

## LightWave Informed Consent

Name	Date of Birth	/	/	Gender: M / F
Street			·	
Address				
City:	State			
Zip	Phone: ()	-		
Family Doctor:	Phone numb	er:		

May we contact you in the future for specials and promotions? Yes No

Before undergoing LIGHTWAVE<sup>™</sup> therapy, you must complete this section. Light therapy is not for everyone. Specific medications or conditions can cause a person to develop sensitivity to light. The following questions are intended to help determine if light therapy is the best choice of treatment for you.

#### Please read the following questions and circle YES OR NO.

#### Have you ever had any of the following conditions:

Acute or Cutaneous Porphyria	YES	NO		
Photophobia	YES	NO		
Epilepsy and Seizures	YES	NO		
Hypomelanism (albinism)	YES	NO		
If you answered yes to any of the above conditions, then you are not a candidate for light therapy treatments due to the immense amount of pulsing and continuous light being administered.				
Skin Cancer	YES	NO		
Eye disease/retinal abnormalities	YES	NO		
Migraines	YES	NO		
Diabetes	YES	NO		
If you answered yes to any of the above conditions, then it is highly recommended you consult with your physician before commencing light therapy.				



Are you currently pregnant or planning to become pregnant in the next eight weeks? YES / NO *If you answered yes, then you are not a candidate for light therapy.* 

Do you have any contagious or infectious conditions? YES / NO

Are you currently taking, or have you taken any antibiotics in the past 7 days? YES / NO

Do you take aspirin products, anti-inflammatory medicines, or headache medicines? YES / NO *If yes, which one(s)?* 

Patients who frequently use anti-inflammatory and aspirin products often require more treatments to achieve desired results.

Please list all previous surgeries and dates:

Are there any other conditions we should be made aware of? If yes, please explain:

Please check off any cosmetic treatments you have had in the past 2 weeks:

Facial PeelsInjectablesMicrocurrent facialMicrodermabrasionOxygen facialsLaser Resurfacing

\_\_\_\_\_ Pulse Dye \_\_\_\_\_ Laser Hair Removal \_\_\_\_\_ IPL (Intense Pulse Light)

\_\_\_\_\_ Tattoo Removal \_\_\_\_\_ ALA (aminolaevulinic acid)

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any cosmetic treatments you have had in the past five years:

Were you satisfied with your results? Why or why not?

What areas or problems concern you the most?



Please carefully look over the following list of medications and check off any you have taken in the past 7 days. These medications have been known to cause light sensitivity and it is recommended that you suspend the medications for 5-7 days before undergoing light therapy. Please be sure to check with your doctor before discontinuing any prescribed medications.

Anti-Arrhythmic	Amiodarone (Pacerone® Cordarone® Aratac®)		
	<b>Chlorpromazine</b> (Thorazine®, Chloramead®, Chlordryprom®, Chlor® Promanyl®, Largactil®, Promapar®, Promosol®, Terpium®, Sonazine®)		
Acne	Oral Isotretinoin (Accutane®, Accure®, Aknenormin®,         Amnesteem®, Ciscutan®, Claravis®, Isohexal®, Isotroin®,         Oratane®, Sotret®, Roaccutane®)         Topical Isotretinoin (Isotrex®, Isotrexin®)		
Anti-Psychotic	Haloperidol (Haldol®)         Trifluoperazine (Stelazine®, Clnazine®, Novoflurazine®, Pentazine®, Solazine®, Terfluzine®, Triflurin®, Tripazine®)		
Anti-Fungal	Griseofulvin (Grifulvin®)		
Antibiotics	<ul> <li>Tetracycline (Helidac®, Terra Cortril®, Terramycin®, Sumycin®, Actisite®, Bristacycline®, Actisite®, Tetrex®, Doxycycline®, Ciprofloxacin®)</li> <li>Norfloxacin (Noroxin®, Quinabic®, Janacin®)</li> <li>Ofloxacin (Floxin®, Oxaldin®, Tarivid®)</li> <li>Nalidixic acid (NegGam®, Wintomylon®)</li> <li>Ciprofloxacin (Cipro®, Ciproxin®, Ciprobay®)</li> <li>Minocycline (Minomycin®, Minocin®, Arestin®, Akamin®, Aknemin®, Solodyn®, Dynacin®, Sebomin®)</li> <li>Oxytetracycline</li> <li>Demeclocycline</li> <li>Lymecycline</li> </ul>		
Cancer	Methotrexate (MTX®, Aminopterin®, Ledertrexate®)		
Arthritis	Auranofin (Ridaura®)-If a patient is taking this medication, they are not a candidate for light therapy.		

The above drugs are currently the most common medications associated with photosensitivity and are by no means a complete list of all photosensitive medications. Herbs and over the counter medications such as psoralen and St. John's Wort can also cause sensitivity to light, so it is important to disclose all medications or herbs you are currently taking.

Please list any additional medications <u>NOT</u> listed above you may currently be taking or have taken in the past 7 days.



