

RECOMMENDATIONS AFTER INFILTRATION



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FOLLOWING THE RECOMMENDATIONS AFTER THE PROCEDURE WILL ALLOW YOU TO RECOGNIZE SOME CHANGES THAT YOUR SKIN MAY PRESENT AFTER THE PROCEDURE, SUCH AS: pain, redness, swelling, changes in skin color, among others. Some of these changes occur early and others belatedly. We recommend that you consider the following:

Early changes

1. Pain and burning

After infiltration a sensation of pain or burning may occur. These symptoms can be controlled by taking acetaminophen 500 mg. Most patients report that this pain is temporary and not very intense.

2. Swelling or edema

Sometimes swelling or edema may appear secondary to the performance of the procedure or to the medicine applied. In addition, there may sometimes be bruising which will take approximately three weeks to resolve on its own.

3. Changes in skin color

Redness and swelling can usually occur in the area where the infiltration was performed. This redness lasts for a few days. However, on occasions, depending on the drug used for the infiltration, after the procedure the lesion treated or skin surrounding can look pale or whitish. Likewise, these changes in color usually last a few days.

Late changes

4. Healing and scarring

After an infiltration, depending on the drug applied, the healing processes may be modified, resulting in reduction of hypertrophic or keloid scars, thinning of the skin (atrophy) or reduction in the size of previous inflammatory lesions.

5. Changes in hair

Depending on the type of infiltration carried out, sometimes stimulation of hair growth can be observed in the treated area, or on the contrary, areas of atrophy (thinning of the skin) and alopecia (absence of hair).

6. Alarm signs

If days after the procedure, you have a fever (identified with a thermometer), chills, redness and heat at the wound site, or purulent material leakage, please contact us at the support doctor's cell phone: 323 225 1183 from Monday to Friday from 7:00 am at 6:00 p.m. and Saturdays from 8:00 a.m. at 1:00 p.m. In case you consider it to be an emergency, you should go to the nearest emergency service.

7. Monitoring and follow-up

Generally, the doctor who performed the infiltration will review it at a later appointment, taking into account that on some occasions, it is necessary to repeat the procedure, depending on the pathology to be treated.

Please report any adverse event, incident or complication, through any of the following:

- Directly with our staff.
- Supporting physician cell phone: 323 225 1183
- Calling the phone (604) 444 35 37 extensions 106 and 112.



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