

Haus of Skin is a CQC regulated clinic with strict infection control policies and procedures in place. In addition, the clinic has a nominated Infection Control Clinic Lead, Dr Haroon Hamid who ensures continued compliance with infection prevention and control compliance and regulation.

For a copy of our full infection control policy and annual plan of activities including audit reports and results please don't hesitate to contact **Dr Haroon Hamid** on **02080585960** or email **medical@hausofskin.co.uk**.

## Haus of Skin's Commitment to Cleanliness

- Treat patients in a clean and safe environment and minimise exposure to healthcare associated infections.
- Provide a well maintained, clean and safe environment, using the most appropriate and up-to-date cleaning methods and frequencies.
- Maintain fixtures and fittings to an acceptable condition to enable effective and safe cleaning to take place regularly.
- Allocate specific roles and responsibilities for cleaning, linked to infection prevention and control, that are underpinned by strong, clear leadership that encourages a culture where cleanliness matters.
- Have clinical leads who will establish and promote a cleanliness culture across the clinic.
- Constantly review cleanliness and improve performance.
- Take account of all views about the quality and standards of cleanliness by involving patients and visitors in reporting and monitoring how well the clinic is doing.
- Provide the public with clear information on any measures which they can take, to assist in the prevention and control of healthcare associated infections.
- Provide structured and pro-active education and training to ensure all staff are competent in delivering infection prevention and control practices within the remit of their role.
- Design any new facilities with ease of cleaning in mind.

## We ask our Patients and Visitors to:

- Follow good hygiene practices which are displayed around the clinic.
- Tell us if they have any feedback or suggestions on how we could improve our cleanliness and or infection prevention and control.

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