



Common Questions About Lumenis IPL

What is IPL treatment like? Patients are given protective eyewear, and a cold gel is applied to the treatment area. The IPL handpiece delivers precise pulses of light that penetrate and correct skin imperfections. Most patients only experience slight discomfort. Treatment time varies from 10-30 minutes, and a complete treatment program includes 2-6 sessions spaced over 3- to 4-week intervals.

What preparations are required? No changes to your normal routine are necessary, except to limit sun exposure both before and after treatment.

What should I expect immediately after treatment? There may be a slight redness or blotchiness to the skin. This usually disappears after one hour. In most cases, makeup may be immediately reapplied if desired.

Who is an IPL candidate? Most people can be treated with IPL. Your practitioner will determine if IPL treatment is appropriate for you.

Where on the body can IPL be used? IPL can be used to treat any area of the body. The most common areas are the face, neck, chest, hands, and legs. Depending on your treatment plan, multiple areas can be treated in the same office visit.

Why do I need multiple treatments? Maximum benefit with minimal trauma is the goal of IPL. Multiple treatments ensure a successful outcome, along with gradual, natural-looking improvement. Depending on the treatment, results can last 6 to 12 months or more.

About Lumenis

Lumenis is a global leader of innovative laser and light technology. Trusted by thousands of doctors and millions of patients for proven, reliable aesthetic results, Lumenis has been renewing the beauty of skin since it introduced IPL nearly two decades ago.

For more information on IPL solutions for your skin concerns, please consult your physician or visit

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Restore. Rejuvenate.

Remove imperfections.

Lumenis IPL lets you have it all.



Lumenis

Intense Pulsed Light.

The safe, simple approach
to more beautiful skin.

Now you can address multiple areas and a wide range of skin concerns in a single procedure. Intense Pulsed Light™ (IPL) is a breakthrough treatment that addresses skin imperfections without injuring the skin surface. A safe, gentle, in-office procedure with virtually no downtime, Lumenis IPL uses controlled light in specific wavelengths on men and women desiring to remove spots, discolorations, unwanted blood vessels, and hair. Invented by Lumenis and FDA approved since 1995, IPL can be customized to your individual needs and skin type for maximum aesthetic results.

At last, you can have beautiful,
healthy, younger-looking skin
without the trauma of surgery,
chemical peels, or traditional laser
resurfacing.

Lumenis IPL

lets you have it all.

Lumenis IPL has been trusted
by millions of women and men
around the world as a successful
treatment for the following:

- Age Spots
- Sun Spots
- Freckles
- Birthmarks
- Rosacea
- Broken Capillaries
- Hair Removal
- Skin Rejuvenation /
Photofacial
- Melasma
- Veins / Unwanted
Blood Vessels

Lumenis IPL

Have it all, beautifully.

Ultimate freedom from age spots, sun spots, and freckles.

Whether from time, genetics, or environment, Lumenis IPL uses selectively directed light energy to reverse skin damage that appears as brown age spots or sun spots. IPL is extremely effective at fading both hereditary and sun-induced freckles. Unlike aggressive peels, lasers, or bleaching, IPL selectively targets darker-pigmented areas while leaving normal skin unaffected. After just a few treatments, even the most stubborn spots fade and disappear.



BEFORE | AFTER 3 IPL treatments
Courtesy of Dr. Mariela Nazar, Argentina

A safe, simple approach to birthmark removal.

IPL represents a new freedom from unwanted birthmarks that completely avoids the complications of traditional options like injected steroids, surgery or freezing. Lumenis birthmark treatment is highly effective, using laser and IPL to close off different-sized blood vessels at varying depths in the skin. Lumenis IPL is so low trauma, it is gentle enough for children. Complicated birthmarks can be treated with pinpoint accuracy, restoring an even skin tone quickly and with little discomfort.



BEFORE | AFTER 4 IPL treatments
Courtesy of Prof. Zhou Zhan Chao,
Institute of Dermatology of
China Academy of Medical Science

A safe, long-lasting solution to broken capillaries and rosacea.

