

Botox & Jeuveau

Wrinkle-relaxing neurotoxin treatment

What *it is*

Botox and Jeuveau are FDA-approved wrinkle relaxers. We place a very small amount into the specific muscles that crease your skin. As those muscles relax, the lines above them soften and your skin looks smoother and more rested.

The goal is a natural look. You should still look like you, and still be able to show expression.

Common *areas*

- ✓ Forehead lines
- ✓ Frown lines between the brows (the “11s”)
- ✓ Crow’s feet around the eyes
- ✓ Lip flip, bunny lines, and other small areas

Before your *visit*

- ✓ **Pause blood-thinning supplements and pain relievers for 7 days** if your doctor says it is safe: aspirin, ibuprofen (Advil, Motrin), naproxen (Aleve), fish oil, vitamin E, ginkgo, garlic pills, and St. John’s wort.
- ✓ **Never stop a prescribed blood thinner** (like warfarin, Eliquis, Xarelto, Plavix, or heart-protective aspirin) on your own.
- ✓ **Skip alcohol for 24 hours** before your visit. It raises the chance of bruising.
- ✓ **Plan around events.** Book at least 2 weeks before a wedding, photos, or a big trip.
- ✓ Eat a light meal or snack beforehand, and come with a clean face if you can.
- ✓ Acetaminophen (Tylenol) is fine for discomfort if you can normally take it.

AT A GLANCE

Appointment	About 20–30 minutes
First changes	3–5 days
Full result	About 2 weeks
Lasts	About 3–4 months
Downtime	Little to none
Pricing	Per unit, quoted at visit

Please tell us before treatment if you:

- ✓ are pregnant, trying to get pregnant, or breastfeeding
- ✓ have a nerve or muscle condition (such as myasthenia gravis, Lambert-Eaton, or ALS)
- ✓ have ever reacted to Botox, Jeuveau, Dysport, Xeomin, or Daxxify
- ✓ take muscle relaxers or certain antibiotics (like gentamicin)
- ✓ had neurotoxin anywhere in your body in the last 3 months
- ✓ get cold sores, or have a rash or infection where you are being treated

After your *visit*

- ✓ **Stay upright for 4 hours.** No lying down or napping during that time.
- ✓ **Do not rub, massage, or press** on the treated areas for 24 hours. That includes tight hats, headbands, and face-down massage tables.
- ✓ **Skip hard workouts, saunas, hot tubs, and tanning** for 24 hours.

What is normal

- ✓ Small raised bumps at the injection points that fade within an hour or so
- ✓ Mild redness, tenderness, or a small bruise that fades within a week
- ✓ A mild headache for a day or two. Acetaminophen (Tylenol) is fine for discomfort if you can normally take it.
- ✓ A heavy or tight feeling in the forehead for the first couple of weeks

- ✓ Gentle makeup is okay after 4 hours.
- ✓ Wait 2 weeks before facials, peels, microneedling, or laser in the treated area.
- ✓ Come back at 2 weeks if you would like a check. Small touch-ups are done then, not sooner.

Call us right away if you notice

- An eyelid or eyebrow that droops
- Double vision or blurry vision
- Weakness that spreads beyond the treated area
- A rash or hives

Call 911 for trouble breathing, swallowing, or speaking, or for swelling of the lips, tongue, or throat.

Common *questions*

Will I look frozen?

No. We use a measured dose to soften lines while keeping natural movement. It is easy to add a little more at your 2-week visit if you want it.

Botox or Jeuveau?

Both are the same type of neurotoxin and give similar results. We will recommend one based on your goals and history.

Does it hurt?

Most people feel a few quick pinches. A cold pack beforehand helps.

How often will I need it?

Most people come back every 3 to 4 months to keep their results.

Ready to *refresh*?
Start with a consultation.

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