



spiderveinremoval

SPIDER VEIN REMOVAL CANNOT BE PERFORMED IF YOU

- Are pregnant or breastfeeding
- Had sun exposure, use of a tanning bed, or spray tan within 2 weeks prior to treatment
- Applied photo-sensitizing topical medications or taken oral photo-sensitizing medications
- Have used Accutane® in the past 6 months
- Have active infection, HSV (1&2), or open lesions in the treatment area
- Are diabetic or have poor circulation or healing

PRE

- **Avoid sun exposure** and tanning beds for 2 weeks prior to treatment. Ensure any residual self-tanner is exfoliated at least a week before treatment
- Discontinue any photosensitizing medications, like antibiotics (if able), for 2 weeks prior to treatment
- Your provider may ask you to stop certain skin care products, like retinol, for 3-5 days prior
- Avoid exercise or strenuous activity for 1-2 hours before treatment
- Arrive with clean and dry skin: free of lotions, creams, or deodorant in the treatment area

POST

- Immediately after treatment, there may be erythema (redness) and edema (swelling) at the treatment site. The treated area will feel like a sunburn or tender for a few hours after treatment. **Do not scratch** or pick at the treated area—use cool compress or soothing serum as needed
- **Avoid sun exposure** for a minimum of 1 week after treatment and use SPF throughout the course of your treatments
- Avoid hot showers/baths, excessive heat, or strenuous exercise for 48 hours
- If legs were treated: elevate your legs to decrease discomfort, especially when large areas are treated
- Compression stockings may or may not be recommended by your provider
- Your individual vein(s) may appear bruised or darker red following treatment. This discoloration will fade over the next few weeks. You may begin to notice clearance over 8-12 weeks after treatment

Remember: the closer to your heart, the quicker the healing. Some vascular lesions may heal and resolve quicker than others. Larger lesions may need more sessions

For any questions, please contact us at (512)608-1213 or info@preferredlaser.com.
We are always here for you!