without invasive treatments such as surgery, and without down time.

ALTERNATIVE TREATMENT: Alternatives to truSculpt iD/3D or tissue tightening lasers to improve skin laxity and fat reduction include doctor-dispensed cosmeceutical creams, other body shapong technologies, other laser and light therapies, and body surgery.

WHO IS A GOOD CANDIDATE: Anyone who is looking for firming or tightening of their skin and to treat textural irregularities and wrinkles and that understands the risks, costs and time necessary to achieve the full benefit of the procedure and who has realistic expectations of the ultimate outcome.

WHO IS NOT A GOOD CANDIDATE: You should not have treatment with any of the devices if you are pregnant or have been on Accutane within the past 3 months. You should not have treatment with TruSculpt if you have a pacemaker or internal defibrillator, but you may have treatment with Titan™. You should not have treatment with TruSculpt if you have any metal implants. If you are diabetic, or have an autoimmune disease, you should advise us prior to treatment, as there is a higher risk of side effects or lack of results. Patients with a history of HSV (cold sores) may have a flare after a treatment. We can prescribe prophylactic medication prior to treatment.

RISKS: Every medical procedure involves a certain amount of risk and it is important that you understand the risks involved in Tissue Tightening.

DISCOMFORT: The discomfort with each device may be described as a deep heating sensation. If you want to take pain medication, you may take 400 mg of acetaminophen (Tylenol) and 600 mg of ibuprofen 1 hour before the treatment begins. Regardless, the discomfort is usually experienced during the procedure itself and you should not be in any pain when you leave.

REDNESS, BLANCHING, AND SWELLING: Short-term immediate risks include prolonged redness at the area being treated, although usually this dissipates before you leave the office or within a couple of hours. Swelling can also occur and could last for 3-7 days. In some rare instances, swelling and/or redness have lasted several weeks. The treatment area may also become temporarily white (blanching) following treatment. Blanching typically resolves within 24 hours.

BRUISING: Bruising is uncommon, although the risk increases if you take aspirin products or are on blood thinning medications/supplements. 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 Provider and may need additional treatment. Pigmentation changes may become permanent, even with additional treatment.

ALTERED SENSATION-NUMBNESS: Temporary numbness may occur, but is rare. There is a very low incidence of focal, transient altered sensation following a treatment. Symptoms have been described as numbness, tingling or temporary paralysis. These symptoms have dissipated over the course of time without consequence.

SURFACE IRREGULARITIES-LUMPS: Firm edemic areas may infrequently develop in the treated area 24-72 hours following treatment, and typically resolve without intervention over several weeks.

MULTIPLE TREATMENTS AND MAINTENANCE TREATMENTS: Depending on how each individual responds, we recommend 2 treatments (6 weeks apart). Most patients will notice gradual results anywhere from 2 weeks to 3 months. Maintenance is recommended every 6-12 mos.

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.: **truSculpt iD or 3D**

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

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.