

## Caring for Your Synthetic, Human, or Human-Synthetic Blend Wig or Hair Piece \*SCAN THE QR CODE for our cleansing instructions video\*



### General Information:

**Human:** There are two different types of human hair wig: Custom (Which takes 12-16 weeks to order and are more costly), or Stock (Which comes in general sizes). The length and density of the wig can be adjusted through cutting and texturizing techniques.

**Human-Synthetic Blend:** It is 70% synthetic and 30% human hair that is blended together. It has the look & feel of human and the synthetic hair is heat-friendly.

**Synthetic:** Synthetic wigs are Asian made and sewn by computer, so whatever style you decide on, is the look you will have. The length and density of the wig can be adjusted through cutting and texturizing techniques, but the overall style will remain the same.

**\*It is recommended that you choose a look that is close to your own style and color, so that it looks natural.\***

### Wig Accessories:

Your wig (when purchased from Go Green Salon or donated by Wigs 4 Kids) includes a consultation, wig selection, fitting, cutting, styling, and removal of natural hair if necessary. You will receive everything you will need to care for and maintain your wig.

### Cleansing Instructions - Focus on the Cap:

1. First turn the wig inside out, using tepid water, make sure the wig is completely saturated.
2. Then you take a generous amount of shampoo for your particular wig type and lather it up in your hands to massage the cap area.
3. Turn the wig back to the hair side, and massage the soap in the hair, then squeeze it out through the ends.
4. Then turn the wig back inside out and rinse thoroughly with tepid water until the water runs clear.

### Conditioning Instructions - Focus on the Hair:

**Cream Conditioner:** Put cream conditioner in hands like lotion and rub onto wig. Comb through for even distribution. Rinse under tepid water and squeeze the water out (Do not wring). Set the wig aside.

**OPTION-Spray Conditioner:** Spray four to eight pumps of conditioner onto the wig depending on length and density. Leave-in conditioner there is no need to rinse.

**Drying Instructions:**

**Human:** Comb your wig out with a wide tooth comb, starting at the bottom and working your way up gently. You may dry the inside of the cap on cool if you would like to pin it on your head form with tee pins to style. **You can use a blow dryer to finish drying the wig and a flat iron or curing iron to style the wig.** After styling, let the wig dry at room temperature on the wire rack for a minimum of four to six hours before you wear it, so the cap will be completely dry.

**Human-Synthetic Blend:** You may use heat tools not over 325 F degrees with your curling or flat iron. Blow dry on medium heat.

**Synthetic:** Comb your wig out with a wide tooth comb, starting at the bottom and working your way up gently. You may dry the inside of the cap on cool if you would like to pin it on your head form with tee pins to style. After styling, let the wig dry at room temperature on the wire rack for a minimum of four to six hours before you wear it, so the cap will be completely dry.

**NOTE: IF IT IS NOT heat friendly you MUST stay away from the oven, BBQ grills, driers, boiling water, fire pits, and all heat styling appliances: it will melt the wig.**

**Dos and Don'ts: Synthetic and Human Hair:**

- Don't wear your wig while lying down or to sleep in. (This will cause the wig to look frizzy)
- Do not hang your wig on a doorknob or hanger; the extra weight will cause the wig to stretch out of shape.
- It is not recommended that you use any adhesive while wearing your wig, if in treatment due to sensitive skin.
- It is recommended to wear a sleep cap at night. (40% of body heat is lost through the top of your head when there is no hair there.)
- Most wigs are equipped with adjustable tabs in the nape area.
- Always comb your wig from the bottom up.

**Human:**

- You may use shampoo, conditioner and styling products that you would use on your natural hair for your wig as long as they are gentle, check with your stylist to be sure.

**Synthetic or Human-Synthetic:**

- Use only shampoos, conditioners and styling products made specifically for human or synthetic wigs.

If you have any further questions, please call: 1-586-772-6656 or 1-586-778-7770 and ask for Maggie.