

A High Brow Choice

If tattooing your eyebrows is out of the question, eyebrow hair transplantation might just be your saving grace. BY LYDIA SOH

Want to rid yourself of the daunting task of drawing your eyebrows daily but not a fan of eyebrow tattooing? Consider eyebrow hair transplantation. Before you start shivering at the thought of needles and extreme pain, read on. Dr Chih Chien May, of NeuGlow The Aesthetics Doctors, has been using the technique of Follicular Unit Extraction (FUE) to regrow hair by transplanting hair into areas desired such as receding hairlines, sideburns, scars, eyebrows and even moustaches.

The donor area is first injected with a local anaesthetic agent. Hair is then harvested from the donor site (usually the scalp) with micro punches with minimum bleeding and discomfort, and then transplanted into the recipient site. The donor hair retains stem cells that allow it to grow for as long as it is destined to, which for most cases is for decades. The process itself usually takes about one to two hours and is virtually painless. Dr Chih says, "There will always be objections to tattooing. True, you can ink trendy colours. But they only look nice and stylish for a while as the colours will change or fade with time. Eyebrow hair transplantation gives your brows a more natural and elegant appearance." ■



Tip: Trimming the hair regularly will keep your brows in shape.

Dr Chih obtained her medical degree in Australia and also has a Diploma in Aesthetics Medicine from the American Academy of Aesthetics Medicine. She further pursued her interest in hair loss and restoration, learning various techniques of hair transplantation from the U.S and France.

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