

# INTENSE PULSE LIGHT

## Pigment/Vascular Consent Form

1. I understand that treatment for pigmented and/or vascular is performed with the Quadra Q4 Platinum Series Intense Pulsed Light system which uses electronically controlled high intensity multiwavelength light to heat and destroy pigmented and vascular lesions on the skin. These spots will flake off or fade within three weeks after treatment.
2. I understand this procedure may cause discomfort during treatment and a slight redness and irritation will occur on the skin after treatment. This sunburn-like irritation usually subsides in 12 to 24 hours. The pigmented and/or vascular lesions will slightly darken after treatment prior to fading. In some rare cases side effects may include, but are not limited to, lightening or darkening of the skin, blistering, or skin irregularity.
3. I understand that results vary from patient to patient and that there is a small possibility the procedure will not remove all the pigmented and/or vascular lesions on my skin. I also understand that in order for the procedure to be effective, the following guidelines must be followed:
  - a. Multiple consecutive treatments are performed until the desire level of pigment and/or vascular removal is observed. (Usually two or three treatments.)
  - b. Sunscreen must be worn for at least 3 weeks after treatment.
4. I understand that sun exposure 2 weeks prior to treatment and/or 2 weeks after treatment can possibly cause darkening or lightening side effects of the skin.
5. I understand that other forms of pigmented and vascular lesion removal methods exist.
6. All my questions regarding this procedure have been answered.
7. I understand that the physician may use any pictures taken of me for educational purposes.

Witness: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_