

ABOUT LASER

We are pleased to announce the addition of laser hair removal to our office. Virginia Flitter CPE, CLT has been an electrologist for over 30 years and a laser technician for more than 19 years. Her education for laser includes school in Naples, Florida and St. Louis, Missouri.

With Virginia's many years of experience as an electrologist she has taken that knowledge and applied it to her laser treatments. We have many clients who have had laser treatments elsewhere with poor results and after a treatment with Virginia, ask "What's the difference?"

First of all, Virginia is going to make sure you are a good candidate for the procedure. Your skin color and hair color are important and can make all the difference on whether or not you will have good results.

Laser treatments are done with a small instrument that is moved over the skin and emits small pulses of laser light beams. The light penetrates the skin and the dark pigment in the hair absorbs the laser light causing damage to the follicle and root. White, gray, blonde, red, or fine hair may not attract enough light to be effectively treated.

Hair grows in cycles, which makes numerous hair removal treatments necessary. Each follicle produces hair in three stages which occur at different times, in different follicles, in the same area. This growth varies also due to age, sex, medical situations and the area being treated. For effective treatment the hair needs to be in the hair follicle, therefore no tweezing or waxing should be done prior to hair removal treatments. Shaving or clipping is allowed.

What the laser can't treat, electrolysis can. For our clients with a combination of hair colors in the same area, we would start your treatments with laser and complete your treatments with electrolysis.

During your treatment with laser as well as electrolysis, you will feel some discomfort. If you don't, then the treatment is not being done properly. Tissue is being damaged during these treatments and the nerves surrounding the bottom of the hair follicle will respond.

Suntanned individuals need to wait until the tan has faded as the pigment in your skin may attract the laser light and have a negative effect.

Is laser hair removal right for you? Although laser has been deemed the new "Miracle" treatment for unwanted hair, results are varied. We hope this information has educated you so you are comfortable making your decision about hair removal treatments.

Whichever method you choose,

Electrology Associates is here to help you!

CALL US TODAY.....YOU'LL BE GLAD YOU DID!

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