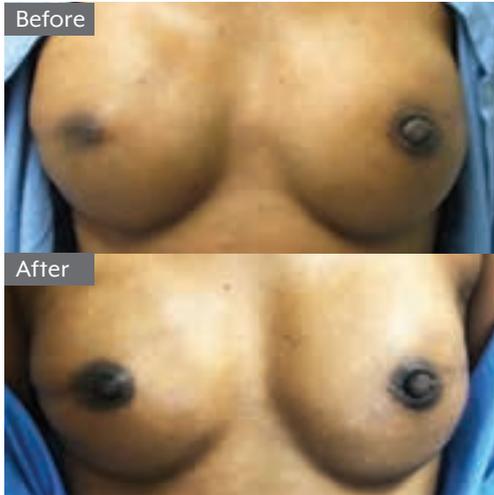


## Areola Tattooing



## Medical Tattooing



Instead of using tissue to rebuild a nipple, some women choose to have a nipple tattooed on the reconstructed breast. The most realistic way to achieve this is through 3D nipple tattooing by our surgical nurse tattoo artist.

If reconstruction was just on one breast, we will match the color and shape to your existing areola. If you had bilateral surgery, we can use your pre-operative photos to match your original areolas, or you can choose a new color and shape. We utilize the Pink Ribbon series set to achieve the most realistic color blend. Areola tattooing is a two-step process: consultation and tattooing are done in the first visit (but may be done separately) and a follow-up/touch-up visit approximately six weeks later.

Because the reconstructed breast doesn't have the same sensation as before surgery, tattooing the area usually isn't painful.

Areola tattooing can be performed once approved by your physician, usually six months after surgery.

Service is conveniently located at the Breast and GYN Pavilion.

**Covered by many insurance plans.**

Unilateral Areola Tattoo: \$350  
Bilateral Areola Tattoo: \$500

**For more information or to schedule an appointment, call 225-924-8311. Physician's release required.**

## Microblading

Many patients undergoing chemotherapy lose their hair, including the eyebrows. Microblading is a semi-permanent tattoo technique that creates a natural looking eyebrow. The color will typically last for 12-18 months.

Clients can bring photos to recreate the eyebrows they had prior to chemo or may choose to go with a new shape and fill.

The clinician will use a topical numbing cream prior to the procedure so that the client feels the sensation of the strokes, but not pain. Microblading is done using a pen with tiny needles to apply feather-like strokes filled with medical grade pigment. The process takes about 3 hours from start to finish. A touch-up session is scheduled for 6 weeks out to fill in any areas that need more pigment.

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**Microblading: \$400**

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