

KYBELLA[®] AFTER CARE

Common side effects of Kybella include swelling, bruising, pain, numbness, redness, and areas of hardness around the treatment site that may last 1-8 weeks.

You may use ice packs immediately and for as long as there is swelling. The swelling is usually quite impressive especially for the first 3-4 days.

Other possible side effects include trouble swallowing and nerve injury in the jaw that may cause an uneven smile or facial muscle weakness. This will resolve on its own but may take days to months.

Occasionally, patients experience small nodules in the area of injection. These should resolve over the next few weeks. You may massage them firmly 2-3 times a day to help them resolve faster.

You should see gradual results of Kybella within the next 4-8 weeks.

Multiple treatments may be necessary to achieve full desired results, usually between 2-6 sessions. The studies showed that the average treatment protocol for success was 2-3 vials 2-3 times.

Most patients see synergistic results after the second and third treatments. This means 2 treatments are going to have significantly better results than just one.

Follow up is recommended in 4-6 weeks from date of injection.

Please contact the office if you have any questions or concerns.

