



# Silhouette Mastectomy Boutique

*For women who love choices*

## Care instructions for Synthetic cranial prosthesis/wigs

### How to apply your wig

1. Turn wig over and hold in front of you. (Hairline facing you). Put thumbs on Velcro or ribbon tabs at the nape of the wig.
2. Push hairline of wig up to match up with your natural hairline.
3. Hold ear tabs and straighten to ensure wig is on evenly in the front of the ears.
4. Hold front of wig to keep in place while lightly combing.
5. Use fingers or comb for synthetic wig to help shape into desired style.

**Tip:** If you have a lace front wig, be sure not to pull on or stretch the lace. Use the ear tabs to adjust wig placement on the head.

### Care & Styling SYNTHETIC Fiber Wigs

***We recommend washing your wig every 8 to 10 wears.***

#### **Cleanse & Condition**

- Before washing your wig or hairpiece, gently remove any tangles with your wide tooth comb.
- Add small amount of shampoo to about 2 quarts of cold water –*never hot. Soak for 5 to 10 minutes. Do not rub.*
- Rinse thoroughly with cool water until water runs clear. Making sure hair is traveling in the same direction.
- Wrap wig in a towel and gently pat dry. Do not squeeze or twist. Do not comb until completely dry. Allow to dry at room temperature
- When wig is completely dry gently detangle hair using your wide tooth comb. No setting is necessary. Drying can take 12-24 hours
- Allow wig or hairpiece to dry naturally by placing on a plastic wig stand. DO NOT blow dry.
- We recommend using your fingertips or comb for desired style.
- IF fullness is desired, gently backcomb your wig or hairpiece using a comb then smooth the surface hair over and apply holding spray.
- DO NOT use heat to style synthetic fiber.(curling irons, flat irons or blow dryers)

**Tip: Be cautious when standing near a heat source (i.e. open oven- heater, etc.) Excessive heat can damage the synthetic fiber.**

***Due to health care regulations all wigs sales are final.***