

Restylane® breathes new life into aging skin

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Restylane injections have been widely successful in re-establishing volume back into the face to create a more youthful, relaxed, confident look.

Though effects and treatment times vary depending on the patient's amount of volume loss and depth, width and length of the folds and creases, Restylane is easy to use by expert injectors and long lasting. Depending on where Restylane is injected, the effects can last years. The latest technique being used is called layering. Instead of just treating a wrinkle or a line, different products within the Restylane family (such as Perlane® or Restylane Fine Lines®) are

used to create the supporting structure under the wrinkle, and therefore bring back the volume which makes the wrinkle diminish.

Though it can be used to complement many different procedures - including Botox® and laser treatments such as resurfacing and IPL® [Photofacial] for sun damage - Restylane provides something that other treatments don't: Instead of changing your face it restores your natural beauty. Restylane isn't necessarily a replacement for other treatments, but another tool that can be used by specialists to keep skin looking young and vibrant. Like any treatment, people should always consult with specialists who have the knowledge and experience to ensure the best possible results every time.

To learn more about Restylane, visit the Oak Ridges Dermatology Centre today!

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A safe, natural formulation to long-lasting wrinkle correction.

Improve the resilience and youthful contours of your skin and its ability to counter the effects of gravity, time, wind and weather.

Give volume to the skin, shape to the eyes and elasticity to the joints.

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