

## **Consent For Laser Therapy**

**Patient** \_\_\_\_\_

*I am aware that laser treatments for **hair removal works differently for different people**. I understand the nature, goals, limitations and possible complications of this procedure. I have had the opportunity to ask questions about the procedure, it's limitations and possible complications (see below).*

***I clearly understand and accept the following:***

- 1. The goal of laser surgery, as in any cosmetic procedure is improvement, not perfection. I understand my result might not be perfect. In the case of Lasertrlysis, removing hair using a laser, the number of treatments necessary is dependent on several factors including skin color, tan and hair color. This is true of all laser procedures.*
- 2. There may be more treatments necessary than I anticipated.*
- 3. The laser has been shown that it can remove hair permanently or cause profound hair growth delay but results will definitely vary from person to person.*
- 4. The treatment fees have been discussed with me and I understand them. The fee at the time of service is for that procedure only and any post treatment visits, unless otherwise informed. There will be a charge for all subsequent procedures.*
- 5. There is not guarantee that the expected or anticipated results will be achieved.*

*The laser poses an acceptably low risk of complications. Tests and studies are ongoing Regarding laser-induced hair removal. Although complications seen to be infrequent Following laser hair removal or any laser treatment, I understand that the following side effects or complications may occur or are theoretically possible with a laser and could happen to me:*

- 1. Discomfort at the treatment site, with transient redness and possibly edema (swelling). The laser practitioner can relieve discomfort (if any) very quickly.*
- 2. Decrease or increase in pigmentation typically lasting 1-3 months.*
- 3. Loss of pigmented lesions such as freckles which may give the appearance of a loss of pigment.*
- 4. Activation of cold sores if you are prone to have them. Tell your laser practionier if working around an area that is suspect able to cold sores.*
- 5. Loss of pigment will occur if client has been in sun. Blue pigment may occur if client gets out in the sun to soon after laser treatment.*
- 6. Redness after treatment for about 30 minutes to up to two days could occur.*

***I have read and understood the above information and have had the opportunity to ask any questions regarding the procedure.***

**Client** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Witness** \_\_\_\_\_, **Laser Practitioner**