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## Gift of Beauty

Since you're making a wonderful gift to yourself, it's important to establish your expectations. To do this, ask yourself the questions: "What do I like about myself? This is about enhancing you. "What do I want to enhance about this feature? How am I comfortable doing? How much do I want to spend?" Know exactly what you want before you begin the process.

### Ask more questions.

Then it's time to ask more questions before for the doctor you interview. Get the right professional talk to people who've had enhancements done. professional associations and website.

Be certain you're absolutely comfortable with the doctor. If they're something you don't want - time. Get all your questions answered.

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experienced cosmetic plastic surgeon. His recommendations were simple yet detailed. The before and after photos of other patients revealed the subtle effects she desired - a relaxed and relaxed look. She liked to mention, other clients she looks to emulate this.

### The doctor recommends

Botox® to soften the frowning and crow's feet and fill her eye bags. Restylane® gel filler for the lips and lip augmentation.

Botox® - Dr. DuPéré established the safety of Botox® with its medical history. In 1980 it was licensed as a safe and effective treatment for a number of disorders caused by overactive muscles including temporal migraines. And, for years it has been used to treat hyperhidrosis, axillary underarm sweating.

He explained that Botox® is a purified protein produced by the Clostridium botulinum bacterium and that in 2001, Health Canada approved Botox® for wrinkle therapy. Very low doses are injected with fine needles directly into the muscles. It takes about one week to work and lasts up to four months when treating wrinkles. Slight bruising could occur.

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Restylane® - A gel used to plump lips, smooth lips and wrinkles around the nose and mouth.

As skin ages it loses collagen, elastin and hyaluronic acid, resulting in thinner skin that

sags and forms wrinkles. We form hyaluronic acid in our bodies but less is created as we age. Restylane® is a Non-Animal Stabilized Hyaluronic Acid (NASHA™) the first stable, biodegradable, non-animal hyaluronic acid available.

Perlane®, a thicker gel particle is used to correct the deep folds between the nose and mouth and for the lip augmentation. Restylane® and Restylane Fine Lines™ to soften the vertical lines between her eyebrows as well as the lines around her mouth. The three types can be used together or individually. The only difference is the gel particle size.

After the injection the gel binds water and generally remains for many months. A non-stabilized hyaluronic acid product is different because it lasts only a few days to several weeks at most. Because of its natural modification, these molecules naturally integrate into the body's tissue. This allows nutrients such as oxygen and hormones to pass freely resulting in healthy skin and longer lasting results. The gel slowly breaks down without drinking. As its degraded acid molecule progressively binds more water, the amount the NASHA™ gel to maintain its volume until it's almost degraded. The non-animal product also means lesser risk of disease or allergic reaction.

Completely satisfied that both treatments were safe, with no healing or unnecessary downtime, within her budget and creating the results she desired, Angela booked her appointments.

### The procedures and results

The Botox® injections took 10-15 minutes. There was no pain or bruising afterwards. It took about four days to fully take effect.

The days later Angela had the Restylane® injections which took about 45 minutes.

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