

TATTOO AFTERCARE

1 CLEAN

Wash your hands before any contact with your tattoo.

Unless instructed, remove bandage after 2-5 hours.

Using unscented, liquid, antibacterial soap, wash your tattoo 3-5x a day.

Gold Dial, Dr. Bronners and tattoo aftercare green soaps are all good options.

Rinse your tattoo gently, but thoroughly with cool water. Avoid completely submerging your fresh tattoo. 2

DRY

After rinsing, pat dry with a paper towel, be careful not to scrape or rub.

Allow 20 minutes of airdrying before applying any moisturizer.

If any flakes are present, do not pick or pull. Your skin will shed as its meant to. Picking can lead to pulling fresh skin and scabbing. 3

MOISTURIZE

After cleaning and drying your tattoo, apply a thin layer of non-scented lotion.

Lubriderm, baby lotions, or tattoo aftercare lotions are all good options.

Using an aftercare lotion with a pump decreases any cross contamination.

Avoid petroleum based jellies like A&D, bag balm, Neosporin, etc.

Keep tattoo moist without over saturating.

Moisturizing is essential to the healing process. Repeat this three part series 3-5x for two weeks for optimal results. Avoid all sunlight during the first two weeks. Always apply 30-50 SPF to your tattoos after that period.