

PBMC Dermatology Specialists Soothe Your Skin (423 words)

When you break out in a rash, never fear—your PBMC dermatologist is near! You are not alone if you find yourself with a skin ailment. It is estimated that at any given time, one out of every three people in the United States suffers from a skin disease. Dermatology is a branch of medicine that concentrates on the skin, scalp, hair, and nails, and can address problems in these areas. It doesn't matter how old or how young you are--dermatologists accommodate patients of all ages –from the very young (newborns) to those very advanced in age.

After earning a medical degree, a physician desiring to specialize in the field of dermatology must undergo four more years of training before becoming eligible for certification by the American Academy of Dermatology. Following this education, a dermatologist can take additional schooling to focus on sub-specialties such as immunodermatology, phototherapy, laser medicine, Mohs micrographic surgery, cosmetic surgery or dermatopathology.

Whatever Your Concern, We Can Help!

Since the skin is the largest organ of the body, you want to keep it healthy. A board certified dermatologist is the best specialist qualified to analyze and prescribe the solution for your unique situation. Your Peconic Bay Medical Center dermatologist is qualified to diagnose and treat more than 3,000 different diseases-- including skin cancer, eczema, acne, psoriasis and nail infections. However, treatment is not limited to addressing disorders.

Some Conditions Covered by Dermatology

The medical specialty of dermatology addresses a wide range of conditions, including:

- Acne
- Warts
- Moles
- Skin cancer
- Scars
- Wrinkles
- Rashes
- Hair loss
- Rosacea
- Psoriasis
- Fungal infections of the skin and nails
- Skin allergies
- Stretch marks

Your PBMC dermatologist is skilled in treating cosmetic disorders, as well, and can help you enhance the appearance of your skin, hair and nails. There are procedures available to help diminish wrinkles, age spots and other signs of aging, and reduce acne scars and improve the appearance of skin texture. Dermatology therapies cross over into the field of cosmetic surgery and can include: filler injections, hair removal with laser and other modalities, hair transplantation, face lifts, liposuction, botox treatment, laser therapy for birthmarks, tattoo removal, and cosmetic resurfacing of skin.

Please consult with your PBMC dermatologist for solutions to your concerns. The physician will advise you as to your best course of action and treatment. Remember that we are here to serve you! Please [click here](#) to contact the PBMC Dermatology Department.