

Private Axillary Hyperhidrosis Injections

GP Care provide a private Botox injections treatment to help reduce excessive underarm sweating

What is Axillary Hyperhidrosis?

Hyperhidrosis is the medical term for excessive sweating which, when it occurs in the underarm, is called 'axillary hyperhidrosis'. This is common and can occur at any age, however it can be a cause of social anxiety and embarrassment.

The Consultation

During your consultation, the GP will ask questions about your symptoms and details about how they affect daily life. Botox treatment is suitable in the majority of cases, although the doctor will ask about your general health, past medical history, allergies and medication before the procedure.



The Procedure

Our experienced GPs will carry out the procedure by using 15-20 very fine, micro needles to inject botulinum toxin into the underarm. This works to reduce sweating by blocking the signals from the brain to the sweat glands. The effects will last for around three to six months at which time treatment can be repeated.

After your Appointment

The side effects are usually mild, but can include increased sweating from other areas (such as the palms of the hands) and short term flu-like symptoms, which you can take paracetamol to help with. We also suggest that you take extra care when washing the treated area and avoid using deodorants for 48 hours after the procedure. If you have any concerns you should discuss this with the GP during your consultation.



Locations

Currently we can provide this treatment at two GP practices in St Pauls Medical Centre, Cheltenham. For more information, visit our webite.

Price

For up to date pricing details please visit our website, **www.gpcare.org.uk** and find the details under the private services section. Please be advised that the full payment will be taken at the time of booking.

Who are GP Care?

GP Care is a recognised provider of community based healthcare services including diagnostics, outpatient and ancillary services to NHS and private patients.

Who will be performing the procedure?

Our clinicians are highly experienced GPs with expertise in this field **NOT** dermatology consultants, therefore if you are hoping to claim the cost of the procedure back through medical insurance, you are advised to check with your insurance company before booking.

Booking your appointment

Please call 0333 332 2107 to make an appointment.

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