

# TIGERLILY TATTOO

## AFTERCARE INSTRUCTIONS

Traditional bandages must stay on a *minimum* of 6 hours, keeping it on overnight is highly encouraged.

If your tattoo is bandaged in View Guard, leave the clear bandage on for a minimum of 3 days not exceeding 7 days. View Guard is a medical-grade transparent adhesive bandage that prevents infections with a sterile protective breathable barrier. The membrane is designed to trap and use the skin's natural healing fluids and oxygen to heal your tattoo – leaving it on for 4 – 7 days will allow your body to heal your tattoo under the transparent second skin.

With *clean* hands, carefully: Remove bandage. Wash thoroughly with unscented soap (fingertips only, no washcloths). Dry tattoo by patting gently with a *clean* towel. Apply a thin layer of healing tattoo salve or Aquaphor.

Wash tattoo 2 times daily for at least one week

- Remember -

Wear CLEAN, loose clothing over your tattoo. Keep HANDS OFF tattoo unless washing, until the tattoo is healed.

DO NOT scratch or pick at tattoo; it will itch as it heals, try to keep it moisturized with non-scented, perfume-free lotion, tattoo aftercare balm or Aquaphor.

NEVER use Vaseline.

NO TANNING or sun for 4 weeks.

Proper aftercare will benefit the integrity of your tattoo for years to come; the aftercare of your tattoo is your responsibility and will greatly affect the healed artwork.

Please take good care of your tattoo – THANK YOU

Call 503-288-1555 with any healing questions or concerns!