

# Fact Sheet

## Skin Repair & Rejuvenation



# Starlux 500 Photo-Rejuvenation

### What is it?

The Starlux 500 is the most powerful and quickest of IPL (Intense Pulsed Light) machines on the market and is renowned for its excellent cooling system, making it ideal for treating a number of skin conditions, including pigmentation and redness. Most other IPL machines don't generate sufficient power, surface cooling and appropriate wavelengths to create enough heat to effectively treat many skin conditions.

### Which areas can be treated?

All areas of the face and body can be treated. As the light technology targets the oxyhaemoglobin (to treat redness) or melanin (to treat pigmentation) in the skin, the lighter your skin colour, the more effective it will be. You can still be treated if you have darker skin, but you will most likely need a greater number of treatments.

### Is it safe?

As with any type of IPL therapy, the procedure is completely safe when delivered responsibly. The clinicians at The Facial Rejuvenation Clinic are highly trained in the Starlux 500 Photo-Rejuvenation procedure.

### How does it work?

A wavelength of light heats the oxyhaemoglobin (blood) or melanin in the skin, causing it to break down.

### What happens during the procedure?

The head of the machine is passed over the area to be treated delivering heat. Only the oxyhaemoglobin or melanin is targeted by the light, while the surrounding skin is kept cool. The Starlux 500 delivers effective cooling to the surface of the skin, making it the least painful of all IPL machines, especially when used on sensitive areas.

### How long does the procedure take?

20 minutes per session. Due to the machine's power and effectiveness, fewer treatments will be required compared to most other IPL machines. You will require 4-8 sessions for best results.

### How long will my recovery be and what can I expect?

Recovery is immediate or overnight, depending on the size and location of the treatment. The area may be a little red for a few hours.

### Is there any aftercare?

As with all skin treatments for redness and various pigmentation, it is best to avoid the sun and use an SPF 30+ sunscreen at all times.

### How long will it last?

The results from the Starlux 500 will depend on the nature of your skin condition. The technology is superior, therefore a reduction in redness and pigmentation should be evident. Most conditions involving redness and pigmentation require maintenance treatments and skin care protection, but avoiding the sun will increase the longevity of results. Melasma, being a hormonal as well as a sun-prone condition, frequently recurs and requires careful maintenance and protection.

---

Call us on **1300 88 99 35** to arrange a free, private consultation with one of our highly trained medical clinicians experienced in all skin conditions. During this consultation we will discuss in detail the treatment program best suited to your skin concern and budget.

**[www.facialrejuvenation.com.au](http://www.facialrejuvenation.com.au)**

<b>City</b>	263 George Street, Sydney NSW 2000
<b>Chatswood</b>	Suite 230, 813 Pacific Highway (cnr Help St), Chatswood NSW 2067
<b>Parramatta</b>	Fitness First, 57 Macquarie Street, Parramatta NSW 2150