

Remove bandage after one hour;

Wash tattoo with soap and water using your hand (any soap is fine, NO wash cloths, or loofas);

Pat dry with a CLEAN towel;

Allow to air out as much as possible;

If anything is going to come in direct contact with tattoo, RECOVER with saran wrap (i.e.: bed sheets while sleeping, ALL CLOTHING, shirts, pants, underwear, etc, again ALL CLOTHING)

LET TATTOO BREATHE AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE

If you follow these directions during the first 72 hours, then stop with saran wrap and start using any of the following lotions, Curel, Lubriderm, Keri Lotion, Vaseline Intensive Care or Aquaphor, these are the only acceptable lotions, you can also use Ink Fixx or Tattoo Goo. *H2O OCEAN*

Use Bacitracin or Neosporin at YOUR OWN RISK

VERY IMPORTANT, buy a new bottle of lotion or other acceptable items listed above, otherwise you will be cross contaminating (which is bad),

THROW AWAY when tattoo is healed;

Continue with lotion whenever tattoo looks dry;

If tattoo has excessive swelling, then put saran wrap over top of tattoo and gently rub ice over it;

*DO NOT SHAVE OVER TATTOO until fully healed

*DO NOT PICK FLAKES

*DO NOT let tattoo into direct sunlight (for one month) NO TANNING BOOTHS

*DO NOT coat with lotion gently rub lotion into tattoo

*DO NOT soak in salt or chlorinated water

ALWAYS USE SUNBLOCK any time your tattoo will be in the sun, this is important as long as you have the tattoo to help keep it bright and new for the years to come

My job is finished, the rest is up to YOU.