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## **Consent for Botulinum Toxin Type A**

I am aware that when a small amount of purified Botulinum Toxin Type A (Botox, Dysport, Xeomin) is injected into a muscle it causes weakness or paralysis of that muscle. This appears in 3-4 days and usually lasts four months but can be shorter or longer.

*For example:* Frown lines between the eyebrows are due to contraction of a small muscle, corrugators beneath the inner part of each eyebrow. Injecting Botulinum Toxin Type A into this muscle will relax the muscle causing improvement or disappearance of the frown lines.

## **Results and Post treatment Care**

1. I understand that I will not be able to move the treated muscles while the injection is effective, but that this will reverse itself after a period of months, at this time re treatment is appropriate.
2. I am aware that satisfaction of the results, and outcome after the injection, may vary from one individual to another.
3. I understand that I must stay in the erect posture, and that I must not manipulate the area of the injection site for 2-4 hours post injection period.
4. A touch up with additional doses after two weeks may be required, if the desired effect is not achieved initially.

## **Risks and complications**

Botulinum Toxin Type A treatment of frown lines can cause minor temporary droop of one eyelid in approximately 2% of injections. This usually lasts 2-3 weeks. Occasional numbness of the forehead lasting 2-3 weeks, bruising, infection, minor bleeding and transient headache has occurred. In a very small number of individuals, the injection does not work as satisfactorily or for as long as desired.

## **Photographs**

I authorize the taking of clinical photographs and their use for scientific purposes both in publications and in presentations. I understand my identity will be protected. X\_\_\_\_\_

## **Pregnancy and Neurological Disease**

I am not aware that I am pregnant, nor that I have any significant neurological disease or known allergies. X\_\_\_\_\_

## **Payment**

I understand that this is a cosmetic procedure and that payment is my responsibility. I have read the above and understand it. The doctor or nurse has answered my questions satisfactorily. I accept the risks and complications of the procedure.

Client Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Client Name: \_\_\_\_\_