ACID PRODUCT INJECTIONS (Restylane, Perlane, Hylaform, Juvaderm, Prevelle, Hydrelle etc.)

A PURPOSE AND BACKGROUND

The purpose of this information is to make you aware of the nature of the procedure and its risks in advance so that you can decide whether or not to go forward with the procedure.

B PROCEDURE

- 1. This product is administered via a syringe, or injection, into the areas of the face to be filled to reduce wrinkles, folds, depressions and irregularities in contour.
- 2. Numbing medicine by injection or cream may be used to reduce discomfort of the injection.
- 3. Multiple injections might be made depending on the site, depth of the wrinkle, and technique used.
- 4. If the treated area is swollen directly after the injection, ice may be applied on the site.
- 5. After the first treatment, additional injections may be necessary to achieve the desired level of correction and then to continue it.

C RISKS

1. Although a very thin needle is used, common injection-related reactions can occur. These include: initial swelling, pain, itching, discoloration, bruising or tenderness at the injection site. These are usually minor. You could experience increased bruising or bleeding at the injection site if you are using substances that reduce blood clotting such as aspirin or other non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs such as

ADVIL..ALEVE..ALKASELTZER..ANACIN..ANSAID..ASCRIPTIN..
ASPIRIN...BUFFERIN..CHERACOL..COPE..COMPOUND..CORICIDIN..COU
MADIN..DARVON..DAY-PRO..DOLOBID..DRISTAN..EMPIRIN..
EXCEDRIN..FIORINAL..FELDENE..INCODIN..LOVENOX...MEDIPREN..
MIDOL. MOTRIN..NAPROSYN..NUPRIN..ORUDIS..PERCODAN..
PLAVIX...SINEAID..SINE..OFF..STENDIN..TRIAMINICIN..VANQUISH..
VITAMIN E. AVOID THESE PRODUCTS 10 DAYS PRIOR TO
INJECTIONS.

*****YOU MAY TAKE TYLENOL*****

- 2. Some visible or palpable lumps may occur temporarily following the injection. This is common; if a lump persists more than a month it can be dissolved with hyaluronidase injections (Wydase).
- 3. As with all injections, this procedure carries the risk of infection. The syringe is sterile and standard precautions associated with injectable materials have been taken, so this is extremely uncommon.
- 4. The risk of a delayed allergic reaction (hypersensitivity) is about 1 in 5000 injections and this is treatable.

The nature and purpose of this procedure, with possible alternative methods of treatment as well as complications, have been fully explained to your satisfaction.

I have read this informed consent and certify that I understand its contents in full. I hereby give my consent to this procedure and have been asked to sign this form after my discussion with the physician.

PATIENT SIGNATURE:		
PHYSICIAN SIGNATURE:	*	
DATE:		

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