

ADVANCED TREATMENTS. EXCEPTIONAL RESULTS. THE ULTIMATE HAIR RESTORATION EXPERIENCE.

# FAQ

# **TRANS-EPIDERMAL DELIVERY (TED)**

### WHAT IS ALMA TED?

Alma TED, or Trans-Epidermal Delivery, is a revolutionary pain-free, needle-free, in-office hair restoration treatment with no recovery or downtime. Bauman Medical is among the first clinic in the world offering this exciting new therapy for hair loss, hair thinning, and hair shedding.

#### **HOW DOES TED WORK?**

TED is a safe, ultrasound-based treatment that uses sound waves and air pressure to enhance the penetration of a specialized topical hair growth formula into the scalp. This treatment increases blood flow, optimizes scalp health, and stimulates hair follicles to produce thicker, stronger, healthier hair. TED offers these benefits without the discomfort of injections or temporary shedding associated with some in-office hair growth treatments.

#### WHAT SHOULD I EXPECT?

TED is a quick 20-25 minute treatment that can often be performed the same day as your consultation. Please keep in mind our comprehensive consultations take approximately one hour. During your consultation, Dr. Bauman or another member of our medical team will evaluate and diagnose your hair loss situation, perform baseline measurements, and determine whether you are a good candidate for Alma TED and/or other hair restoration therapies.

# **DOES TED REGROW A NEW HAIR FOLLICLE?**

Unfortunately, no. The only way to restore hair growth to a severely depleted area is through hair transplantation. However, TED can be used in conjunction with hair transplants to heal the scalp faster, grow the transplanted hair sooner, and also help slow, stop, and reverse the progression of hair loss in non-transplanted areas.

#### **IS THE TREATMENT PAINFUL?**

No, the treatment is quite comfortable. You can expect to feel a vibration and a warm sensation from the device on the scalp during treatment. There is absolutely no pain involved. Patients find the procedure relaxing, and many fall asleep during their procedure. No needles or anesthesia is required. Because there is no trauma to the scalp, there is absolutely no discomfort afterward. It is normal for the scalp to appear slightly pink for about an hour after TED treatment.

#### WHO IS A GOOD CANDIDATE FOR TED?

Alma TED may be used on any individual that is suffering from hair shedding, hair thinning or hair loss or wants to improve the overall thickness and appearance of their hair. Many patients see less shedding after just a single TED treatment.

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# HOW DOES TED COMPARE TO PRP, PDOGRO, OR OTHER NON-SURGICAL/NON-INVASIVE REGENERATIVE TREATMENTS?

It's important to know that every patient is an individual, and there is no "one size fits all" therapy. PRP and PDOgro™ at Bauman Medical are typically once-a-year treatments, whereas TED would require a series of four treatments spaced one month apart. Measurements are used in every case to measure the response to treatment in several areas of the scalp. Some areas may respond better to different types of therapy. Here at Bauman Medical, we offer a variety of non-surgical and surgical treatment options, many of which may be combined with TED.

# **HOW CAN I SCHEDULE TED?**

We recommend a detailed medical hair loss evaluation and consultation prior to speaking with a coordinator for procedure scheduling. Start your TED Consultation for hair shedding or hair loss today at baumanmedical.com/ schedule-consultation or call 561-394-0024.

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