Little red lines (broken capillaries) that appear on the nose and cheeks are commonly found in fair, thin-skinned people or as a result of environmental exposure to sun and wind. Broken capillaries, along with chronic redness and flushing, are also characteristic of individuals with facial rosacea. Lumenis IPL addresses both problems, eliminating broken capillaries and inflammation without disturbing healthy tissue or surrounding normal blood vessels, leaving clear, even-toned skin.



BEFORE | AFTER 4 IPL treatments
Courtesy of Dr. Mariela Nazar, Argentina

Hair removal that is completely customized.

Unwanted hair on the face, back, legs, bikini line, or any other body area has a simple and long-lasting solution. Lumenis IPL uses specific energy settings matched to your skin, hair type, and location to ensure treatments are uniquely tailored and extremely effective. Highly controlled light flashes are absorbed by hair follicles, damaging or destroying their regrowth potential without affecting surrounding skin.



BEFORE | AFTER 6 IPL treatments
Courtesy of Dr. Mariela Nazar, Argentina

Rejuvenation (photofacial) that renews skin both above and below the surface.

Lumenis IPL produces younger-looking skin by using light energy to repair damaged tissue in a process called photofacial. Imperfections created by sun exposure, such as pigmented spots and broken blood vessels, are noticeably improved after only a few treatments. In addition, IPL stimulates collagen growth in the deep dermal layers, helping to restore volume and elasticity to the skin's support system. Fine lines and wrinkles are diminished, pore size is reduced, and the dull skin that can come with age gains a brighter, more youthful appearance.



BEFORE | AFTER 3 IPL treatments
Courtesy of Dr. Mariela Nazar, Argentina

A better answer to melasma.

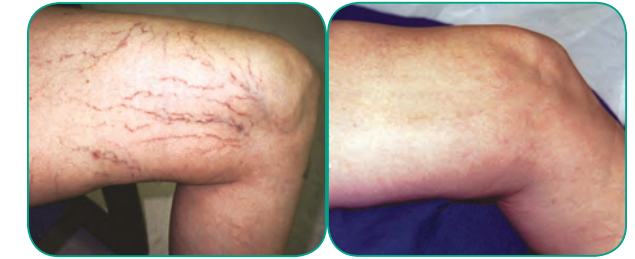
Triggered by sun exposure, genetics, and hormone changes, melasma is a condition that causes brown discoloration of the face. By delivering broadband light in highly focused pulses, Lumenis IPL specifically targets the darker-pigmented patches of skin, causing the discolored areas to fade without any damage to surrounding skin. IPL tends to work best in conjunction with your practitioner's recommendations for prescribed topical skin bleaching.



BEFORE | AFTER 2 IPL treatments
Courtesy of Dr. Mariela Nazar, Argentina

A better vein removal option.

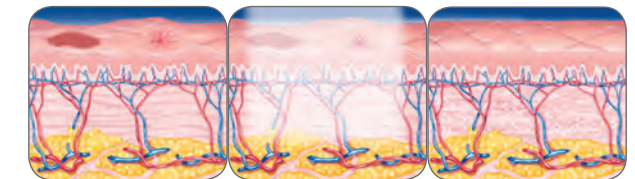
Lumenis IPL is successful in the removal of spider-like veins; networks of blue or red blood vessels. IPL uses precisely targeted pulses of light energy to destroy the abnormal dilated blood vessels, causing the unwanted veins to be reabsorbed by the body.



BEFORE | AFTER 4 IPL treatments
Courtesy of Ron Bush, MD. FACS, Dayton, Ohio

How Lumenis IPL works.

IPL delivers broadband light in highly focused pulses, customized to your skin type and the desired treatment. Each light pulse penetrates tissue and creates a controlled injury to the targeted area (unwanted veins, hair follicles, or melanin spots). Surrounding healthy skin and vessels are not affected. The body's natural processes then remove the treated tissue. Collagen stimulation occurs, and new cell growth in the deep, dermal layers results in a visible improvement of tone, texture and appearance.



Red blemishes from broken blood vessels and pigmented spots from sun damage respond to Intense Pulsed Light (IPL). The light is changed to heat energy as it reaches the level of the collagen beneath the skin surface.