



HAIR TRANSPLANTATION POST-OPERATIVE CALENDAR

	Day of Surgery	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6	Day 7	Day 8	Day 9	Day 10
Prednisone	4 tablets, one dose with food	4 tablets, one dose with food	4 tablets, one dose with food								
Antibiotic Cephalexin or Antibiotic Z-Pack	one tablet PM	one tablet AM one tablet PM	one tablet AM one tablet PM	one tablet AM one tablet PM	one tablet AM one tablet PM	one tablet AM					
	2 tablets	1 tablet	1 tablet	1 tablet	1 tablet	1 tablet					
Tylenol # 3 / Hydrocodone (only if needed)	1-2 tablets every 4-6 hours with food	1-2 tablets every 4-6 hours with food	1-2 tablets every 4-6 hours with food								
Ice Packs	20 minutes every 2 hours while awake	20 minutes every 2 hours while awake	20 minutes every 2 hours while awake	20 minutes every 2 hours while awake	Switch to hot compress if still swollen	continue hot compress if still swollen	continue hot compress if still swollen	continue hot compress if still swollen	continue hot compress if still swollen	continue hot compress if still swollen	
Massage	3-4 mins after icing	3-4 mins after icing	3-4 mins after icing	3-4 mins after icing	only if still swollen	only if still swollen	only if still swollen	only if still swollen	only if still swollen		
45-Degree Sleep	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes							
Shampoo		cup wash	cup wash	cup wash	cup wash	cup wash	conditioner for 10 mins before shower, then shampoo as normal	conditioner for 10 mins before shower, then shampoo as normal	conditioner for 10 mins before shower, then shampoo as normal	conditioner for 10 mins before shower, then shampoo as normal	conditioner for 10 mins before shower, then shampoo as normal
*Bacitracin Ointment (after shower)	applied at the office	thin coat on donor area	thin coat on donor area	thin coat on donor area	thin coat on donor area	thin coat on donor area	thin coat on donor area	thin coat on donor area	thin coat on donor area	Stop if you had sutures, continue if you had FUE	Stop if you had sutures, continue if you
Folican Enhancement DAY Spray		2-3 sprays every hour while awake	2-3 sprays every hour while awake	2-3 sprays every hour while awake	2-3 sprays every hour while awake	2-3 sprays every hour while awake	2-3 sprays every hour while awake	2-3 sprays every hour while awake			
Folican Enhancement NIGHT Spray		2-3 sprays at bedtime	2-3 sprays at bedtime	2-3 sprays at bedtime	2-3 sprays at bedtime	2-3 sprays at bedtime	2-3 sprays at bedtime	2-3 sprays at bedtime			
Clothing Attire	Button-down shirt	Button-down shirt	Button-down shirt	Button-down shirt	Button-down shirt	Button-down shirt					

May use the following after the recommended time

Hot tub: 6 weeks
Helmet: 3 weeks (FUE)
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Hats: 3 days
Hair pieces: 2 weeks (clip-in only, no glue)
Hair cuts: 2 weeks

Sauna: 4 weeks
Hair dye: 4-6 weeks
Ocean: 3 weeks with the use of protection to grafted area (scalp) for 3 months
Swimming (Chlorine): 4 weeks with the use of protection to grafted area (scalp) for 3 months
Tanning bed: 4/6 weeks- 3 months (Protect scalp until 3 months)
Natural tanning (Sunlight): 3 months

Suture Removal Appointment: _____
 Continue Bacitracin Ointment for 14 days **(FUE ONLY)**