ELECTROLYSIS AND LASER HAIR REMOVAL SERVICES

WHAT TO LOOK FOR AND ASK:

- You have the right to ask the Personal Service Worker (PSW) to explain how they clean and disinfect their equipment before the service begins.
- The business must have a sink with liquid soap and paper towels for the PSW to wash and dry their hands.
- The PSW must wash their hands before they touch you.
- A new pair of disposable gloves must be used during electrolysis or laser hair removal.
- Needles must be pre-packaged and sterile; and should be opened by the PSW in front of you. The needles are to be used only once, and then thrown out into a special container (sharps container).
- Before being pierced with a needle, your skin must first be disinfected using an antiseptic solution, such as 70% isopropyl alcohol or an iodine-based solution.
- Razor blades used for laser hair removal are to be used only once, and then thrown out into a sharps container.
- The tip of the hair removal laser must be cleaned and disinfected before it touches your skin.

SAFE HEALING:

- If the skin becomes painful, red or inflamed after electrolysis or laser hair removal, see a doctor.

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