Opus Plasma

Renew aging skin with less downtime: fractional Plasma skin resurfacing
Opus Plasma™ can achieve excellent results through fractional skin resurfacing with less downtime, and help you achieve your best skin yet.

What is fractional skin resurfacing?
Fractional-based skin resurfacing is the modern skin resurfacing method that involves creating a pattern of microscopic injuries to a fraction of the skin. Most commonly achieved with a laser, the OPUS stimulates collagen production radiofrequency, micro-needling and plasma thermal energy. The natural wounds heal by using response results in improved tone and appearance.

What is Opus Plasma?
Opus Plasma builds on fractional skin resurfacing with an option that improves the recovery experience using plasma, a new energy source. Using a combination of high-frequency unipolar radiofrequency (RF) technology with “microplasma” energy, Dr. Cockerham can precisely control the energy-to-tissue contact time, minimizing unwanted inflammation that often leads to longer recovery.

Who is a good candidate?
Opus Plasma was developed as a versatile tool to address a wide range of patients of different age groups, skin types and skin concerns. Dr. Cockerham can dial the energy up or down to personalize the right treatment plan for your needs. It is especially effective in treating the following skin concerns on the face and neck:

- Laxity (loose skin)
- Acne scars
- Pigmentation issues
- Fine lines and wrinkles
- Dullness and texture

What to expect
Opus Plasma is a quick 15 to 60-minute outpatient treatment, depending on the area treated. It is usually performed after applying a topical anesthetic. During your consultation, Dr. Cockerham will assess your skin to personalize the best treatment plan for you. While you’ll begin to see noticeable improvements following your first treatment, up to 2-3 treatments may be recommended for optimal results.

What does recovery look like?
Clinical studies have shown that Opus Plasma required 50% less downtime when compared to a fractional skin resurfacing technology using a laser. You may experience 2-48 hours of mild to moderate redness and swelling—not significant enough to interfere with your daily activities. You’ll receive detailed instructions for post-treatment care, including skincare products to use or avoid and the importance of using sunscreen following your treatment.