



Injection - Botulinum Toxin / Filler

Procedure Information Sheet

Introduction

Botulinum Toxin / Filler are non-surgical procedure with temporary effects.

Indications

- Facial wrinkles
- Masseteric hypertrophy
- Axillary and palm hyperhidrosis
- Facial volume restoration
- Calf reduction
- Platysmal bands

Before the Operation / Procedure

- 1. Local anaesthesia may be required.
- 2. Multiple treatments are usually required for improvement and total clearance may not be possible.
- 3. Clinical results vary and there is no guarantee to the final outcome of the treatment.
- 4. Recurrence is possible.
- 5. Photographs will be taken before and after the procedure.

After the Operation / Procedure

- 1. Pain, bruising and swelling are common around the injection sites after the procedure.
- 2. Routine skin care products and makeup may be used immediately after the procedure.

Risks and Complications

- 1. General complications: Redness, swelling, bruising, infection, under-correction, over-correction, asymmetry, allergy reaction.
- 2. Botulinum Toxin: Flu-like symptoms, dizziness, headache, muscle weakness, double vision, eyelid ptosis, eye-brow ptosis, dry eyes. The effectiveness of botulinum toxin may diminish with repeated uses.
- 3. Fillers: Lumpiness, skin necrosis, blindness.

Disclaimer

This leaflet only provides general information pertaining to this operation / procedure. While common risks and complications are described, the list is not exhaustive, and the degree of risk could also vary between patients. Please contact your doctor for detailed information and specific enquiry.

Reference

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