

# Permanent Eyeliner Aftercare

## What Can I Expect After the Eyeliner Tattoo Procedure?

Upon finishing the procedure, you will be instructed to clean the tattoo area frequently in the first 24 hours in order to remove the lymph. Otherwise, the lymph will turn to scabs, which can affect pigment retention. **Lymph drainage is totally normal and expected** after any permanent makeup procedure.

The basic aftercare instructions are:

- Don't get your eyeliner tattoo wet for the next 7-10 days. This does not mean you shouldn't clean the area, only that you should protect the area during showers, and avoid swimming, saunas, steam baths, and activities that cause excessive sweating.
- Don't use make-up on or near the area for 7-10 days, until your skin is completely healed. You'll need to remove the makeup, and harsh cleansers and rubbing can affect pigment retention.
- Don't touch, rub or pick any of the scabs or dry skin that you might see on your eyelids. Everyone's skin is different, so the amount of scabbing varies.
- Don't sleep on your face.
- Don't get any facials, peels, Botox or fillers for at least 4 weeks.

There is no actual downtime after the treatment, so you can carry on with your day, but don't be surprised if you experience some swelling and redness.