### **Tattoo care instructions**

Your new tattoo is a small work of art—and at the same time an open wound. Proper care is crucial to ensure that it heals optimally and remains beautiful for a long time.

Here you will find all the important information about aftercare:

### Immediately after tattooing

- We protect your tattoo with a film (TattooMed Protection Film®).
- $\bullet$  This film should remain on for at least 12 hours, up to a maximum of 2–3 days
- depending on our individual recommendation for you.
- During this time, you should **not touch it, sweat, or expose the tattoo to dirt or sunlight.**

# After removing the film

- 1. **Washing:** Wash your hands thoroughly, then gently clean the tattoo with lukewarm water and a mild, fragrance-free soap. Do not rub!
- 2. **Drying:** Gently dab the tattoo with a clean paper towel do not rub.
- 3. **Care:** Apply a **thin layer** of the recommended tattoo care cream. Less is more the skin needs to breathe!

### In the first few weeks

- Wash and apply cream **2–3 times a day** until the skin has completely regenerated (approx. **2–4 weeks**).
- Do **not scratch or peel** the tattoo, even if it itches this can damage the color.
- Avoid direct sunlight, solariums, saunas, and swimming pools.
- Wear loose, clean clothing that does not rub.
- Do not exercise in the first few days sweating delays healing.

## Long term

• UV protection remains important even after healing: protect your tattoo with sunscreen (SPF 50) to keep the colors fresh for a long time.

| Fig. 1f you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact us at any time! We | are |
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| happy to assist you even after your appointment.                                    |     |