

## QUESTIONS TO ASK YOUR SURGEON: LABIAPLASTY

**I understand the labia are very malleable. Are you careful in marking them so they're not overresected?**

The labia will be marked prior to any infiltration of local anesthetic. The markings are the most crucial element. Since the labial tissue is stretchable, the biggest error with labiaplasty is over-resection. Surgeons may pull too hard on the labia when marking, therefore thinking there is more tissue than there actually is.

**Do you offer a second consultation prior to my procedure?**

Every patient goes through a thorough pre-operative process. This begins with a pre-op visit two weeks prior to surgery. This is similar to a second consult. During this time, you will go over the details of your surgery with Dr. Rahban, and you will get a second opportunity to ask questions and go over your procedure, thus ensuring a complete understanding.

**How many follow-up appointments do we have?**

After a mini tummy tuck, Dr. Rahban schedules a total of five follow-up appointments. Most plastic surgeons schedule two follow-ups, during which time you may not even see the doctor. During every follow-up appointment, Dr. Rahban sees his patients personally.