

# Monarch Laser & Wellness Centre

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## Botox® for Excessive Sweating

### Frequently Asked Questions

#### **How does Botox® help with sweating?**

Botox injections interrupt the signal from the nerve to the sweat gland to reduce the sweating in the affected area. The success rate is 80%.

#### **How quickly does the treatment work & how long does it last?**

The effect of treatment can be immediate or take up to a week. The duration of effect after a single treatment is on average 7 months but can last up to 1 year. Most get full elimination of excessive sweating whereas others get only partial elimination.

#### **What areas can be treated?**

Underarms, palms and soles of the feet can be treated. At Monarch we treat underarms only.

#### **Do treatments hurt?**

Underarms can be slightly uncomfortable whereas the palms & soles can require the use of local anesthetics.

#### **How much does the treatment cost?**

The Botox may be covered by extended insurance plans which range from \$400 to \$800 per treatment area. The injection fees are \$150 per treatment area.