

Lancet

Lancets are for the extraction of white heads and other blemishes. Whiteheads are removed in the same manner as blackheads except that an opening in the dead cell layer must first be made. This is done by placing a lancet almost parallel to the surface of the skin and pricking the cell layer to make an opening for the debris to pass through. Clean lancet between each blemish.

The lancet is a small, sharp, pointed surgical blade with a double edge used to pierce or prick the skin. Each lancet is sterilized and comes in a separate, sealed envelope.

**Proper cleaning when extracting is very important, so as not to spread infection elsewhere on the skin.