

LASER HAIR REMOVAL AND ELECTROLYSIS

SPA AND SALON SAFETY CHECKLIST



- The spa/salon is inspected by York Region Public Health
- A green Proof of Public Health Inspection sign is posted at the spa/salon
- The service provider is knowledgeable and experienced in the service they are providing
- The service provider washes their hands before and after service
- The service provider wears disposable gloves on both hands during the service, and cleans hands immediately after taking off gloves
- Clean sheets, towels, robes etc. are used for each client. Paper liners are thrown out after each use
- Protective eyewear is provided to the client by the service provider
- Electrolysis needles must be single-use, sterile, with lot number and expiry dates
- Needles must never be reused
- The following list of items are used on one client only, then thrown away
 - Disposable razors
 - Electrolysis electrodes and sponge covers (if used)
 - Electrolysis needles
 - Paper (used to cover the client table)
 - Plastic sheaths (used to cover cords, control panels, etc.)
 - Single-use applicators
 - Single-use PPE (gloves, masks, gowns, eye protection)
- The following list of items are cleaned and disinfected between each client
 - Cord and control panel that comes in contact with the client's skin or is handled by the worker
 - Laser exterior power switches/touch screen/cables
 - Laser heads, tips and wands
 - Magnifying glass and arm/reusable magnifying goggles handled by worker
 - Rigid containers used to hold dirty equipment until reprocessing (at end of day)
 - Service trays
 - Tables, chairs, beds
 - Tweezers used to remove hair
 - UV eye goggles that are approved for multiple client use



After the service, review the aftercare instructions with the service provider and follow the directions provided. If you see any signs of infection within 24 hours, seek medical attention.

You do not have to see blood on instruments to get an infection.

REMEMBER!

Serious infections can be spread during service if these safety practices are not followed.


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