

Service Counterindication Guide

This chart is a general guide of common **skin medications**/treatments along with their form, that counterindicate waxing and/or permanent makeup. Medications/treatments targeting other health related issues may also counterindicate waxing. Even in the case of topical application on areas not to be waxed, there is a *possibility* of adverse reaction due to circulation through the blood stream. If skin suitability is a questions please inform your Esthetician **prior** to scheduling.

This chart is not a comprehensive list of counterindicators. There are skin conditions that could exist that counterindicate waxing/permanent makeup such as sunburn/tanned, chaffing, flaking, sore, exfoliated and/or otherwise injured.

It is in Best Practice for Guests to schedule appointments after treatment is completed (or in case of Eyebrow sessions request tweezing instead of waxing). The best amount of time can be 7 days to one year depending on the counterindicator. Ask your Physician for guidance.

Brand Name	Medication (Generic Name)	Typical Form
Accutane, Amnesteem, Claravis, Sotret	Isotretinoin	Pill
Armour	Thyroid hormone	Pill
Protopic	Tacrolimus	Pill
Efudex	Fluorouracil	Injection
Retin-A, Renova, Atralin	Tretinoin	Cream
Differin	Adapalene	Cream
Epiduo	Adapalene/ Benzoyl Peroxide	Cream
Tazorac, Avage	Tazarotene	Cream
Duac, Benzacilin	Benzoyl Peroxide/ Clindamycin	Cream
Ziana	Clindamycin/ Tretinoin	Cream
Acanya	Clindamycin/ Benzoyl Peroxide	Cream
Benzac, Panoxyl 5/10	Benzoyl Peroxide	Cream
Azelex, Finacea	Azelaic Acid	Cream
Aczone	Dapsone	Cream
Eldoquin, Epiquin, Lustra, Melanex	Hydroquinone	Cream
Solodyn, Myrac, Dynacin, Minocin	Minocycline	Antibiotic
Doryx, Vibramycin, Monpodox, Adoxa	Doxycycline	Antibiotic

Cleeravue-M, Tetracon, Declomycin	Tetracycline	Antibiotic
Erygel, Benzamycin, Erythrocin	Erythromycin	Antibiotic
Cleocin T, Clinda- Derm, Evoclin	Clindamycin	Antibiotic

Additional Notes:

Advise Esthetician of any discomfort during the service.

Prescription Cream: Medication should be stopped 7 days before waxing and should not be applied for 7 days after waxing.

Antibiotic Pill: Medication may cause sensitivity when waxing. Guest should make their Esthetician aware of any discomfort during service.

Over The Counter Skincare Products: Products are generally safe with waxing, but may include active ingredients that are counterindicative. Products used for exfoliation may cause adverse reactions.

Botox and Chemical Peels: Guests should wait at least 2 weeks after treatments to receive waxing services.

Radiation Therapy: Should consult with doctor before scheduling services.

Other Medications or Treatments: Should Consult with his or her doctor before scheduling services.

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