

Background



Parisian Peel®
MEDICAL MICRODERMABRASION

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A Gentler, Affordable Alternative for Skin Renewal

We all start life with baby-soft skin. But over time our skin begins to lose its smooth, fresh appearance due to exposure to the sun and the inevitable process of aging. The resultant “age spots,” blemishes, and fine lines and wrinkles on the skin affect how we view ourselves and how others view us — regardless of how young we feel inside.

Until now, our choices for restoring the skin’s youthful appearance have been limited. Two common methods used over the past ten years—chemical peels and laser resurfacing—can cause substantial discomfort, may even require anesthesia, and typically involve a long recovery time after treatment. Moreover, these complicated chemical and laser treatments are too expensive for many people to consider.

Now, a new approach to skin rejuvenation is available called the Parisian Peel® Medical-Microdermabrasion skin renewal process. Microdermabrasion is a non-chemical, non-surgical alternative that can treat the superficial effects of aging, sun exposure and injury with minimal discomfort and no side effects. Treatment is quick (approx. 30 minutes), and patients can return immediately to their daily schedule afterwards. And because it’s so simple, Microdermabrasion is more affordable than chemical or laser treatments.

Microdermabrasion works by gently buffing away the outer layer of the skin. Using a precision handpiece, the operator of the Parisian Peel® system directs a stream of very fine crystals and mild suction exactly where needed on the patient’s skin.

The gentle abrasive action of the crystals combines with the suction to remove the dead outer layer while bringing the smoother, softer under layer of skin to the surface. The sensation experienced during treatment has been described by some patients as similar to a “very small vacuum cleaner sweeping across the skin.”

The Parisian Peel® Medical Microdermabrasion System has been used successfully since 1992 by European professionals. In the United States, dermatologists, plastic and surgeons, and other physicians are using it to successfully treat superficial damage caused by aging, sun exposure or trauma on all colors of skin. Treatable conditions include fine lines and wrinkles, “age spots,” acne scars and unwanted pigmentation.

Certain conditions are not appropriate for treatment using the Parisian Peel® System. These conditions include malignant cutaneous tumors, certain keratoses, evolving dermatosis, and use with the drug Accutane®.

Typically, a Parisian Peel® treatment is administered in the physician’s office in approx. 30 minutes. Five to ten treatments may be required to achieve the best results, depending on the skin type and condition. Because there are no side effects, there is no limit to the number of treatments a patient can receive.

Aesthetic Technologies of Golden, Colorado, is the exclusive manufacturer of Parisian Peel® Medical Microdermabrasion skin renewal products. For more information, please call Parisian Peel Customer service at 800-262-4412; or visit www.parisianpeel.com.