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You've got your tailored suit and bespoke shoes. Now grant your skin customised treats it truly deserves with skincare products developed by prominent local aesthetic maestros



First, the bad news: skincare experts have concurred that men in general have oilier and more sebaceous skin, making us prone to breakouts and scarring. But the good news is that renowned dermatologist, Dr Patricia Yuen of Pacific Healthcare Specialists Centre; plastic surgeon, Dr Ivor Lim of medSpa and The Plastic & Hand Surgery; and cosmetic physician, Dr Tan Siak Khim of DRx Clinic are here to the rescue. Employing their years of research and expertise within the field, they have each created their own line of skincare products that are formulated to address individual skincare needs to help you achieve a flawless complexion.

Skinsense from Pacific

To kickstart your personalised skincare regime, simply pop by any of their clinics for a medical consultation. After an assessment of your skin condition, the appropriate products that target specific skin problems will be prescribed. At the same time, proper guidance in skincare maintenance will also be given and your progress will also be monitored under their watchful eyes. As a bonus, the products are absolutely hassle-free so you will be looking great with minimal fuss. We caught up with the skincare gurus to get the lowdown and check out some of their star products.

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Making Sense

One of Singapore's most prominent dermatologists with close to 12 years of experience, Dr Patricia Yuen's in-house skincare line, Skinsense, features products that are packed with active ingredients and lists vitamin C as a key component. Known for its anti-oxidant properties, vitamin C helps reduce damage caused by pollution, ageing and UV exposure by stimulating collagen growth to reduce fine lines and eradicate blemishes. Fragrance free and suitable for even sensitive skin, Skinsense consists of more than 12 products that effectively treat acne, oily skin, pigmentation and ageing skin.

DOCTOR'S ORDER:

Keep it simple with these skin problem busters

1. Vitamin C Sebo Wash

Bid your acne problems farewell with this exfoliating facial wash. Extremely gentle yet effective, it contains a mild salicylic acid that has excellent anti-bacterial properties to clarify your skin by controlling sebaceous activities.

2. Essential Skin Smoother

If it is a cleaner and clearer visage you want, reach for the Skin Smoother. Essentially a lactic acid exfoliant for use immediately after you cleanse your skin, it not only removes dead skin cells and surface debris but also primes your skin to reap maximum treatment benefits.

3. Mattifying Sunblock SPF-30

Don't let sunburns and freckles ruin your fun in the sun. This lightly textured and slightly tinted sunblock is non-comedogenic and provides superb protection against UVA and UVB rays. Recommended for oily and blemish-prone skin, it boasts a microencapsulated formula with a matte finish so you won't look like you've been soaking your face in a vat of oil.

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