

# **Micro-Needling Information**

The Dermaroller is a hand-applied medical device with 192 microneedles. This microneedling causes the skin to produce more collagen as a wound healing response, even though the tiny pricks of the microneedles are very small. Not only will the Dermaroller give you a more even skin texture, it is effective at minimizing acne scars and stretch marks.

# WHAT IS MICRO-NEEDLING?

Micro-needling is procedure that helps stimulate collagen which is minimally-invasive.

# WHAT DOES IT TREAT?

Both devices can reduce the appearance of scars caused by acne, surgery or burns. It also is used to fade stretch marks, fine line and deep wrinkles, evening skin tone and tightening sagging skin.

#### **HOW DOES IT WORK?**

This treatment works by stimulating collagen by damaging the tissue.

# **HOW MANY TREATMENTS ARE NEEDED?**

After a proper medical assessment, your medical professional will estimate the number of treatments needed. It may require 3-5 treatments to accomplish the goal. Following a treatment, as the skin cells regenerate and the entire process matures, it takes at least eight (8) weeks to observe the full effect from a single procedure.

#### **HOW LONG DOES THE PROCEDURE TAKE?**

Depending on the area it can take anywhere between 15-45 minutes for treatment.

# WHAT WILL I LOOK LIKE AFTER TREATMENT?

Immediately after your treatment you will look as though you have moderate sunburn and your skin may feel warm and tighter than usual. This will start to subside after 1 to 2 hours and will normally recover within the same day with only slight redness the following day.

#### WHAT IS THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN DERMAPEN & DERMAROLLER?

Dermapen is more precise and is better used for smaller areas the depth can also be deeper. Whereas the Dermaroller is better for larger areas such as abdomen, where precision is not required.