## **FACIALS**

## Pre-Treatment

- Avoid excess sun exposure, including tanning beds for 1 week before treatment, and use SPF 30 or greater daily to ensure coverage against UVB and UVA rays.
- Do not use any type of exfoliants 3 days before treatment.
- Refrain from any chemical peels or lasers for 2 weeks prior.
- Discontinue use of Tretinoin type products (Renova, Tretinoin, Retin A, Retin A Micro, Tri-Luma, Solage, etc.) 7 days before treatment.
- Discontinue the use of any Isotretinoin products (such as Accutane) for 6 months before treatment unless you have clearance by a clinician.
- Discontinue use of Hydroquinone 2-3 days before treatment.
- If you have a history of cold sores, consider beginning prophylactic treatment with Valtrex or similar no later than the day of treatment.
- Notify the spa if you develop a cold sore, acne, open lesions in the area being treated, or experience any type of illness before your treatment.
- Wait 2 weeks after Botox and filler treatments to have a Facial treatment.

## Post Treatment

- Avoid any exfoliation to the area for 5-7 days days post-treatment.
- Gentle, hydrating and reparative products should be used the next 5-7 days
- Change out your pillow case
- To keep the area clean, avoid heat sources, including hot showers, saunas, and cardio workouts that may produce sweat for 24 hours.
- Please avoid washing your wash 6 hours after the hydrafacial. You may wash
  your face the following morning using the products recommended by your skin
  care professional.
- Please discuss continuing use of your regular regimen post-treatment.
- Do not use topical Retin-A for 5-7 days following treatment.
- Avoid unprotected sun exposure and/or use of tanning beds for at least 3 days post-treatment.
- Use sunscreen with SPF 30 or higher daily for 3-5 days post-treatment and every morning after.
- Makeup may be applied the day after treatment with clean make up brushes
- If your skin feels dry or begins to flake, apply moisturizer to the skin as needed.
- Purging is normal when exfoliating the skin, please avoid picking or popping small breakouts to avoid spreading bacteria, causing scarring or infection. This will subside.