

TREAT HAIR LOSS AT HOME

Today, lasers are utilized to address just about every beauty concern that we have, and hair loss is no exception. The **HairMax LaserComb** is the first FDA-cleared medical laser device that promotes healthy hair growth. This easy-to-use comb contains individual laser energy beams centered between the teeth that work at the root of the hair, energizing and stimulating the hair follicles. Treatments should be performed on a clean scalp three times a week for 10 to 15 minutes. Designed for at-home use, the company claims that in clinical studies, 93 percent of users experienced hair regrowth and an increase in hair strength. The LaserComb is also believed to normalize the scalp, thicken hair, add shine and increase manageability. \$545, hairmax.com



GENE THERAPY. A complicated and advanced technique for inherited hair loss, gene therapy would change the genetic makeup of existing cells in the body, in turn altering their functions and actions. However, this treatment is far from being approved or introduced to the public since it involves several genetic decoding steps.

CLONING. Cloning is widely debated in the scientific community, but hair cloning may be the next big thing as a means of eradicating hair loss. Hair cloning involves isolating follicles from hair-growing areas and in essence, making copies of those existing follicles. Once the follicles have been successfully cloned, they may be able to be re-implanted into the bald areas, adding many follicles as a product of the original few isolated ones.

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TOPICAL TREATMENTS AND SURGERY REMAIN AT THE FOREFRONT OF TACKLING HAIR-LOSS PROBLEMS TODAY. BUT COULD SCIENCE HOLD NEW AND IMPROVED SOLUTIONS FOR TOMORROW? HERE IS A SAMPLING OF WHAT'S IN THE WORKING. ALTHOUGH NEITHER OF THESE TREATMENTS HAVE BEEN FDA APPROVED