

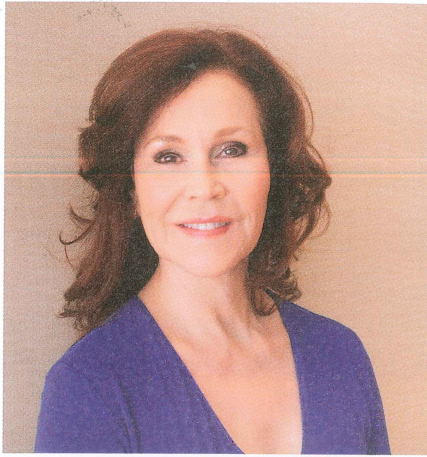
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## Helping New Orleans Look Naturally Younger and More Vibrant

As New Orleans natives and board certified dermatologists who specialize in non-surgical skin rejuvenation, Dr. Mary Lupo and Dr. Kate Holcomb understand what local patients are looking for: a natural, younger-looking appearance with little to no downtime. Their individualized approach for cosmetic treatments helps each patient look and feel like the best versions of themselves.

Dr. Lupo graduated as salutatorian from Benjamin Franklin High School, and Dr. Holcomb graduated as valedictorian from St. Mary's Dominican High School. They both received a Bachelor of Science degree from Newcomb College of Tulane University and a medical degree from Tulane University School of Medicine and graduated with honors. Their leadership and investment in the cosmetic field began when they were both selected as chief resident during their dermatology residency.

Since 1984, when Dr. Lupo began her private practice, she has been highly respected as an innovator, educator, researcher and artist in the area of non-surgical

rejuvenation. While training Dr. Holcomb during her residency, Dr. Lupo could tell they were both working toward the same professional goal: to give patients unique, innovative care with natural results. After completing a four-year commitment to the Navy where she served as a clinical professor and staff dermatologist, Dr. Holcomb joined the Lupo Center for Aesthetic and General Dermatology in 2012 and has played an integral part in enhancing the practice.

When patients are treated at the Lupo Center, they know they are getting expert care no matter their age, lifestyle or profession. Drs. Lupo and Holcomb offer a variety of state-of-the-art treatments with injectables, light and radiofrequency devices, lasers, chemical peels and at-home skin care products to help each patient achieve their personal goals – whether they are trying to land a dream job or promotion, trying to look better for a wedding or reunion, or just trying to look more rested and refreshed.

While Dr. Lupo and Dr. Holcomb are very involved in their own patients' care, they have become advocates for other patients to receive

proper cosmetic care. Often times new patients come to them after suffering complications as a result of untrained or uncertified physicians and non-physicians performing procedures with injectables and lasers. Even more frightening is when those patients are treated with illegal products. They believe all patients deserve to know the truth and qualifications of their treating physician and advise all patients do their homework before having any procedure done.

Their drive to help others doesn't stop with their medical practice. Like most New Orleanians, home is where the heart is and both Dr. Lupo and Dr. Holcomb have a passion for giving back to the Crescent City. Following the aftermath of Katrina, Dr. Lupo helped to rebuild Lakeview, as well as her practice, from the ground up. Outside her neighborhood, she is a proud supporter of the National WWII Museum, New Orleans City Park, Second Harvest Food Bank, New Orleans Women & Children's Shelter, Louisiana Children's Museum, Tulane University School of Medicine and Tulane's Yulman Stadium.

While Dr. Holcomb also contributes to New Orleans City Park, Tulane University School of Medicine and WWOZ New Orleans, her focus these days is starting the local chapter of Brighter Days, an organization whose mission is to enhance the life of cancer patients by educating them on the proper way to manage the changes of their skin, hair and nails brought on by chemotherapy or radiation treatments.



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