Microblading

FAQ

**What exactly is Microblading?**

Microblading is a natural way to get the eyebrows you want. It is a procedure that delivers semi-permanent results. Microblading produces trompe l’œil-like eyebrows that look just like real hairs.

**How is Microblading different from eyebrow tattooing?**

In microblading, the aesthetician uses a pen filled with pigment to draw in the eyebrows rather than a mechanical device injecting dye, which cannot offer such fine strokes.

**How is Microblading done?**

Microblading uses a special hand tool to deposit pigment in an artistic method that simulates hair strokes in the brow.

**What can I expect from Microblading?**

Microblading, done by our talented microblading artist, can deliver beautiful, artfully drawn eyebrows that don’t need to be recreated every day! You can save so much time – and look your best every single day!

**How long does the actual Microblading procedure take?**

The first procedure should take about 2 to 3 hours. Believe it or not, much of that time is spent just on planning the microblading procedure, deciding on the shape and color of the brow, and other details. If the planning is done properly, the actual procedure takes about an hour.

**How long will eyebrows last with Microblading?**

A properly done microblading generally lasts between 3 to 5 years, depending on the color of the skin, hair, the pigment that best matches your hair, as well as the creams and cleansers used.

**Is the Microblading procedure painful?**

Before the microblading procedure begins, a topical numbing cream is applied to the area to minimize discomfort, followed by a liquid anesthetic. You might feel a slight discomfort during the microblading procedure, but it is almost painless.

**Are there side effects?**

Like any medical or cosmetic procedure, everyone has a risk of reaction. Allergic reactions or rash caused by the pigment or anesthetic is uncommon, but possible. If the area is not cared for properly, following the procedure, infection or scarring is also a slight risk.

**When will I see results?**

The results are immediate. Although it does take 5-7 days for the initial healing process, followed by 30 days for the pigment to fully incorporate.

**Am I a good candidate for microblading?**

Busy, active women who want to save time on their brows are great candidates. Women who have trouble filling their brows or experience hair loss or thinning are also perfect candidates. Individuals with dry, normal to combination skin types make excellent candidates. The brow strokes will show up very crisp and clear. Women with oil to severely oily skin could experience softer lines, as that skin type is not as ideal for the process.

**Will my brows fade?**

There will be slight fading, after 3-6 weeks of healing, the color you see is most likely the color it will remain. Touch ups or color boosts are recommended over time. Individuals with oily skin will most likely need touchups more frequently.

**Are there different color options?**

Of course! Each client receives a custom experience… from brow shape, hair growth pattern, to coloring. The color is based on your natural (or preferred hair color) and can easily be altered to an appropriate shade.

**Do I need to schedule time off work?**

It’s really not necessary. There is no down time following the procedure, but you tenderness and swelling are common on the day following the procedure.

**Is the procedure and pigment safe?**

Yes. It has been proven safe through time. Tattooing has been done for hundreds of years. Microblading techniques have been popular in Asia for the past 30 years and has been practiced in the U.S. for nearly 15 years. It is becoming more accessible and common.