## **INFORMATION ABOUT GLYCOLIC ACID PEELS**

Jan Marini Skin Research Resurfacing Gel Peel and Gel Exfoliator are highly concentrated forms of glycolic acid that can greatly assist in accelerating the results achieved with our Bioglycolic home care products.

Glycolic acid peels are being medically endorsed as a viable alternative to more invasive peels for the patient who wishes to avoid discomfort and/or a recovery period. Traditional chemical peels are designed to create a controlled wounding or burning of the skin. The depth of the wound or burn is determined by how deep the physician wishes to penetrate, in order to create the desired effect. Depending on the extent of the burn, recovery can vary from a few days to two weeks. With very deep peels, healing may take many months.

While resurfacing procedures do not replace deeper peels, they can produce dramatic results. Instead of a controlled wounding, glycolic acid dissolves a "glue-like" or "mortar-like" substance in the stratum corneum that contributes to what is called increased corneocyte cohesion, allowing dead thickened layers to lift away without wounding the skin. Increased corneocyte cohesion produces skin that appears dull, thickened and coarse. This process also plays a pivotal role in the appearance of lines and wrinkles.

The Jan Marini Skin Research Resurfacing System has also perfected an advanced prepping solution by combining salicylic acid and glycolic acid. This duo provides more thorough degreasing and lifting, and also enables customization of the resurfacing procedure so that intensity can be increased or decreased as necessary.

## **AESTHETICIANS RESURFACING GEL EXFOLIATOR**

(Professional Use Only)

Jan Marini Skin Research Resurfacing Gel Exfoliator is a medically based product in a highly concentrated glycolic acid formulation that can dramatically accelerate the results that can be achieved by using Skin Research Bioglycolic home care products, without redness or a recovery period.

Medical Research has confirmed the tremendous benefits of glycolic acid for acne, aged and photodamaged skin, hyperpigmentation and scar reduction. Consistent, dedicated use of an appropriate glycolic acid home care maintenance system in an efficacious percentage and formulation is critical in order to see measurable improvement. However, progress is even more rapid when home care is used in combination with a series of resurfacing treatments.

The Resurfacing Gel Exfoliator system is available **only** to licensed skin care professionals or physicians and is intended for use in a skin care facility or clinical environment. It may be applied to the face, neck décolletage, hands, arms, or legs, and is equally effective for both men and women.

