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HEALING INSTRUCTIONS FOR YOUR NEW TATTOO

**The First Day**- Upon completion of your tattoo, it will be wrapped with a covering which you will leave on for one (1) hour.

\*After one (1) hour you will remove the covering and gently but thoroughly wash your tattoo with a clean washcloth and antibacterial soap. BE SURE to wash it well and remove any remaining fluids, Vasoline, or other debris. After rinsing the soap off of your tattoo, pat it dry and LEAVE IT ALONE FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE DAY. (During this time your tattoo needs to air out and start naturally healing.) YOU WILL NOT PUT ANYTHING ON THE TATTOO DURING THIS TIME.

**The Second Day**- You will start applying a small amount of Lubriderm Unscented Lotion (the one with the light blue cap) twice (2 times) a day for the next two (2) weeks. Be sure when applying lotion that you spread it across fingers before applying so you don’t over-saturate and can spread evenly across your tattoo.

\*For the remainder of your healing process DO NOT EXPOSE TATTOO TO DIRECT SUNLIGHT OR SOAK TATTOO(swimming, hot tubs, bathtubs) DO NOT SLEEP ON YOUR TATTOO, DO NOT LET WATER BEAT DIRECTLY ON IT IN THE SHOWER and make sure to be careful of CHAFFING/RUBBING against clothing, sheets, and accessories.

DO NOT SCRATCH OR PICK AT YOUR TATTOO during the healing process. Itchiness is natural and is something that you must tolerate. IF THE SCAB COMES OFF PREMATURELY, THE INK WILL COME OFF WITH IT. (Avoid this by not allowing your scab to become too dry and cracking or by over-moisturizing it and causing the scab to become gooey and come off)

\*Free touch ups are given with all tattoos (within 30 days of original tattoo) if all directions have been followed and damage is minimal. If you have additional questions please call the number at the top of this page.