

# **Eyeliner Tattoo: Healing Stages & Aftercare**

## **Healing Stages**

### **Day 1-3:**

Eyeliner looks great, though your lids may feel sore and swollen.

### **Day 3-5:**

Eyeliner appears very dark, then begins to scab, flake, and may feel extremely itchy.

### **Day 5-8:**

Flaking continues and the color begins to fade. *Do not pick the scabs.*

### **Day 8-12:**

Flaking gradually stops and the color will begin returning.

### **Day 12-21:**

Color should appear more even, soft, and natural.

### **Day 21-30:**

Skin is fully healed. Eyeliner should look soft, defined, and settled.

## **Aftercare Instructions**

### **DO:**

- Gently dab the area until oozing stops during the first 24 hours.
- Keep your eye area clean and avoid direct water contact for the first 10 days.
- Wash gently with mild soap and pat dry or air dry; no washcloths or scrubbers.
- Apply your recommended ointment for the first week – a rice sized amount is enough.

### **AVOID:**

- Rubbing, picking, scratching, or pulling at flaking skin.
- Swimming, soaking, steam rooms, direct water contact, or sauna use until fully healed.
- Applying makeup or serums, working out heavily or sweating a lot until scabbing has naturally fallen off.
- Direct sunlight or tanning while the brows are healing.
- Facial treatments, Botox, eyelash chemical treatments or extensions, or microdermabrasion for 4 weeks.

**Please contact your artist with any questions or concerns!**

**Enjoy your new eyeliner!**