



With the dust settled from the Botox explosion, in this special package, FLARE investigates the now and next of cosmetic enhancements

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- > **Multitasking**
Botox now goes beyond furrow lines and crow's-feet, but Dr. Trevor Born of Toronto cautions that these extended uses require a thorough knowledge of muscle structure, some modification of the injection technique and smaller doses. So choose your doctor carefully.
- > **Relaxed Pout**
"Botox treatments are effective at smoothing the vertical lines along the upper lip and can soften smile creases ('marionette' lines) alongside your mouth. It can also relax those downturned corners of the mouth," adds Dr. Born.
- > **Botox Buddies**
When lines can't be cured by Botox alone, injectable fillers such as Restylane and Perlane (a family of hyaluronic acids with a reduced risk of allergic reaction) are used. Like Botox, they typically last 3-6 months. "You can really soften around the mouth if you relax the muscle with Botox and use a combination of Perlane and Restylane Fine Lines fillers to support the corners of the mouth," says Dr. Born. Artecoll, a suspension of Poly-methyl Methacrylate (PMMS) beads in a collagen gel, is a more permanent injectable product that can also be used. The three treatments are not yet available in the U.S. (which is why many American celebs discreetly make trips north of the border to have their fills). also popular, but requiring more recovery time, are micro-fat injections which use the patient's own fat, harvested by liposuction, to rebuild fullness in the skin and recontour the area.

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