



## *Permanent Cosmetics by Donna Furr*

### **Approximate Healing Schedules - What You Can Expect, Day by Day...**

**NOTE:** Permanent makeup procedures are affected by the canvas (your skin) that they are performed on. If your skin is sun damaged (even from tanning beds), thick and uneven in texture, or excessively dry or oily, the result cannot be expected to be perfect after the initial procedure. Scars on the lips from fever blisters cause pigment removal. Lifestyle, medications, smoking, metabolism, facial surgery, and age of skin all contribute to fading. Touchups are needed 30 days after your initial procedure to ensure the best result and to keep your permanent cosmetics looking the best. Your procedure maintenance, as outlined in your pre-post procedure directions, is very important.

#### **EYEBROWS**



- Day 1 The eyebrows are approximately 20 to 25% darker and bolder in width than they will be when healed. Your skin is red under the pigment which causes the color of the pigment to appear darker. There is some swelling, although difficult to actually see due to the thickness of the skin in the eyebrow area. This will subside. Exfoliation, which begins in a few days, will cause the excess pigment surrounding the eyebrow procedure to flake away and a more narrow appearance will result. Now skin will heal over the pigmented area and result in a softer appearance of your eyebrows. Don't be concerned that your eyebrows initially appear darker and heavier in size than you desire. This is all part of the process.
- Day 2 Conditions remain the same.
- Day 3 Eyebrows start to itch and will appear a bit thicker in texture. Exfoliation begins.
- Day 4 The skin begins to flake - peeling from the outside edges first.
- Day 5 Color finishes flaking off and appears softer and grayer for a few days until color clarifies.

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