



Save Face

Botulinum Toxin Consent Form (Upper Face)

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Patient Name:

Date of Birth:

Botulinum Toxin Informed Consent (Upper Face)

Aim of Treatment: The aim of this treatment is to significantly reduce the movement of the muscles causing expression lines, thus improving the appearance of such lines. This clinic uses Botox (Botulinum Toxin)

Motivations and Expectations

Alternative Treatments I have been Advised I may Consider; Acceptance of Present Condition

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Common Side Effects Associated with the Injections Include;

- Pain or stinging sensation when the injection is performed.
- Localised swelling, redness, tenderness
- Bleeding at the sites of injection
- Bruising
- Numbness or itching of the area following injection.
- Headache

The above usually resolve spontaneously within hours or days, but may persist for longer.

- Asymmetry of expression - Perfect symmetry may not be achievable; that caused by the treatment, can often be corrected at your review appointment.

Common side effects associated with treatment with botulinum toxin to the upper face.

1%-10% risk

- Eye lid ptosis (a drooping or heaviness of the eyelid, one or both), brow ptosis (heaviness and or lowering of the brow).
- Facial pain

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Uncommon Side effects

0.1-1% risk

- Swelling/ puffiness around the eyes
- Nausea
- Anxiety
- Dry mouth
- Altered skin sensation, muscle twitching or spasm in the treated area
- Eye pain, dry eyes, tearing, sensitivity to light, blurred vision, strabismus
- Flu like symptoms
- Itching or dry skin
- Muscles not targeted may be effected
- Infection

Also reported

- Fever
- Tinnitus, vertigo
- Alopecia
- Rash

**This list is not exhaustive, you may ask for a copy of the patient information leaflet in the pack, or check the Summary of Product Characteristics on-line.*

Any adverse reactions usually occur within a few days of treatment. Botulinum toxin effects are not reversible. They are expected to be temporary in nature and usually resolve spontaneously within weeks. Rarely, symptoms may persist for several months.

The treatment of the brow, and any area other than frown or crows feet with botulinum toxin are not a licensed indications BOTOX The product manufacturer has no liability should a complication arise, when this medicine is used for indications that have not been licensed.

Expected Outcome

Successful treatment should prevent or significantly reduce the expressions causing the lines. Treatment may not cause the expression lines themselves to disappear completely. The expression may not be completely frozen, particularly if extreme effort is exerted to make any expression. Any decision to increase the dose, or repeat treatment, will be made at the discretion of the practitioner, informed by safety and best practice.

Material Information

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- I understand that though complications are uncommon, they do sometimes occur. It is possible that side effects not described may occur and indeed that a complication not previously reported may occur for the first time.
- I understand if I suffer any adverse reactions that are not expected, or concern me, I must contact the clinic. An appointment will be made for me to be seen. The clinic cannot take responsibility for complications or results that have not been reported, assessed, documented and managed in a timely fashion.
- I understand that whilst results desired and expected have been discussed, outcomes vary between individuals and cannot be guaranteed.
- I confirm that the medical health history form has been completed truthfully and I am fully aware that withholding medical information, including history of previous treatment, may be detrimental to the safe and optimal outcome of any treatment administered. If there are any changes in my medical history, I must inform the practitioner.
- I confirm that I have been provided with verbal and written information about this treatment which includes aftercare and follow up advice.
- I agree to follow the aftercare advice and understand this reduces risk of adverse reactions and helps ensure optimum results.
- I understand information about me will be treated as confidential and access to it restricted in accordance with the Data Protection Act, unless specific permissions given.
- I consent to my medical records being shared with appropriate medical professionals
- I understand photographs are taken as part of my medical record.

**On occasion it is helpful to share visual images of our own treatment results.
I consent to photographs being published for;**

- Educational and training purposes with medical professionals
- Educational purposes with selected patients during consultation
- Educational/promotional purposes in the clinics portfolio viewed by selected members of the public
- Educational/promotional purposes on the clinic website
- Educational purposes for selected public events
- I understand that no fee is payable to me or any other person in respect of the material either now or at any time in the future.

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I confirm that the purpose for which the material would be used has been explained to me in terms which I have understood.

I have taken the time to read;

- Botulinum Toxin Consent Form
- Treatment Information Botulinum Toxin
- Clinic Terms and Conditions

I accept the clinic terms and conditions. I am satisfied treatment with botulinum toxin has been explained comprehensively and that the possible risks and side effects associated with the treatment have been fully discussed and understood. I have taken sufficient time to process and consider the information provided and any questions I had have been answered to my satisfaction, before making a decision to proceed with the agreed treatment plan.

I have been advised the cost of the treatment will be £.....and accept the terms of payment as per the clinic policy (terms and conditions).

Patients Signature: _____ Print Name: _____ Date: _____

Practitioners Signature: _____ Print Name: _____ Date: _____