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Draft "Bill of Rights" for any prospective patient being seen in a "medi-spa" outside of a physician's physical office location.

- 1) As a Patient, you need to be informed about the differences in Medical Procedures vs. Spa Procedures that are offered at this facility.**
- 2) Medical procedures performed at this facility may include: administration of neurotoxins, skin fillers and the application of lasers or intense pulse light to your skin, medical grade skin peels and other procedures which are listed under Medical Procedures.**
- 3) You have the right to be provided with a good faith physical examination by a physician with the requisite knowledge and training who can designate your treatment plan. Physicians who are Dermatologist, Plastic Surgeons, Facial Plastic Surgeons, and Oculoplastic Surgeons have specialized training and expertise in these medical procedures.**
- 4) You have the right to be informed of who your supervising physician is with their office telephone number and their medical specialty.**
- 5) You have the right to confirm with your non-MD provider (Registered Nurse, Nurse Practitioner or Physician Assistant) that the specific medical services being proposed and the overall treatment plan have been approved by your Medical Director, the physician in charge and the one responsible for supervision of your medical care.**
- 6) You have the right to see your supervising physician within 24 hours should any concerns or complications occur.**
- 7) If you have a medical emergency while having a treatment, the 911 service will be activated and an appropriate transfer to a healthcare facility will be initiated.**
- 8) Your Medical Director, physician in charge, is licensed by the Medical Board of California, www.mbc.org 1 800-.....)**

9) You will have medical records generated by this facility and your medical records will be protected according to state and federal laws and comply with HIPPA.

10) You have a right to obtain copies of your medical records by signing a release.

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Dear Dr. Moran,

As promised from our last committee meeting, I am submitting a proposed "Bill of Rights" for patients who seek services at a medispa.

The idea is that not only would this be posted in every medispa in CA, but it would be required to have every new patient receive and sign an acknowledgment to be put in their chart.

Educating patients will help promote a safe environment and should be a cost effective way of alerting them of the medical part of services when seen in a spa type of setting.

Respectfully submitted,

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