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Ongoing Specials

TNS Tuesday

Receive a 30% discount on all TNS SkinMedica products the first Tuesday of every month.

Transformation Thursday

Receive a \$15 discount on each Obagi product the last Thursday of every month.

Wrinkle Free Friday

Receive 25% off your BOTOX® Cosmetic procedure every Friday. Spots are filling up quickly - call to schedule your appointment today.

NEW Jane Iredale Special

Receive a 25% discount on all Jane Iredale makeup the

Laser technology can help relieve rosacea

The amazing science behind laser technology has made it possible for patients suffering from many skin conditions to go beyond using oral or topical drugs to treat these oftentimes painful illnesses.

One of those skin conditions is rosacea. Patients with rosacea can relieve stinging, burning, flushed and bumpy skin by using laser technology to help even out skin tone and texture. This is because lasers have the unique ability to selectively target blood vessels without adversely affecting surrounding tissue.



Rosacea is a chronic inflammatory condition in which small capillaries of the face become dilated and inflamed. It is characterized by flare-ups and remissions, and most commonly occurs in people between the ages of 30 and 60-years old.

What are the causes of rosacea?

The exact cause of rosacea is unknown. There are many theories, including the presence of skin mites and/or bacteria; however, these have yet to be scientifically proven. The hope is that with ongoing research the causes will be isolated leading to advanced treatments. Currently, there is no known cure for rosacea.

What are the symptoms of rosacea?

Symptoms of rosacea can differ substantially from one individual to another. People with rosacea have an increased susceptibility to recurrent flushing reactions that may be provoked by hot or spicy foods, drinking alcohol, temperature extremes and emotional reactions. Many patients can also have persistent redness of the skin. Small bumps on the skin often mistaken for acne may also be present. Other secondary symptoms include eye irritation, burning or stinging, dry appearance, raised red patches (plaques), skin thickening and swelling.

Treatments

Lasers and Intense Pulsed Light (IPL) therapy are becoming

2nd Tuesday of the month.

Services

Laser Skin Rejuvenation

Laser Hair Removal

Laser Vein Therapy

Limelight

Skin Tightening

Botox Cosmetic

Radiesse Dermal Filler

Restylane Dermal Filler

Juvederm Injectable
Gel

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increasingly more popular to treat the symptoms of rosacea. While IPL can destroy the tiny microscopic vessels that cause diffuse redness of the face, lasers can coagulate the larger vessels, decrease redness, and improve skin tone and texture. It also stimulates new collagen growth to improve your skin's overall appearance.

Many providers will use a combination of laser therapy and other treatments to provide their patients with the best results. Rosacea can also be treated with lifestyle changes, topical medication or cosmeceuticals, and oral medication.

If you have been diagnosed with rosacea and would like to learn more about LASER , IPL and skin products specifically for rosacea, please [contact us](#) to schedule a consultation at 319-368-5566.

Save up to \$100 on laser vein therapy

Get a leg up on unsightly leg veins in 2010 by taking advantage of our March vein special.

Receive a \$50 discount off a single laser vein therapy treatment, or a \$100 discount off a package of three treatments.



The Cosmetic Solutions Cutera CoolGlide laser can safely and effectively treat both tiny superficial face veins and blue leg veins. This offer expires March 31.

[Contact us](#) today to learn more.

Don't miss out on our March Events & Specials

Botox & Dermal Fillers Lunch & Learn - March 10

If you have never tried BOTOX or dermal fillers, join us for our March 10 Lunch & Learn at Biaggi's from 12 noon to 1 p.m. [Register here.](#)

Spring Hair Removal Special

The winter months are the perfect time to get ready for spring break and summer with laser hair removal treatments. Schedule your appointment before March 31, and receive a 20% discount on ANY hair removal package.



Obagi Rosaclear Special

The new all-in-one [Obagi Rosaclear](#) system helps rosacea patients achieve a clearer, calmer and more balanced complexion. Receive a 25% discount on Obagi Rosaclear products until March 31.

Radiesse Day - March 23

Back by popular demand: On March 23, buy one syringe of Radiesse at the regular price and receive a 2nd syringe FREE. Appointments are limited, contact us today. Don't miss out on this very special event!

[Contact us](#) today to schedule your appointment.

Jane Iredale Makeover Day

Due to the winter weather we had to reschedule the Jane Iredale Makeover Day last month. Be sure to schedule your Jane Iredale Makeover appointment this time around to discover a new you.



The Jane Iredale makeup line is a highly sophisticated blend of minerals and pigments that will give your skin a healthy glow and leave it feeling silky smooth.

If you've never tried Jane Iredale mineral makeup before, then [contact us](#) today to schedule your free makeover. Or, just stop by on

March 9th to receive a 25% discount off all Jane Iredale makeup products.

When: Tues, March 9

Where: 855 A Avenue, NE, Cedar Rapids

Specials: Receive a 25% discount on all Jane Iredale products that day only.

****NEW** Ongoing Jane Iredale Special**

We are also kicking off an ongoing Jane Iredale special for each month. Starting on March 9th, and then the 2nd Tuesday of each month receive a 25% discount on all Jane Iredale makeup.

New Products: Obagi Rosaclear System

If you are experiencing facial flushing and possible acne-like lesions, schedule a consultation with a skin care professional for a diagnosis. If you suffer from rosacea, the Obagi Rosaclear System may be exactly what you need to get started.



There are four main components in this gentle yet effective treatment. First is a gentle cleanser that soothes and removes bacteria without irritating the skin. Next is an application of prescription strength metronidazole topical gel used to treat the inflamed areas associated with rosacea. Since rosacea also typically causes dryness, the next application is the Hydrating Complexion Corrector, which utilizes multiple calming agents and light-reflecting minerals. Finally, we all know it's important to protect our skin from harmful sun rays, so the Rosaclear system also offers a chemical-free tinted UVA/UVB sunscreen with SPF30.

The Rosaclear system is different from other systems because it includes a therapeutic prescription component as well as products that effectively reduce and minimize visible redness associated with rosacea.

[Schedule a consultation](#) with our experienced team of skin care professionals for more information.

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