**Chemical Peel**

***The Peeling Company attaches great importance to informing its customers. We believe that achieving a good result also depends on good information. The purpose of the information below is to inform you about our chemical peeling treatment. If there are any questions, we would be happy to hear them.***

**What is a chemical peel?**

A peel contains natural acids such as Glycolic acid, Lactic acid or Salicylic acid that peels off damaged cells.

This brings out the fresh and young skin cells. As we age, our natural cell division decreases, leaving our dead skin cells on the skin longer. A chemical peeling greatly reduces wrinkles, imperfections, sun damage and acne scars.

**Is a chemical peeling suitable for me?**

People with good overall health, realistic expectations and a healthy skin tone are suitable candidates for undergoing a chemical peel. A chemical peel can be applied to the following skin conditions: Fine lines and / or wrinkles, pale and / or dull skin, coarse pore structure, clogged pores and / or inflammations / smoker's skin / sun-damaged skin / acne / acne scars / pigmentation spots / pregnancy mask / age spots / dark skin colors / all skin types (fat / normal / dry).

**When should a peel not be performed?**

If you have one of the following conditions, unfortunately we can not perform a peeling for safety reasons. Active Herpes infections (cold sores) - Skin damage, such as: eczema, psoriasis - pregnancy - sunburned skin - use of skin-thinning medication (level 2 or 3 peel), - use hydrocortisone (level 2 or 3 peel)- hormone treatments (only in consultation with the treating physician).

**Before the treatment:**

Before the first chemical peeling treatment takes place, an intake interview always takes place first. During this meeting, we will discuss all personal details with you. Afterwards, the treatment itself, your expectations, possible results and possible contraindications will be discussed in detail. After approval, photos of your face are taken with the skin scanner Skin Observ, with the aim of determining our starting point with regard to the result to be achieved. If you are sensitive to cold sores, it is advisable to take the L-Lysine dietary supplement 7 days before the peel to reduce the risk of an outbreak.

**How does the treatment work?**

Our treatments are divided into three different levels: level 1 (superficial) to level three (deep). After the intake interview, it is determined which peeling best suits your needs and skin condition. Which substance is chosen for the treatment and in which concentration depends in part on the desired result. All treatments are carried out with professional Dermalogica products. Only with a level 2 and 3 peeling, Image IPeel is used in addition to Dermalogica. To achieve a higher concentration of acids

**Do I experience discomfort during treatment?**

During a chemical peel you can experience a warm or burning sensation from level 2. The higher the level, the more these symptoms can emerge. If you experience a burning sensation, we have a hand fan if necessary. This significantly reduces the burning sensation. Most customers tolerate the treatment very well.

**What can I expect immediately after a treatment?**

Depending on the depth of the peeling and the genetic predisposition of my skin, I will be able to experience the following complications to a greater or lesser extent. Any complications or problems after treatment are almost always of a temporary nature.

* The skin may feel dry and taut the first week after a peeling. (Level1/ 2/3/4)
* The skin may start to rupture lightly after 2 to 3 days. (Level 3/4, rare cases level 2)
* The skin may start to feel red, irritated or burning. (Level 3/4, in some cases level 2)
* The skin may become slightly more restless the first week after the treatment. (Level 2/3/4)
* A previously occurring herpes infection (cold sore) may occur again as a result of the treatment.

**Do I have to use certain products after the treatment?**

To achieve the best result, we provide an adjusted home advice after the treatment. We advise you to follow this product advice at home. Important here is the daily use of daylight protection (at least SPF 30). The product advice for home is part of our service with the aim to improve your skin. It is important to know that our advice does not oblige you to do anything.

**When will the results become visible?**

You will probably notice improvements in the structure and appearance of your skin immediately after the first treatment. The higher the level, the more visible the result is. For optimal results, however, it is recommended to apply the treatment in a treatment context. Depending on the purpose of the course, the number of treatments can be determined. In general, most people see results after 3 to 4 treatments. We do want to emphasize that results depend on various factors. The most important factors for achieving results are; type of skin problem, regenerative capacity of the skin, use of the right skin care products (including daily protection against daylight of at least spf30). We will always do our very best to treat your skin in an expert and honest way to improve the skin. However, we can never guarantee results. Note; If the skin is very dry or you have undergone a TCA peeling more often, it may be that the skin will peel less. This does not mean that the peeling does not work. The degree of flaking, therefore, says nothing about the effectiveness.

**Is the treatment reimbursed by my health insurer?**

Our skin therapists are registered with the Dutch Association of Skin Therapists and the Quality Register for Paramedics. For various indications, such as acne or acne scars, reimbursement is possible in some cases. This differs per health insurer and per policy. Inquire about this with your health insurer.

**Prices:**

Level 1:

30 minutes €49,-(only face)

45 minutes €69,- (without epilation/ short massage)

60 minutes €89,- (incl. epilation eyebrows and massage)

Level 2:

 30 minutes €79,-(only face)

45 minutes €99,- (without epilation/ short massage)

60 minutes €119,- (incl. epilation eyebrows and massage)

Level 3: (TCA 7%)

 30 minutes €139,-

Level 4: (TCA 15%)

 30 minutes €179,-

 30 minutes €199,- (Pain reduce)

In combination with microdermabrasion €159,

In combination with microneedling €199,-

**Note:**

* Are you coming for the first time? Then we always plan 30 minutes extra for an intake including skin scan.
* For safety reasons, our treatments are only performed in combination with an intake.

**Treatments can also be scheduled online via our website.**

**For more information visit www.thepeelingcompany.com**