## **Pre-Treatment Skin Assessment**

# The following questions are designed to help us assess the current condition of your skin and identify your skin type.

Do vou currently smoke?	_ How much and how often?
	How long did you smoke for?
	How much and how often?
	Do you exercise regularly?
	gular basis?
Do you currently utilize tanning beds or sun	bathe on a regular basis?
Do you wear sunscreen regularly?	
If yes, please specify which sunscreen for wh	ich area and the SPF factor:
Eyes	
Face and Neck	
Body	
Do you currently use professional skincare p	
If yes, please specify which products for whi	ch area:
Eyes	
Face and Neck	
Other:	

#### Circle the choice that best describes your skin.

**TYPE I-** Overly sensitive, always burns, never tans.

Example: Red hair with freckles

**TYPE II-** Very sun sensitive skin, burns easily, tans with difficulty.

Example: Fair skinned, fair-haired Caucasians

TYPE III- Sun sensitive skin, sometimes burns, slowly tans to light brown.

Example: Darker Caucasians.

**TYPE IV-** Minimal sun sensitivity, occasionally burns, always tans to moderate brown. Example:

Mediterranean.

**TYPE V-** No sun sensitivity, rarely burns, tans well.

Example: Asian, Hispanic, and Arabic

**TYPE VI-** No sun sensitivity, never burns and tans with ease, deeply pigmented. Example: Darker Blacks.



# **Consent for LIGHTWAVE™ Therapy**

I \_\_\_\_\_\_, consent to and authorize Damn Near Perfect Laser and Skin Spa to perform LIGHTWAVE™ treatments on me. The purposes of these treatments are for

LIGHTWAVE<sup>™</sup> Therapy is a non-ablative procedure which utilizes Light Emitting Diode (LED) technology to treat a variety of skin imperfections such as fine lines and wrinkles, scarring, blemishes, uneven skin tone and texture, and stretch marks. The LIGHTWAVE<sup>™</sup> treatment is a gentle and natural treatment much like the process of photosynthesis, also known as photo-bio-stimulation ("...the stimulation of life processes with light..."). The LIGHTWAVE<sup>™</sup> system may use visible red (red light), blue (blue light) and infrared (invisible light) energy to stimulate your body's own regenerative metabolism at the cellular level. By stimulating the body's tissues to convert light energy into cellular energy (ATP), a LIGHTWAVE<sup>™</sup> treatment provides energy that your cells can use to:

- accelerate the production of collagen and elastin
- increase cellular permeability, allowing for increased cellular nutrient intake
- increase the removal of excess fluid and waste products from the cells
- increase the production of macrophage (scavenger) cells for the removal of toxins and scar tissue
- increase lymphatic drainage
- increase vascularization (blood flow) to the surface of the skin

## **Risks and Side Effects**

LIGHTWAVE<sup>™</sup> treatments are non-invasive and are intended not to produce any thermal damage or pain. Even though appropriate measures are taken to reduce side effects, they cannot be eliminated in every case. It is important to notify the treatment facility if you have any problems or concerns such as uncomfortable heat from the pad or panel, prolonged redness of the skin, swelling, itching or severe headaches during or after the treatment. These are all indications of sensitivity to light in which case you would want to discontinue the treatment immediately. These side effects rarely occur and usually subside within 24 hours of discontinuing the treatment. It is also important to notify the treatment facility if any conditions to your medical history change such as becoming pregnant or diagnosis of a medical condition. To prevent any eye sensitivity or damage, protective eyewear is to be worn during all treatment sessions. I understand the treatment may involve risks of complication or injury from both known and unknown causes, and I freely assume these risks. Alternative treatment choices are available. I am choosing this non-invasive treatment option.



## **Pre/Post Treatment Instructions**

It is important that the treated area be cleaned to remove all moisturizers and creams prior to starting any treatment session. To maximize your treatment, you must drink at least 8 oz. of water before and after all treatment sessions, practice healthy eating habits, limit sunbathing, alcohol consumption, and smoking while undergoing your series of light therapy sessions and up to six weeks following your treatment. Most clients will continue to see a marked improvement in their skin over the 12-week treatment period even after the initial LED sessions have concluded. As with any cosmetic treatment, individual clinical results will vary from person to person and no guarantees can be made that expected or anticipated results will be achieved. I am aware that follow-up treatments may be necessary for desired results. Most patients require a number of treatment sessions over several weeks with gradual results occurring over time. I agree to adhere to all safety precautions and regulations during the treatment. No refunds will be given for treatments received. I have read and understand the Pre and Post Treatment Instructions. I agree to follow these instructions carefully. I understand that compliance with recommended pre and post procedure guidelines are critical in determining the effectiveness of the treatment sessions.

## Photographs

Due to the nature of the treatment, it is important to obtain before, during and after photographs to clearly document the results that are being achieved throughout the treatment period. I consent to the taking of clinical photography and its use for controlled purposes both in publication and presentations. I fully understand my identity will be protected.

The nature and purpose of the treatment has been explained to me. I have carefully read and understand this agreement and fully understand its contents. All my questions have been answered to my satisfaction and I consent to the terms of this agreement. Alternative methods of treatment have been explained to me and I understand that I have the right to refuse treatment. I am aware that this is a release of Liability, a waiver of legal rights and contracts between LTW International L.L.C Damn Near Perfect Laser and Skin Spa and the undersigned.

I release LTW International L.L.C, Damn Near Perfect Laser and Skin Spa, medical staff and technicians from liability associated with this procedure. I certify that I am a competent adult of at least 18 years of age and sign this at my own free will. This consent and waiver form is voluntarily executed and shall be binding upon my spouse, relatives, legal representatives, heirs, administrators, successor, and assigns.

Client Signature	_Date
Please print name	
Provider Signature	_Date