

Results



Before



One Week After



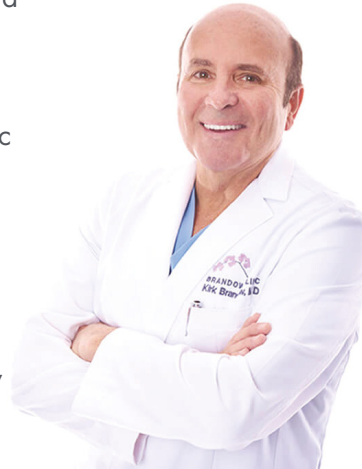
Six Months After

How Long Will It Take To Show Results

Typical results will begin to show after about three weeks. We also recommend several scar treatments with a CO₂ Fraxil Laser along the incision line to help minimize the appearance of the scar. After surgery, you will begin to notice further improvements over the next two-three months; However, you will see the full benefits within the first six months. The end result of the lip lift is a subtle more natural look in comparison to the over filled "duck lip" we so frequently see today.

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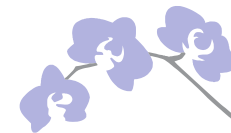
Upper Lip Lift



Before



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What is the Upper Lip Lift

The Upper Lip Lift is a new procedure which addresses many of the concerns patients have related to the upper lip area. It is a more natural alternative for people who have become frustrated with fillers. Dr. Brandow's "Philly" Lip Lift is a virtually scar-free procedure that benefits both younger and older patients who want to plump up a thin upper lip, diminish smokers lines and/or shorten a "long" upper lip. This procedure gives the upper lip a poutier, sexier appearance with greater volume and tooth show. The results are subtle and have lasting benefits.

Who is the Ideal Candidate for a Lip Lift

In the past, lip lifts were reserved for patients over the age of 55. Additionally, the procedure was normally performed on patients with lighter, thinner skin due to an increased risk of scarring. Recent advancements in this technique allow us to perform lip lifts on patients as young as 20, regardless of their skin type and color. In younger patients, the procedure is typically used to avoid that artificial "duck lip" look, often seen with overfilled lips. As an alternative, the lip lift gives the upper lip a natural, more defined appearance. As we age, the upper lip loses volume, and in some patients it increases in length. When performed on older patients, it shortens the upper lip length, increases volume, and restores a more youthful balance to the face.



Before



After

What Does It Do

Shortens the "Lip Length" between the nose and mouth

Increases the volume of the pink and white lip

Turns the cupid's bow upwards – lip eversion

Subtly improves the downward turned corners of the mouth

Lessens lipstick bleed lines and wrinkles

Decreases need for fillers

Makes the lips and lower face appear younger

Increases sensuality of the mouth

How is the Upper Lip Lift Performed

Lip lifts are performed in the office under local or in a surgicenter with twilight anesthesia. A "bull horn" shaped piece of skin is precisely measured and then removed from just under the base of the nose, leaving an incision hidden in the natural crease. Fine sutures are placed and then removed five to seven days later. Make-up can be applied in eight to ten days. Swelling and stiffness may take two to three weeks to resolve.



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Immediately After